



To the entire This Is It! family:

Your safety during this global pandemic, as well as the safety of our employees, performers, and vendors, is paramount and an essential element to how we do business.

Starting Friday 6/5/2020 at 3:00pm, we will resume normal operating hours in compliance with the “COVID-19 Public Health Plan for the City of Milwaukee” Order #3 and several additional practices we feel are best to keeping all who enter our doors safe:

- Our total Capacity will be limited to 40 persons, including on-duty staff. This is 25% of our normal capacity of 160 persons indoors. Outdoor seating may be added soon, but will not be available right away.
- We will have entry lines outside of the bar with markings for patrons to enable them to stand at least six (6) feet apart from one another while waiting to enter.
- Upon entry all patrons, vendors and employees will have their body temperature sensed by an infrared, touchless thermometer. Those exhibiting signs of low-grade fever or above will not be permitted to enter. We will follow the standard definition of low-grade fever which is a temperature starting at 98.7 degrees and higher.
- All employees are required to wear a mask at all times. Patrons are strongly encouraged to wear masks and we will provide a complimentary bandana/mask/or other face covering upon request and if available.
- Social distancing will be maintained by reducing the number of bar stools and spacing any tables at least 6 feet from one-another. Persons from the same household will be allowed to sit together at their own choice and discretion.
- Employees will be required to wash hands or use hand sanitizer in-between beverage service and cash handling. This effort, coupled with our manual dishwashing, will prevent any possible contamination.



- Hand sanitizing stations will be available in logical places in the bar, and sanitizer will be made available upon request at the bar itself.
- Fruit and straws are available upon request only.
- We will be cleaning and sanitizing bathroom surfaces constantly during all hours of operation. Additional staff/hours will be scheduled to help make this happen. The use of gloves is required by all employees in this process.
- We will continue to use bleach solution to sanitize all public surfaces. This is something currently in practice and has been part of our cleaning standards for a long time. You will see additional staff scheduled and present to ensure that these surfaces are cleaned with increased frequency. The use of gloves is required by all cleaning personnel. The CDC recommends: 5 tablespoons (1/3rd cup) bleach per gallon of water OR 4 teaspoons bleach per quart of water.
- In-person shows, including drag shows, are suspended. Virtual shows will continue. Since we are using the bar space to film, our patrons will at time get a sneak peek of the recording process and live streaming process.
- Until further notice, we will suspend the playing of bar dice, games, and will prohibit the use of communal bowls/sources for candy, popcorn, etc.
- Dancing will be prohibited as well as other group-based, interactive activities.
- Karaoke and Trivia are suspended until further notice.
- Any “employees who have symptoms of acute respiratory illness will be asked to stay home and not come to work until they are free of fever, signs of a fever, and any other symptoms for at least 24 hours, without the use of fever-reducing or other symptom-altering medicines.” This is directly from the CDC.



- We change every 2 weeks, the filters in our air circulation system to hypoallergenic pleated air filters with a Minimum Efficiency Reporting Value (MERV) of 14 - which means that it will collect more than 90-Percent of all microns of contaminants.

We are also proud to say that because we already had very high standards of cleanliness to begin with, we are way ahead of the game here at the bar. We ask you to help as well by:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- Do not share drinks or glassware that has not been sanitized between use (our cleaning process involves a final sanitation before glassware is returned to use).
- Staying home from work, school, and all activities when you are sick with COVID-19 symptoms, which may include fever, cough, and difficulty breathing.
- Keeping away from others who are sick.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes with a tissue.

For more information about staying safe and best practices, visit: [coronavirus.gov](https://www.coronavirus.gov)

Remember that we all are a family, and we can (and will) get through this outbreak by supporting each other and staying informed. Our community has a great history of doing just that. We plan to implement these new standards and should recommendations change from the CDC, and other public health officials/organizations, we will keep you informed.

- This is It! Management