The following sources are used to determine the South Texas Return to Play Phase and any changes to the current Phase. We consider input from each of the sources and then, as an Executive Committee, decide what is believed to best serve our membership, keeping in mind that the health and safety of the membership is the priority. The sources include:

- State of Texas Executive Order / Mandates
  - US Soccer guidance
  - US Youth guidance
  - Senior Staff input
  - CDC information

Note that due to variances in local (county, city) policies and mandates, these are not part of the decision criteria, but would supersede any South Texas phase guidance for specific locations.

Furthermore, it is expected that associations, clubs, and teams will adhere to South Texas's phase status as well as follow all mandates issued by local, state, or federal government.