

Mendocino County Health & Human Services Agency

Healthy People, Healthy Communities

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High Temperatures Return Cooling Stations Open to the Public

The National Weather Service has issued an Excessive Heat Watch for inland Mendocino County for Thursday, August 30, 2017, through Monday, September 4, 2017. Temperatures on these days are expected to reach 100 to 115 degrees. High daytime temperatures are expected to persist through early next week. The coastal regions will be at low to no risk and will not meet the criteria for this event.

High temperatures increase the risk of dehydration and other heat related illnesses. Please be especially mindful of those who have limited mobility or are susceptible to the heat, including children and older adults. It is suggested that individuals attempt to reduce exertion, stay in a cool place when possible, and drink plenty of water to stay hydrated.

The Following Locations Will Provide Cooling Stations for the Community:

Cahto Rancheria Tribal Office

300 Cahto Drive, Laytonville Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Closed Labor Day)

Laytonville Healthy Start

44400 Willis Avenue, Laytonville Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Closed Labor Day) Cooling/Hydration Station

Round Valley Senior Center

77826 Covelo Road, Covelo Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Cooling/Hydration Station

Round Valley Indian Tribe's Tribal Headquarters

77826 Covelo Road, Covelo Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Cooling/Hydration Station

Round Valley Public Library

23925 Howard Street, Covelo Cooling/Hydration Station Tuesday – Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Ukiah Valley Conference Center

200 S. School Street, Ukiah Cooling/Hydration Station Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Ukiah Senior Center

499 Leslie Street, Ukiah Main Hall – Cooling Station Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Ukiah Public Library

105 N. Main Street, Ukiah Cooling/Hydration Station Tuesday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Friday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Willits City Hall

111 E. Commercial Street, Willits Community Center – Cooling/Hydration Station All Days 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Willits Public Library

399 E. Commercial Street, Willits Tuesday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Thursday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

William F. Harrah Senior Center

1501 Baechtol Road, Willits Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Closed Labor Day)

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