



51 County Board fully informed or at such intervals as the Wisconsin  
52 Secretary of Health may direct.

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54 (c) The Sheboygan County Health Officer may do what is reasonable and  
55 necessary for the prevention and suppression of disease, may forbid  
56 public gatherings when deemed necessary to control outbreaks or  
57 epidemics, and shall advise the Wisconsin Department of Health  
58 Services of measures taken.

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60 (d) No person shall interfere with the investigation under this Section of  
61 any place or its occupants by the Sheboygan County Health Officer or  
62 his or her assistants.

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64 (4) PREVENTING SPREAD. No person who is knowingly infected with a  
65 communicable disease may willfully violate the recommendations of the local  
66 health officer or subject others to danger of contracting the disease. No person  
67 may knowingly and willfully take, aid in taking, advise, or cause to be taken, a  
68 person who is infected or is suspected of being infected with a communicable  
69 disease into any public place or conveyance where the infected person would  
70 expose any other person to danger of contracting the disease.

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72 (5) ORDERS TO THE PUBLIC AT-LARGE AND COMMITTEE OVERSIGHT.

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74 (a) Public Health Officer Orders. the County Board expressly authorizes  
75 the Public Health Officer to issue orders, pursuant to Wis. Stat. §  
76 252.03, to the public at-large for a period of not more than sixty (60)  
77 days, which may be extended by subsequent orders, when he or she  
78 deems it reasonable and necessary for the prevention and suppression  
79 of disease. Such authority extends to forbidding public gatherings  
80 when deemed necessary to control outbreaks or epidemics. The  
81 Public Health Officer shall inform the State of Wisconsin Department  
82 of Health Services of the measures taken.

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84 (b) Health and Human Services Committee and Executive Committee  
85 Oversight. Any order to the public at-large shall be submitted to the  
86 Health and Human Services and Executive Committees upon issuance  
87 for review at a joint meeting. The Health and Human Services and  
88 Executive Committees may take action to ratify or nullify said order. If  
89 no action is taken, the order remains in effect as issued.

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91 (6) ENFORCEMENT; PENALTY.

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93 (a) Any person who violates or obstructs an order of the Sheboygan  
94 County Health Officer or the State of Wisconsin Department of Health  
95 Services is subject to any of the following:

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97 1. The issuance of a citation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 66.0113. A  
98 citation may be issued by law enforcement officers or the local  
99 health officer or his or her designee.

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- 2. A forfeiture of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for the first offense, Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the second offense, and One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for the third or subsequent offense.
  - 3. The issuance of a Summons and Complaint, the entry of a civil judgment for a forfeiture, and (temporary or permanent) injunctive relief.
  - 4. A court order pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code DHS § 145.06(5).
- (b) Any business in which an individual is violating a public health order shall ask the individual to leave the premises. Businesses and organizations may rely on an individual's statements if they claim to be exempt from the public health order for the reasons permitted.
  - (c) Any business violating a public health order may be subject to administrative action for any licenses it possesses within the County.
  - (d) Proceeding under any other Ordinance or law relating to the same or other matter shall not preclude enforcement under this Section.

Section 2. **Effective Date.** The herein Ordinance shall take effect upon the day following publication.

Respectfully submitted this 18th day of August, 2020.

**HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE\***

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Opposed to Introduction:

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\*County Board members signing only

Countersigned by:

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Vernon Koch, Chairperson