

Face Coverings

Masks with Exhalation Valves or Vents are Prohibited

- The purpose of masks is to keep respiratory droplets from reaching others to aid with source control. Masks with one-way valves or vents allow exhaled air to be expelled out through holes in the material. This can allow exhaled respiratory droplets to reach others and potentially spread the COVID-19 virus. Therefore, [CDC](#) does **not** recommend using masks if they have an exhalation valve or vent.

