



CALIFORNIA SECRETARY OF STATE

Voters with Medical Emergencies Fact Sheet

FOR PERSONS WITH MEDICAL EMERGENCIES ON OR BEFORE ELECTION DAY

All voters have the right to safely vote in the November 3, 2020, General Election. Here's what you can do to ensure you can exercise your right to vote if you have been or are likely to be unable to leave home, in the hospital, or in a care facility on Election Day due to a medical emergency:

✔ **Contact your local county elections office.**

You have the right to receive and cast your ballot by Election Day. Call your **local county elections office** to see what options are available for you. Many county elections offices will be able to provide you with a replacement ballot or deliver a ballot to you. Ask your healthcare provider for help. Many health care facilities have staff who can help get a ballot delivered to you.

✔ **I need help filling out my ballot. Who can help me?**

You have the right to get help casting your ballot from anyone you choose, except from your employer or union representative.

✔ **It's Election Day. I didn't receive my ballot in the mail and I cannot leave my home, am hospitalized, or in a care facility due to a medical emergency. How can I vote?**

You have the right to cast an emergency ballot on Election Day. Call your **local county elections office**. Many offices have teams that visit healthcare facilities to make sure you can vote on Election Day.

If you cannot reach your county elections office and are registered to vote, you can request another ballot. You can fill out a form to authorize someone (your designee) to go to your local county elections office to pick up a ballot for you. Some hospitals may have volunteers who may be able to help you get a ballot.

1. Fill out and print the **late vote-by-mail application form** on our website.
2. If you do not have access to a computer and printer, you can write a statement saying that you cannot vote in person because you are unable to leave your home, are hospitalized, or in a care facility due to a medical emergency and need a ballot. Sign this request, or if you are unable to sign, someone can help you sign with an "x." The person picking up your ballot must also write "witnessed by" and sign their name.
3. Your designee must return this form to your local county elections office and pick up your ballot.
4. Once you complete the ballot, sign and date the return envelope.
5. The person returning your ballot must also sign their name on the appropriate space on the envelope.
6. Either you or your designee must return your voted ballot to a voting location, drop box, or to your local county elections office by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day. **Please note that your ballot cannot be mailed.**

Call your **local county elections office** to learn more about getting a ballot if you are experiencing a medical emergency.



County or State Voter Information Guide

If you lost your county voter information guide most counties have an online version on their website. Voting locations will also have copies of the county information guide. The Secretary of State's online voter information guide can be found at **Vote.ca.gov**.

For more information, visit **Vote.ca.gov** or call our Election Hotline at (800) 345-VOTE (8683).



Helpful Resources

County Elections Offices Contact Information

All Elections Offices by county can be found at:

<https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/voting-resources/county-elections-offices>

California Secretary of State Voter Hotline

For answers to your questions about voting and elections, please call one of the toll-free voter hotlines listed below:

(800) 345-VOTE (8683) - English

(800) 232-VOTA (8682) - Español / Spanish

(800) 339-2857 - 中文 / Chinese

(888) 345-2692 - हिन्दी / Hindi

(800) 339-2865 - 日本語 / Japanese

(888) 345-4917 - ខ្មែរ / Khmer

(866) 575-1558 - 한국어 / Korean

(800) 339-2957 - Tagalog

(855) 345-3933 - ภาษาไทย / Thai

(800) 339-8163 - Việt ngữ / Vietnamese

(800) 833-8683 - TTY/TDD



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Vote.ca.gov or call our Election
Hotline at (800) 345-VOTE (8683).**



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Alameda County

1225 Fallon St., Rm. G-1
Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 272-6973

Alpine County

99 Water St.
Markleeville, CA 96120
(530) 694-2281

Amador County

810 Court St.
Jackson, CA 95642-2132
(209) 223-6465

Butte County

155 Nelson Ave.
Oroville, CA 95965-3411
(530) 552-3400
(800) 894-7761 (Domestic)

Calaveras County

891 Mountain Ranch Rd.
San Andreas, CA 95249
(209) 754-6376

Colusa County

546 Jay St., Ste. 200
Colusa, CA 95932
(530) 458-0500

Contra Costa County

555 Escobar St.
Martinez, CA 94553
(925) 335-7800

Del Norte County

981 H St., Rm. 160
Crescent City, CA 95531
(707) 464-7216

El Dorado County

2850 Fairlane Ct.
Placerville, CA 95667
(530) 621-7480

Fresno County

2221 Kern St.
Fresno, CA 93721
(559) 600-8683

Glenn County

516 W. Sycamore St., 2nd Floor
Willows, CA 95988
(530) 934-6414

Humboldt County

2426 6th Street
Eureka, CA 95501
(707) 445-7481

Imperial County

940 W. Main St., Ste. 206
El Centro, CA 92243-2839
(442) 265-1060

Inyo County

168 N. Edwards Street
Independence, CA 93526
(760) 878-0224

Kern County

1115 Truxtun Ave., First Floor
Bakersfield, CA 93301-4639
(661) 868-3590
(800) 452-8683

Kings County

1400 W. Lacey Blvd.
Hanford, CA 93230
(559) 852-4401

Lake County

255 N. Forbes St.
Lakeport, CA 95453
(707) 263-2372
(888) 235-6730

Lassen County

220 S. Lassen St., Ste. 5
Susanville, CA 96130
(530) 251-8217

Los Angeles County

12400 Imperial Hwy.
Norwalk, CA 90650
(800) 815-2666

Madera County

200 W. 4th St.
Madera, CA 93637
(559) 675-7720
(800) 435-0509

Marin County

3501 Civic Center Dr, Ste. 121
San Rafael, CA 94903
(415) 473-6456

Mariposa County

4982 10th St.
Mariposa, CA 95338
(209) 966-2007

Mendocino County

501 Low Gap Rd., Rm. 1020
Ukiah, CA 95482
(707) 234-6819

Merced County

2222 M St.
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7541
(800) 561-0619

Modoc County

108 E. Modoc St.
Alturas, CA 96101
(530) 233-6205

Mono County

74 N. School St., Annex I
Bridgeport, CA 93517
(760) 932-5537

Monterey County

1441 Schilling Place - North Bldg.
Salinas, CA 93901
(831) 796-1499
(866) 887-9274

Napa County

1127 First St. Ste. E
Napa, CA 94559
(707) 253-4321

Nevada County

950 Maidu Ave., Ste. 210
Nevada City, CA 95959
(530) 265-1298

Orange County

1300 South Grand Ave., Bldg. C
Santa Ana, CA 92705
(714) 567-7600

Placer County

2956 Richardson Dr.
Auburn, CA 95603
(530) 886-5650
(800) 824-8683

Plumas County

520 Main St., Rm. 102, Courthouse
Quincy, CA 95971
(530) 283-6256

Riverside County

2724 Gateway Dr.
Riverside, CA 92507-0918
(951) 486-7200
(800) 773-8683

Sacramento County

7000 65th St., Ste. A
Sacramento, CA 95823
(916) 875-6451
(800) 762-8019

San Benito County

440 Fifth St., Second Floor, Rm. 205
Hollister, CA 95023-3843
(831) 636-4016

San Bernardino County

777 E. Rialto Ave.
San Bernardino, CA 92415-1005
(909) 387-8300
(800) 881-8683

San Diego County

5600 Overland Ave.
San Diego, CA 92123
(858) 565-5800
(800) 696-0136

San Francisco County

1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 48
San Francisco, CA 94102
(415) 554-4375

San Joaquin County

44 N. San Joaquin St Third Floor,
Suite 350
Stockton, CA 95202
(209) 468-8683
(800) 400-5009

San Luis Obispo County

1055 Monterey St., Ste. D-120
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408
(805) 781-5228

San Mateo County

40 Tower Rd.
San Mateo, CA 94402
(650) 312-5222

Santa Barbara County

4440-A Calle Real
Santa Barbara, CA 93110
(800) 722-8683
(805) 568-2200

Santa Clara County

1555 Berger Dr., Bldg. 2
San Jose, CA 95112
(408) 299-8683
(866) 430-8683

Santa Cruz County

701 Ocean St., Rm. 310
Santa Cruz, CA 95060-4035
(831) 454-2060
(866) 282-5900

Shasta County

1643 Market St.
Redding, CA 96001
(530) 225-5730

Sierra County

100 Courthouse Square, Rm. 11
Downieville, CA 95936-0398
(530) 289-3295

Siskiyou County

510 N. Main St.
Yreka, CA 96097-2525
(530) 842-8084

Solano County

675 Texas St., Ste. 2600
Fairfield, CA 94533
(707) 784-6675
(888) 933-8683

Sonoma County

435 Fiscal Dr.
Santa Rosa, CA 95403
(707) 565-6800
(800) 750-8683

Stanislaus County

1021 I St., Ste. 101
Modesto, CA 95354-2331
(209) 525-5200

Sutter County

1435 Veterans Memorial Cir.
Yuba City, CA 95993
(530) 822-7122

Tehama County

633 Washington St., Rm. 17
Red Bluff, CA 96080-0250
(530) 527-8190

Trinity County

11 Court St.
Weaverville, CA 96093-1215
(530) 623-1220

Tulare County

5951 S. Mooney Blvd.
Visalia, CA 93277
(559) 624-7300

Tuolumne County

2 S. Green St.
Sonora, CA 95370-4618
(209) 533-5570

Ventura County

Hall of Administration, Lower Plaza
800 S. Victoria Ave.
Ventura, CA 93009-1200
(805) 654-2664

Yolo County

625 Court St., Rm. B-05
Woodland, CA 95695
(530) 666-8133
(800) 649-9943
(916) 375-6490

Yuba County

915 8th St., Ste. 107
Marysville, CA 95901-5273
(530) 749-7855