

RED ZONE REDUCTION RECOMMENDATIONS

- **Increase vaccination efforts** to reach unvaccinated persons
- **Require masking in government buildings**
- **Encourage masking in public indoor settings** for all persons ≥ 2 years of age
- **Encourage masking in crowded outdoor settings** for all persons ≥ 2 years of age
- Encourage **physical distancing** of at least 6 feet apart in public settings
- Maximize usage of **outdoor spaces for gatherings**
- **Consider limiting in-person community gatherings** and **postponing large events**
- **Encourage medically vulnerable persons to avoid large crowds**
- Engage **community partners and stakeholders to implement a strong communication plan**