



Eric J. Holcomb
Governor

Kristina M. Box, MD, FACOG
State Health Commissioner

ORDER REISSUING AS NEW ORDERS TEMPORARY BLANKET WAIVERS FOR HOSPITALS AND AMBULATORY OUTPATIENT SURGICAL CENTERS

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5-4 and as authorized by IC 16-28-1-10 and the September 18, 1991 resolution of the Executive Board of the Indiana Department of Health (“IDOH”), the State Health Commissioner **ORDERS** as follows:

1. The “Covid-19 National/State Emergency Hospital Blanket Waiver: Conversion of Standard Patient Rooms to Negative Pressure Isolation Rooms” originally issued March 21, 2020, as amended March 23, 2020 and revised April 8, 2020 and subsequently extended, is hereby **reissued** as a new emergency order effective as of September 17, 2020.
2. The “Second Covid-19 National/State Emergency Hospital Blanket Waiver: Patient Rooms” originally issued March 24, 2020 is hereby **reissued** as a new emergency order effective as of September 20, 2020.
3. The “Third Emergency Order Granting Temporary Blanket Waivers for Hospitals” originally issued March 27, 2020 is hereby **reissued** as a new emergency order effective as of September 23, 2020.
4. The “Emergency Order Granting Temporary Blanket Waivers for Ambulatory Outpatient Surgical Centers” originally issued April 14, 2020 is hereby **reissued** as a new emergency order effective as of October 11, 2020.
5. Pursuant to paragraph 13(B) of the Governor’s March 19, 2020 Executive Order 20-05, the waivers and actions authorized by this Order shall expire no earlier than the date the Governor’s Declaration is withdrawn or expires, including any extensions thereof, plus such additional time as the IDOH deems necessary to enable an orderly transition by facilities back to compliance with the rules or parts of rules herein waived.

To **promote**, **protect**, and **improve** the health and safety of all Hoosiers.



SO ORDERED as of the date set forth below.

Kristina Box, MD, FACOG
State Health Commissioner

By:  _____
Matthew Foster, Assistant Commissioner
Consumer Services & Health Care Regulation

Date: April 12, 2021