







# Outdoors

-  Workplaces, such as construction sites
-  Sports arenas, stadiums, amphitheaters, and recreational areas with playground equipment, except during concerts, fairs, farmers markets, festivals, and parades
-  In bleachers and grandstands for use by spectators at sporting events
-  State law: Smoking prohibited within 200 feet of entrance, exits, and outdoor areas of elementary and secondary schools
-  Designated smoking and vaping sections of outdoor seating, serving areas, balconies, and courtyards of bars, restaurants, casinos, facilities that operate slot machines, pari-mutual wagering facilities, and off-track wagering facilities, such as the Fair Grounds
-  All other outdoor locations

 Smoking and Vaping Allowed until August 2021

 Smoking and Vaping Prohibited

 Smoking and Vaping Allowed



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FREE** 

SMOKE-FREE LOUISIANA  
**SMOKE-FREE SHREVEPORT**



# Indoors

Shreveport has joined more than 700 cities across the United States by becoming the 30th municipality in Louisiana to go smoke-free. By adopting a smoke-free ordinance, Shreveport is taking an important step in protecting the health of its citizens.

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:

The first phase of the ordinance goes into effect August 8, 2020. The public places that will be smoke-free on this date are indicated on the charts in orange.

Phase two of the ordinance, which applies to bars (except for hookah bars and cigar bars) and gaming facilities will go into effect on August 8, 2021.

The smoke-free ordinance does not apply to private homes, private residences, and private automobiles; except that this subsection shall not apply if any such home, residence, or vehicle is being used for child care or day care or if a private vehicle is being used for the public transportation of children or as part of health care or day care transportation in which case smoking is prohibited.

## WHAT NEEDS TO HAPPEN NOW?

Place no smoking signs in public places that are now smoke-free.

Remove any and all ashtrays from public areas that are now smoke-free.

## WHAT ABOUT ENFORCEMENT?

Violation may be cited by any law enforcement officer, the issuance of a citation and summons to appear before a court of proper jurisdiction.

Violations can include fines from \$25 to \$500 depending on type of violation and number of violation occurrences throughout the year.

**For more information visit [ShreveportLa.gov](http://ShreveportLa.gov)**

- ! Bars
- ! Casinos and other gambling facilities
-  Restaurants
-  Hotels and Motels
-  Workplaces
-  Schools (preschool to post-secondary)
-  Private Clubs
-  Common areas of multi-unit housing, including apartment complexes and condos
-  Buildings and vehicles owned, leased, occupied, or operated by the City or State
-  Prisons and other correctional facilities
-  Most other public places (enclosed by two or more walls/barriers), including: hospitals, nursing homes, public buses and street cars, retail stores, and retail service businesses
-  Convention facilities during Mardi Gras Balls
-  Private homes and vehicles
-  Private and semi-private rooms in nursing homes and other long-term care facilities, when requested by all occupants in writing
-  Tobacco businesses
-  Electronic smoking device businesses (vape shops)
-  Cigar bars
-  Hookah bars. However, smoking is limited to hookahs