



Republic of the Philippines
MUNICIPALITY OF LINGAYEN
Province of Pangasinan
Office of the Mayor

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 41, SERIES OF 2021

**STRENGTHENING HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LINGAYEN**

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 5, of the 1987 Constitution recognizes that the maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property, and the promotion of the general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessings of democracy.

WHEREAS, under Article II, Section 15, of the 1987 Constitution, it is the policy of the State to protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 empowers local government units to exercise the powers which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare, health, and safety within their respective territorial jurisdictions.

WHEREAS there is an alarming surge in the number of persons infected with COVID-19 in the Municipality of Lingayen.

NOW THEREFORE, I, LEOPOLDO N. BATAOIL, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, hereby order the following:

**ARTICLE I
MINIMUM PUBLIC HEALTH STANDARDS**

Section 1. All persons are mandated to wear **face masks whenever they go out of their residences**.

Section 2. Workplace in the municipality, public establishments like markets, municipal halls, private establishments catering to the public, and the like must observe **strict physical distancing**—that is the strict maintenance of a distance of at least one (1) meter radius between and among every person, should be observed at all times.

**ARTICLE II
AGE RESTRICTIONS**

Section 3. Any person **below fifteen (15)** years old, those who are over **sixty-five (65)** years of age, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women shall be required to remain in their residences at all times, except for obtaining essential goods and services, or for work in industries and offices, and engagement in outdoor non-contact sports and other forms of exercise.





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ARTICLE III
LIMITATION ON MASS GATHERINGS

Section 4. Flag raising and flag lowering ceremonies shall be attended only by personnel from the Philippine National Police and Bureau of Fire until further notice.

Section 5. Community assemblies, non-essential work gatherings, barangay and town fiestas, festivities, and assemblies, reunions, trade fairs, carnivals, *balikbayan* affairs, fund raising events, and other public events are prohibited.

ARTICLE IV
BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS

Section 6. Business establishments and offices allowed to operate under MGCQ as provided for by IATF protocols shall strictly observe the following:

- a. Limit of fifty percent (50%) seating or venue capacity
- b. Wearing of face masks and physical distancing
- c. Curfew, as provided for in Article VI.
- d. Liquor Ban, as provided for in Article VII.
- e. Ventilation standards as provided for under relevant issuances of the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE).

Section 7. Violators of the preceding section shall be penalized, as follows:

- a. First Offense — Warning
- b. Second Offense — Temporary Closure
- c. Third Offense — Cancellation of Business Permit

Section 8. The following establishments, persons, or activities shall not be permitted to operate, work or be undertaken:

- a. Entertainment venues such as karaoke bars, bars, clubs, concert halls, and theaters;
- b. Fairs/Peryas, kid amusement industries such as playgrounds, playroom, and kiddie rides; and





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- c. Cockfighting and operation of cockpits, except for the sole purpose of conducting *e-sabong* licensed and regulated by the Philippine Amusement and Gaming Corporation.

ARTICLE V
THE LINGAYEN BAYWALK

Section 9. Only registered ambulant vendors who should be residents of Lingayen are allowed to operate in the Lingayen Baywalk.

Section 10. All business establishments along Lingayen Baywalk shall be closed from 8:00PM to 4:00AM.

Section 11. While jogging, walking, and cycling are allowed, swimming, mass gatherings, picnics, and sporting events are prohibited.

Section 12. Parking in the beachfront is prohibited.

ARTICLE VI
CURFEW

Section 13. The municipality-wide curfew shall be from 8:00 PM to 4:00 AM. APORs and emergency cases are exempted from the curfew period.

ARTICLE VII
LIQUOR BAN

Section 14. Definition of Terms. The following terms shall have the meaning indicated:

(a) "Alcoholic beverage" includes any beverage in liquid form which contains not less than one-half of one percent of alcohol by volume and is intended for human consumption.

(b) "Person" means any individual, partnership, joint stock company, business trust, association, corporation, or any other business or legal entity, including a receiver, trustee, or liquidating agent.

(c) "Public places" means all places, fixed or mobile, that are accessible or open to the public or places for collective use, regardless of ownership or right to access, including but not limited to, schools, workplaces, government facilities, establishment that provide food and drinks, accommodation, merchandise, professional services, entertainment or other services. It also includes outdoor spaces where facilities are available for the public or where a crowd of people would gather, such as, but not limited to, playgrounds, sports ground or





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centers, church grounds, health/hospital compounds, transportation terminals, market, parks, resorts, walkways/sideways, entrance ways, waiting areas, and the like.

(d) "Sale" and "distribution" includes sampling or any other distribution not for sale;

Section 15. Prohibited Acts. It shall be unlawful within the Municipality of Lingayen for any person to sell, distribute, buy, or drink an alcoholic beverage in a public place from **August 26, 2021, until September 15, 2021**, unless extended or lifted as circumstances warrant.

ARTICLE VIII
WAKES AND FUNERALS

Section 16. For deaths **unrelated to COVID-19**, only the immediate family of the deceased and ministers or officiants are allowed to attend wakes, which shall not last more than **three (3) calendar days**.

Section 17. For deaths **due to COVID-19**, bodies must be placed in cadaver bags which are wrapped, sealed and sprayed with sodium hydrochloride. The remains should be cremated **within 12 hours**.

Section 18. For **Muslim deaths** due to COVID-19, the body should be placed in an air-tight sealed bag and buried in the nearest Muslim cemetery **within 12 hours**, in accordance to Muslim rites.

Section 19. Funerals processions, whether on board vehicles or on foot, shall be **attended only by the immediate family members of the deceased** and shall strictly follow the health protocols relative to the wearing of face masks and observance of physical distancing.

ARTICLE IX
PUBLIC AND PRIVATE TRANSPORTATION

Section 20. All permitted PUV drivers are mandated to use face masks and gloves.

Section 21. Thorough disinfecting practices of vehicles, terminals, and even among passengers are required.

Section 22. Passenger load for public utility buses (PUBs) and public utility jeepneys (PUJs) should not exceed 50 percent or half of the vehicle's capacity, excluding driver and conductor.

Section 23. For UV Express and taxis, passenger load should not exceed two passengers per row, except for the driver's row where only one passenger is allowed.





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Section 24. Tricycles and pedicabs must not exceed one passenger in the side-car, while back riding will not be allowed. Moreover, tricycles and pedicabs should have protective barriers between driver and passenger.

Section 25. Private cars will only be allowed one passenger to occupy the front passenger seat, while front-facing seats shall not exceed two passengers per row.

Section 26. Pillion Riding (Back Riding) without protective barriers is allowed if the riders are living in the same residence. Proof of residence includes government-issued identification cards, Barangay Certificate, Police Clearance, and the like.

Section 27. The motorcycle driver may or may not be an authorized person outside residence (APOR), provided that the passenger is an APOR.

Section 28. A maximum of two persons only are allowed in a single motorcycle.

Section 29. The motorcycle must be privately owned and not for hire.

Section 30. Driver and passenger are both required to wear helmets and face masks.

Section 31. Riders not living in the same household should still use the protective barrier in compliance with social distancing protocols.

ARTICLE X
DUTIES OF LAW ENFORCERS

Section 32. The Chief of Police is mandated to establish checkpoints in the municipal borders of Lingayen, Pangasinan, to ensure compliance with this Executive Order.

Section 33. Barangay officials are mandated to patrol the areas within their respective jurisdiction to ensure compliance with this Executive Order.

ARTICLE XI
PENAL PROVISIONS

Section 34. Violators of this Executive Order shall be penalized by the appropriate Municipal and Provincial Ordinances.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Lingayen, Pangasinan, this 26th day of August, 2021.


HON. LEOPOLDO N. BATAOIL
Municipal Mayor

