

# Update 5: Puerto Rico - Plans to Reopen Retail Businesses Starting May 26, 2020 Amid Warning

- Puerto Rico is set to reopen retail businesses, beaches, and places of worship on Tuesday (May 26), with a warning from health experts
- The health experts warn that the government is not prepared for a possible surge in new infections as it moves from a two-month lockdown
- Governor Wanda Vázquez announced that most businesses will reopen under strict new rules
- A curfew, from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m., will remain in place until June 15, and people are still required to wear face masks
- Puerto Rico's Health Department confirms more than 2,900 COVID-19 cases and 126 deaths
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Department of Health of Puerto Rico (<http://salud.gov.pr/Pages/Home.aspx>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Puerto Rico

## Source(s)

<https://www.voanews.com/covid-19-pandemic/puerto-rico-set-reopen-businesses-and-beaches-amid-warning>

<https://www.wsocv.com/news/trending/coronavirus-live-updates-us-deaths-top-93000-total-cases-continue-surge-toward-16-million/6EPNXVZGNNDUVM4YN7T3EPMZNY/>

## Targets Affected:

Puerto Rico

### Guidance

#### *Actions to consider:*

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to '[Business Recovery/Lifting Restrictions](#)' under the '[COVID-19: Actions to Consider](#)' section below / next page

Related Alerts

May 5, 2020

High

Update 4: Puerto Rico - Extends  
Lockdown Until May 25, 2020;  
Businesses Reopen Starting May 4,  
2020

April 22, 2020

Medium

Update 3: Puerto Rico - Lockdown  
Extension Expected Until June 1, 2020;  
Businesses to Reopen Gradually

April 12, 2020

Immediate

Update 2: Puerto Rico - Extends  
Lockdown to May 3, 2020 to Fight  
Coronavirus Outbreak

March 27, 2020

Immediate

Update 1: Puerto Rico - Extends  
Lockdown Until April 12, 2020 Amid  
COVID-19 Pandemic

March 16, 2020

Immediate

Puerto Rico - Declares Curfew and  
Closure of Non-Essential Businesses  
Amid Coronavirus Pandemic

# Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	<b>Certain</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	<b>Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	<b>Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	<b>Possible in the long-term (after 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.