

## Northville District Library Personal Protective Equipment Access Policy

Due to the Public Health emergency caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, recommendations by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), and requirements put in place by the Wayne County Health Department,

- Patrons aged 2 and up wishing to enter the Northville District Library are required to wear a mask or face covering, and practice appropriate social distancing, if they have not been fully vaccinated for COVID-19.
- “Face covering” can include any material worn on or over the face that provides a barrier from the top of the bridge of the nose to the chin. Masks, face shields, and cloth covering the nose and the mouth (such as that worn for religious reasons) are all acceptable. Coverings available, but not worn (masks around the neck, or partially covering nose/mouth) are not compliant with this policy.
- If the patron is unable to comply with this policy due to medical or religious reasons, they are asked to speak with staff at the Northville District Library who will provide necessary accommodations.
- If a patron does not have a mask or face covering with them when they arrive at the Northville District Library, they can request a mask at the Circulation Desk and one will be provided to them.

This policy, as with other patron behavior policies, will be enforced in the manner described in the library’s Patron Behavior Policies, available at any Northville District Library service desk or online at <https://northvillelibrary.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/codeofconduct2020.pdf>

Patrons refusing to comply with this policy will be asked to exit the Northville District Library.

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