



With the recent developments surrounding the Coronavirus (COVID-19), we want you to know our number one priority is the health and safety of our employees and customers. McDonald Garden Center Retail locations are mainly comprised of open air environments or greenhouses with many automatic doors, plenty of airflow, and space to avoid crowds and practice social distancing easily. Even though we have a naturally safe shopping and working environment, we all need to be socially responsible by following these simple guidelines:

- The best way to prevent the illness is to avoid being exposed to the virus.
- Wash hands repeatedly throughout the day with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- If soap and water are not available then use hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Stay at home if you are sick, except to get medical care and avoid close contact with those that are sick.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow; throw used tissues in the trash, then immediately wash hands or use hand sanitizer.
- Social Distancing – working with other employees and talking to customers in a safe distance of at least 6 feet.
- Avoid groups larger than 10 people.

In addition to these simple guidelines, McDonald Garden Center will also be asking the following to provide a safe working and shopping situation for all who enter the Garden Center:

- Increased cleaning and disinfecting of work surfaces, checkout areas, and other frequently touched surfaces (tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks).
- Keeping as many doors open as possible if weather permits.
- Availability of hand sanitizer at all checkouts and work stations for employees and customers.

A combination of our naturally safe environment, implementing the guidelines above and being socially responsible will create a safe working and shopping environment for yourself, our employees and all our customers.

Sincerely,  
Mark Anderson, Owner  
McDonald Garden Center

