

1/13 EDITION



Welcome to the January 13 edition of the Warren RECC COVID-19 newsletter. Over the past 2 weeks, COVID-19 cases have increased dramatically. Though vaccine distribution has already begun, it's important to continue to wear masks, social distance, and wash your hands to prevent further spread of the COVID-19 virus.

STATUS UPDATE

As of January 13, we are operating at a **LEVEL 2** response. For you that means:

- Warren RECC lobbies and drive-thrus are OPEN
- Visitors are asked to voluntarily limit visits to the office, especially if feeling ill

Visit www.wrecc.com to make payments or to apply for service.



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LIHEAP



If you are having trouble paying your electric bill, help is available! LIHEAP Crisis is now enrolling. Applications will be accepted through March 31 or until designated funds are depleted. Income eligibility for the program is up to and including 150% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines. For more information or to apply, contact your local Community Action office.

NEW LAWS

The 2021 Session of the KY General Assembly began on January 5. Over the weekend, legislators sent several bills to the Governor, including two that deal with COVID-19 :

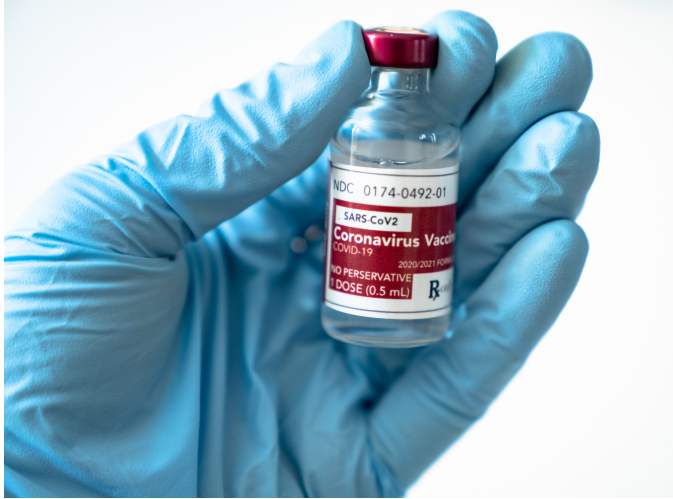
HB 1: Among other things, allows businesses and schools to remain open as long as they follow Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines.

SB 1: Limits the governor's executive orders to 30 days during a state of emergency.



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VACCINE UPDATE



On January 4, Governor Beshear announced that 90% of available vaccine should be used within 7 days of arrival. If you're in an eligible group, you can sign up for your appointment here:

- [Med Center Health](#)
- [Owensboro Health](#)
- [Green River District Health Dept](#)
- [BRADD Health Dept](#)
 - *Simpson County has a hotline for those 70 and over: 270-586-8261.

ONLINE CLASS!

Are you interested in selling some of your delicious homemade delights? The Grayson County Extension Office is offering an online Homebased Microprocessor Workshop on February 3. The workshop is the first step in becoming a certified microprocessor. Once certified, you can sell canned tomatoes, pickled fruits and veggies, salsa, bbq sauce and more! [Click here](#) to learn more and sign up!



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