


Protecting Health, Safety and Community, McDonald's Shares Coronavirus Update

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(Updated March 12, 2020): As the globe continues to navigate the outbreak of coronavirus (COVID-19), there is no higher priority than protecting the health and well-being of our people and our customers. [Click here](#) for a message from McDonald's USA President Joe Erlinger on our commitment to cleanliness and doing right for our people.

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Dear Valued Customer,

On behalf of McDonald's USA, I want to assure you that in times of uncertainty, the safety of our customers and people remains our highest priority.

Please know that we are keeping those affected by coronavirus (COVID-19) in our thoughts while we closely watch the evolving situation.


In the meantime, I want to inform you of the proactive steps McDonald's and our franchisees are taking to ensure the safety in our restaurants across all our communities – in proactive partnership with local and national health authorities.

For more than 65 years, McDonald's values of quality, service, and cleanliness have endured. Today, that same commitment guides all our actions. Specifically, we are:

- Adhering to our industry-leading, deep-cleaning procedures in every restaurant, every day.
- Ensuring high-touch areas get more frequent deep cleanings – places like ordering kiosks, pick-up counters and restrooms.
- Enhancing our McDelivery procedures to ensure order packaging remains safe before we fill it with your favorite items so you can enjoy McDonald's at home.
- Supporting employees in staying home from work if they are sick so they can rest and recover.

More than ever, we are proud to honor our commitment to cleanliness so you feel confident dining with us.

We sincerely thank you for your continued business, and above all, for your trust in the Golden Arches.


Joe Erlinger
President, McDonald's USA

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