

Whitesburg Municipal Court

Amended Guidelines For In-Court Proceedings Pursuant to Orders of the Georgia Supreme Court

The following individuals will be prohibited from entering:

1. Those with a fever of 100.4 or higher;
2. Those with any shortness of breath, persistent cough or sore throat, or any other symptom of respiratory infection;
3. Those who have been exposed to COVID-19 by travel or otherwise within the last 14 days.

All who enter the courtroom shall be health screened.

All who enter shall maintain social distancing.

The total number to be admitted will be limited due to space for social distancing. In the event that there are more defendants than appropriate space, then defendants shall provide their name and phone number and wait in their vehicle until called to enter the courtroom.

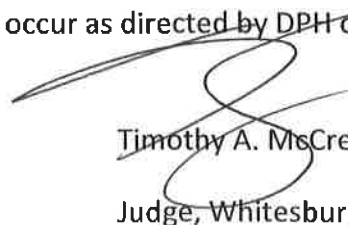
It is highly important that all who enter wear their personal protective mask or equipment and wash their hands.

High-risk defendants, those who are 65 or older, or have compromised immune systems or pre-existing medical conditions may request additional assistance.

Defendants who have small children and do not have child care, or require an interpreter, please contact the clerk of court prior to your court date. (770 834-0848)

With regard to everyone who works in the court facility, any person with known or suspected COVID-19 shall be isolated and any person with COVID-19 exposure likely to result in infection, shall be quarantined in accordance with the DPH Seventh Amended Administrative Order for Public Health Control Measures.

When there is reason to believe that anyone who works or has visited a court facility has been exposed to COVID-19, DPH or the local health department shall be notified and notification of persons who may have been exposed shall occur as directed by DPH or the local health department.



Timothy A. McCreary

Judge, Whitesburg Municipal Court