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Thread: [Masks mandatory in public places. Thoughts?](#)

Lynx - July 31, 2020, 4:31 am

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What are your thoughts on this?

Exalted - July 31, 2020, 4:33 am

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I 100% agree with this. Forcing civilians to wear/do certain things is generally a bad idea.

Big E - July 31, 2020, 4:35 am

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Long story short, as I feel like writing a book..

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Yin Yang - July 31, 2020, 4:42 am

My state requires that I wear one so I do so.

In places where you can't, excluding sports/activities of that nature, you should.

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Demize - July 31, 2020, 4:45 am

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Stig - July 31, 2020, 4:46 am

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Not my problem you can't comprehend information that requires more brain activity than a colouring page.

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Please just wear a mask.

phunted - July 31, 2020, 4:50 am

Few different places in my area make you wear a mask, usually its within valid reasoning like a grocery store.

Worlds going to shit anyhow.

Exalted - July 31, 2020, 4:54 am

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Okay, so you say you're 'not a big fan of giving Governments more control,' then why do you even in the slightest support this?

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Yes. Basically. But, the N95 for example is another story. The surgical masks dont protect you as well obviously.

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Don't go into public places? Well, now I can't go grocery shopping, can't get to work, can't see my family, can't socialize, and can't do anything. So, no. That is not an option for me.

We will have to agree-to-disagree because I value freedom more.

I do have compassion for others, and also for those who've lost people due to COVID-19, even I did (some far-away family member, didn't even know him until he died).

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Agreed. And I think some of this is to blame with how the CDC flip-flopped and lied to the public. I think there was confusion because early on the CDC lied about this stuff. They knew it was effective, but because there was a shortage of masks they did not want people buying them as they were needed for frontline workers ect. Suddenly when theres stock, they advise it does help and then they require it in stores and its suddenly sold in every store you can find prior to being hard to obtain.

Pretty obvious they knew from the start imo.

SIM-3587630 - July 31, 2020, 5:11 am

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Seen that too. Bit too much of an extremist if you ask me ?

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Some of this shit is just funny to me man. I remember Trump suggesting to inject alcohol.

funtela - July 31, 2020, 5:47 am

I use my mask in public places out of respect for everyone else.

BenCardson - July 31, 2020, 5:52 am

I honestly like wearing a mask, but that's because I'm anti-surveillance. Lots of cameras with facial recognition storing information about you. The mask makes it impossible to identify people.

Vibe - July 31, 2020, 6:00 am

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Injun Joe - July 31, 2020, 6:01 am

It is compulsory to wear mask in my country. I wear whenever I go out not because of order but for safety.

Yanix - July 31, 2020, 7:16 am

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I guess for me it better to be safe than sorry at the end.

Here in our country it was a mandatory and social distancing is a must as well.

funtela - July 31, 2020, 7:18 am

(Jul 31, 2020 05:19 AM)chattermax Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) tired of this corona shit ?

Me too dude. This year has sucked so much ass

Big E - July 31, 2020, 7:28 am

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I think the problem is that a lot of Americans like to rebel against authority just for the sake of it. They don't like any change. Maybe autism was invented in America? Who knows.

Xen - July 31, 2020, 8:04 am

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Well, they are mandatory outside in some cities :/

?aked - July 31, 2020, 9:08 am

I really can not understand why you wouldn't wear a mask?

The only logical answer I can find is that you don't want to be told what to do, and therefor you would rather put your life in danger than to listen.

"Covid is a myth, it won't kill" - maybe, maybe you won't get it, maybe it doesn't exist, maybe this isn't reality, but are you really going to risk your own life just because you don't believe anything you hear? Just because the government lies? Just because you don't like being told to do something?

Not only putting yourself at risk but your family when you go home to them and you all aren't wearing masks, and you that have been out without a mask and without doing anything to protect yourself passing whatever it is that you caught outside to them.

Or maybe you are a very lonely person who lives alone, without parents, maybe without a wife or kids, then yes go ahead, put your own life in danger.

Do I believe I'm going to die from covid? No, I do not.

But am I going to risk catching it and maybe be proven wrong? No, if I can protect myself I will, even if it's stupid.

Better to use a mask, than being stubborn.

Deany - July 31, 2020, 9:10 am

Yeah it's stupid to say the least but they won't let you in or shop there without it.

Marketplace - July 31, 2020, 9:21 am

I don't make a big fuzz about it, but I don't like it either.

Eagle 95 - July 31, 2020, 10:27 am

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The only reason they won't wear one is because they feel like their feelings are more important than someone's life.

BiggL - July 31, 2020, 10:48 am

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I mean if its going to prevent spreading then I agree with it I guess.. I wear my mask when I go out..

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Glad to make it to the top 10.

On giving this a second read, I am going to have to agree with you.

Not sure what I was aiming for.

Prox - July 31, 2020, 11:03 am

Ultimately the fact of the matter is if you don't wear a mask in public and you yawn, cough, sneeze, etc you risk the chance of giving someone a virus you may have (whether or not you're aware you have it). You don't want to give a virus to someone do you? Then stay at home OR wear a mask.

I was wearing a mask before they mandated it, and honestly it doesn't matter if the government is forcing you to wear the mask or not, you SHOULD be wearing a mask in public. If you don't see the benefits of having a mask to lower the risk for yourself and others you're either misinformed, in denial, or just want to argue for the sake of argument.

Like seriously, grow up and just wear the mask.

bluud - July 31, 2020, 11:20 am

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Big E - July 31, 2020, 11:24 am

I think it's just a point of having common respect and decency for your fellow human beings. Wear a mask, protect them, and receive protection instead. It's being made out by OP to be some kind of moral outrage.

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Well I hope I don't get warned for stating my opinion. I would say the same again. I think it's crazy the people who are seeing some kind of dark forces acting to restrict their liberty in this situation.

Don't get me wrong, some dodgy countries... China, Russia etc are jumping on this to further restrict their citizens. That's not happening in the West. Governments are simply trying to keep people alive.

StayPlural - July 31, 2020, 11:30 am

Eight times out of ten I'm running back to my car to get my mask.

Popstar - July 31, 2020, 11:32 am

as a father I appreciate the enforced masks. I don't want these mouth breathing fuckers breathing their virus all over my family. I absolutely avoid taking him places at all costs but sometimes you have to take him into the store. Anyone not wearing a mask I ask them you know there is a fucking virus going around right? Like how dense can you be.

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hopefully as a society we can learn a bit of empathy during this whole situation. you have to view each person in your local grocery store as humans now. they have families, children, friends. etc. it could be almost 100% up to you whether or not they get corona.

Limitado - July 31, 2020, 11:52 am

Its been mandatory for like 2 weeks here in Canada already. Idk dont really like breathing in em

Artisan - July 31, 2020, 12:30 pm

(Jul 31, 2020 04:35 AM)Big E Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Face masks are now compulsory here in the UK on public transport and in shops. Of course it's the right thing to do if it reduces the spread of the virus. Anyone not wearing a face mask in one of these mandated places is just selfish imo.

This and the fact that 'the government is violating my rights by making me wear a mask' is disqualified by the countless people who will be spared from infections and also the huge sums of money (both from the government and out of pocket) that will be saved by just wearing a mask.

itcorp - July 31, 2020, 1:50 pm

in my country, masks are currently only required in stores and places where there are more than 5 people.

Xen - July 31, 2020, 2:36 pm

(Jul 31, 2020 08:27 AM)Lynx Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Well, they are mandatory outside in some cities :/ That's crazy.

I understand why you need them inside but being mandatory outside is a bit far.

racoonsweeeweessucker69 - July 31, 2020, 2:45 pm

Nigga, I'ma wear a mask soon as I start wearing underwear, which is N E V E R

Beherit - July 31, 2020, 2:58 pm

Haven't been anywhere besides the backyard and to my mailbox since April, so haven't the need to put one on yet.

PAXFun - July 31, 2020, 3:33 pm

I'm not supporting forcing people to wear mask.

Bacardi Cola Lime - July 31, 2020, 3:42 pm

Mask are mandatory in every public space indoors. Number of covid cases increased the past few days and the future doesn't look bright despite the fact that we did good so far.

Stig - July 31, 2020, 9:53 pm

(Jul 31, 2020 07:18 AM)funtela Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Me too dude. This year has sucked so much ass want to get my damn car registered man

WHG-1.0 - October 12, 2020, 3:20 am

Face masks personally irritates me a lot, but for safety of self and others, I am following the norms.

Free Kurdistan - October 12, 2020, 3:54 am

It's only mandatory in public transport here which is quite understandable. If everyone did it then it would certainly help and I don't find a problem with it other than economical.

Doom - October 12, 2020, 6:32 am

I don't mind wearing one, if it means I'm being considerate and protecting people I'll do it.

Jinu - October 12, 2020, 7:15 am

In my opinion, wearing a mask is a good thing. Even if it does not completely control Corona, it may help reduce the disease caused by pollutions and other fewer harmful bacterias and viruses.

The government also should teach people how to wear and handle masks. Because most of them don't know how to handle masks, they don't wear them properly. My government insists this "Wear Mask, Wear it Properly." It is important to wear the mask properly unless it is just a useless thing.

Sometimes the mask itself is a big threat to its users because some users may have breathing issues. That kind of person cannot wear a mask for a long time. If they do so, it will cause more problems for that user. The mask companies should produce more innovative masks that should protect more and less harm to the users. Also, produce it in cheap and best quality.

A + - October 12, 2020, 7:16 am

Just wear one. The ones they give you at wal mart look like a wedding garter that you wear on your face.

Charybdis - October 12, 2020, 8:26 am

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HackingGames247 - October 12, 2020, 8:41 am

Me too, but I think it's ridiculous.

7 - October 12, 2020, 8:42 am

Far too little far too late. These idiots put the mask on and off before and after shopping yeah because that stopping the spread.

I like the way they wipe down the trolleys and then dry them with paper that's been handled by everyone.... so thick

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This is true. Im London it does seem that all the hot people are exempt ahhaa.. i took mine off I didn't realise it was based on looks lol

FrostyNugs - October 12, 2020, 8:55 am

Yeah it's the same here in my country but it's not just certain places if you want to go out of your house in any way shape or form you need to wear a mask. The mask is just a form of control it does not stop you from getting the virus. We also have a curfew which I don't think will ever go away I guess this is just a new "normal"

jecoylecoy - October 12, 2020, 8:59 am

I have no problem in wearing mask in public places because it is for our own safety.

YikesAu - October 12, 2020, 10:21 am

Masks are mandatory here too so i dont really have a choice. To me i find it just gets in the way but that happens with alot of things for me. I just try to not leave the house as much as possible and i mean, to be fair the only time i do leave is when i go to school so i dont really wear one that much. 6 hours straight per day though does get kind of annoying.

NRmarketing - October 12, 2020, 7:52 pm

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Yanix - October 12, 2020, 8:04 pm

(Oct 12, 2020 07:52 PM)Bloom™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i hate it but i do it out of respect for others :)
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(Oct 12, 2020 08:09 PM)Bloom™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yea despite however you wanna politicize masks, you can't argue the fact that they DO work. Also take vitamin D
Yeah bro for us we are taking Vitamin C and Multi-Vitamins daily :D
It really helps to boost our immune system.

Mr. Atlas - October 12, 2020, 9:47 pm

I think when in exceptional cases it is normal to react in an exceptional way ...
There are a lot of stupid people in the world if you don't tell them how to protect it ... they don't protect it ;)

Blockonome - October 13, 2020, 3:13 am

Think that we really need to get together as people, guys..... 2020 and people are divided as much as back when we were just pure savages. Times have really changed.

RUS7Y - October 13, 2020, 4:22 am

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Trev - October 13, 2020, 10:20 am

Good, we need to stop the spreading. I'm happy this happened

SIM-4033767 - October 13, 2020, 1:48 pm

Yeah pretty cringe but it is what it is... they already did this in other countries like korea when they were sick.

Nyx - October 13, 2020, 1:58 pm

(Jul 31, 2020 04:35 AM)Lynx Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I 100% agree with this. Forcing civilians to wear/do certain things is generally a bad idea.

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Bossk - October 13, 2020, 2:20 pm
Ridiculous, has zero effect.

Doom - October 13, 2020, 4:02 pm

(Oct 12, 2020 08:59 AM)jecoycoy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have no problem in wearing mask in public places because it is for our own safety.

Right? And it's out of respect for people who are vulnerable to the virus, don't understand people who refuse to wear one.

grady - October 13, 2020, 4:03 pm

(Jul 31, 2020 04:36 AM)Lynx Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How come you think people not wearing a face mask are selfish?

Isn't it something that is supposed to protect the user?

Masks do not protect the user so much as prevent the wearer from spreading it.

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I am convinced you haven't read shit about it or get your info from Facebook.

Masks work and there is an abundance of proof.

Prawnster - October 13, 2020, 4:22 pm

Yeah fine with me, like "oh no gotta put a bit of fabric over ur mouth and nose" idk what the fuss is about, if anything it means if u do bad shit in a crowded place it'll be harder to identify you ;)

K1. - October 13, 2020, 5:10 pm

Better safe than sorry right now I guess

I'd rather have the people around me in masks than not to be honest

Strangely I like being able to wear a mask in a shop etc, I find it weird how these same places would of complained about someone having a hood up only a year ago but now I can walk into a bank/store with a full face mask with no questions asked

ethansucksbigtime - October 13, 2020, 5:51 pm

I often rub it in and around my mouth

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ScorpionX - October 14, 2020, 8:42 am

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No you are wrong.

Multiple studies have determined this.

<https://www.ucsf.edu/news/2020/06/417906/still-confused-about-masks-heres-science-behind-how-face-masks-prevent>

The best hospital in the USA, Mayo Clinic:

<https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/coronavirus/in-depth/coronavirus-mask/art-20485449>

<https://med.stanford.edu/news/all-news/2020/06/stanford-scientists-contribute-to-who-mask-guidelines.html>

You need to lay off the hydrogen peroxide and if I ever see you, I will be taking your tinfoil hat away.

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Anyone who makes a stupid statement like that should have some sort of note added to their medical record: "don't wear a mask while operating this patient, he found the secret rule, masks are there only make us look cool."

SIM-3205632 - October 14, 2020, 10:53 am

I kind of find people that don't wear masks just complete idiotic dipshits. That don't care about their own health so they put others at risk too. If I see a person not wearing a mask in a place they're supposed to I'm beating the fuck out of them.

Kody - October 14, 2020, 10:56 am

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School's are now open preceding summer break, colleges are allowing small classes on campus, lot's of things add to the spread.

Certain area's opened up Bars, Restaurants where they say "social distance", but no one actually does.

Then you have locations like Florida and Georgia where they really just never gave a rats ass about covid19 to begin with.

I am all for freedom of choice, if you choose to forego wearing a mask, then you should be held responsible for anyone that you happen to give the virus to.

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