



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

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This letter is to notify you that you interacted with a San Antonio Police Department officer who was diagnosed with COVID-19. After an investigation by the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District (Metro Health), your exposure—involvement in a traffic accident or receipt of a ticket—was classified as *low or negligible risk*.

Risk categories of the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) are:

- High risk: All household contacts of an individual diagnosed with COVID-19
- Medium risk: Individuals that had prolonged close contact with an individual diagnosed with COVID-19. “Close contact” is generally within 6 feet. “Prolonged” is generally 30 minutes in a community setting, but could be less time depending on variables including whether someone is coughing and how people are positioned (face-to-face vs. seated side by side vs. seated front-to-back).
- Low or negligible risk: Everyone else

Because of community transmission of the novel coronavirus, everyone going out in public is at low risk for exposure to COVID-19—this is why social distancing is critical at this phase in the pandemic. This is also why the general public is asked to Stay Home, Work Safe through April 9.

If you develop a cough, fever or shortness of breath within 14 days after your interaction with the officer, then please call our COVID-19 hotline at 210-207-5779 for guidance. You and your family members can also use the COVID-19 Self-Screening Tool at sanantonio.gov/covid19 at any time.

You can protect yourself and your family by keeping a 6-foot distance from other people, washing your hands often, avoiding touching your face, and frequently cleaning “high touch” surfaces like doorknobs, light switches and keyboards. Other steps can be found on www.sanantonio.gov/covid19.

Regards,

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