List of Essential Businesses
Subdivided by relevance to the Okaloosa County Area

Essential Services in Okaloosa County Area

- Any business that closes their offices to the public and interacts with customers through telephonic or electronic means
- Medical, Pharmacy and Healthcare practitioners
- Workers producing medical or sanitary goods or equipment
- Blood and Plasma donation coordinators
- Employees at HMOs
- Public Health Workers
- Morticians and other funeral and burial workers
- Law Enforcement, Public Safety and their support personnel
- Firearm and ammunition manufacturers and sales personnel
- Security guards and security personnel
- Any workers having to do with food, production, delivery, logistics, distribution or preparation
- All employees in the field of electricity generation or maintenance and their support personnel
- All employees needed to operate and maintain safe drinking water and wastewater operations
- Transportation and Transit employees and their support staff
- Automotive repair personnel
- Mail and Package Delivery
- Infrastructure inspection employees
- Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, builders, contractors, HVAC, landscapers, Waste Disposal personnel
- Communications infrastructure maintenance personnel
- Government employees
- The media
- IT personnel – to include data center operators, engineers and administrators
- Judicial System employees
- Census employees
- Elections personnel
- Clergy
- Credentialling employees
- Educators
- Title search, notary, recording employees for mortgage and real estate
- Real estate services
- Managers and mitigators hazmat materials and support staff
- Financial services employees
- Defense contractors
- Active Duty Military personnel
- Military support staff
- Workers who supply building materials
• Workers whose job supports ecommerce
• Hardware and building stores, appliance stores, but with reduced staff
• Retirement, nursing home and hospice staff
• Animal shelters
• Leasing agents, property managers, building superintendents
• Construction
• Laundromats, dry cleaners.
• All employees engaged in or supporting energy production of any kind
• Weather forecasters
• Employees or manufacturers of metals, semiconductors and other vital resources
• PPE producers
• Customs and Immigration
• Miners
• Producers of parts or essential equipment for any essential services
• **Law offices**