**IMPORTANT REAL ESTATE EXAMINATION INFORMATION**

The health and safety of real estate examinees and examination proctors is a top priority for the Department of Real Estate (DRE). For this reason and to comply with state and local recommendations on how to best prevent the spread of COVID-19, DRE will be enacting the following procedures at all of its examination centers.

**Check in process:**
Examinees will be required to socially distance during the check in process. Masks will be required to be worn in the examination centers for all unvaccinated individuals. Masks will be removed briefly to validate the identity of the examinee. All masks will be visually inspected. Gloves can be worn in the examination center but are not required.

**Social Distancing:**
Examination centers have reduced the number of candidates during each examination administration to allow for social distancing. Signs and floor decals have been placed around the examination center to assist examinees in maintaining a social distance during check in and check out.

**Cleaning of the Exam Centers:**
Examination centers are disinfected after every exam administration. This includes all surfaces, computer equipment, handles, lockers and other touch points.

**What candidates need to know:**
To protect candidates and staff, you will not be admitted to the examination test center and should reschedule your test date if you:

- If you have been diagnosed with COVID-19 or have been in close personal contact with someone with a confirmed diagnosis
- Had any flu like symptoms in the last fourteen days, such as fever, chills, cough or shortness of breath

To reschedule your exam date, please call the Licensing Program at 877-373-4542 for a free reschedule of your examination.

Please visit DRE’s website before coming to your scheduled examination date for the most up-to-date information including examination schedule changes.

[www.dre.ca.gov](http://www.dre.ca.gov)

Please visit the CDC website for the most up-to-date information on COVID-19, at [www.cdc.gov/coronavirus](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus).

Rev. 06/21/2021