

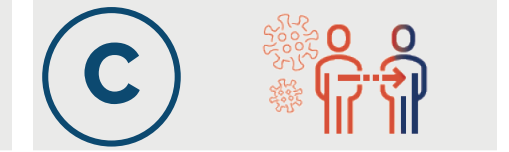




COVID-19 EXPOSURE PROTOCOL - EMPLOYEES

				
<p>COVID-19 POSITIVE EMPLOYEE</p>	<p>SYMPTOMATIC EXPOSURE to A</p>	<p>ASYMPTOMATIC EXPOSURE to A</p>	<p>EXPOSURE to B or C</p>	<p>CONTACT with D</p>
<p>Employee tests positive or deemed presumptive positive by physician.</p> <p>ISOLATION Employee must isolate for a minimum of 10 days and follow recommendations of health professionals. Employee may only return to work after meeting CDC's Discontinuation of Isolation guidelines for non-healthcare:</p> <p>Symptom-based Option</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 hours fever free with no medications; all other symptoms* have improved, and, • 10 days have passed since start of symptoms* <p>Time-based Option (asymptomatic positives only)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 hours fever free with no medications; all other symptoms* have improved, and, • 10 days have passed since start of symptoms* <p>CLOSE FOR CLEANING Temporarily close the worksite for 24 hours prior to deep cleaning the spaces where the employee worked.</p>	<p>Employee has symptoms* following direct contact with someone who tested positive for COVID-19. A medical diagnosis is needed from a healthcare provider.</p> <p>ISOLATION Employee must isolate for a minimum of 10 days and follow recommendations of health professionals. Employee may only return to work after meeting CDC's Discontinuation of Isolation guidelines for non-healthcare:</p> <p>Symptom-based Option</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 hours fever free with no medications; all other symptoms* have improved, and, • 10 days have passed since start of symptoms* <p>CLOSE FOR CLEANING Temporarily close the worksite for 24 hours prior to deep cleaning the spaces where the employee worked.</p>	<p>Employee does not have symptoms* but has been in direct contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19.</p> <p>QUARANTINE Employee must quarantine for a minimum of 14 days, monitor their own symptoms* and report daily to their supervisor. If they begin to have symptoms*, employee should isolate and follow column B protocol.</p>	<p>Employee is in direct contact with either a symptomatic* or asymptomatic individual that has been directly exposed to a COVID-19 positive individual.</p> <p>QUARANTINE if exposed to + B NO QUARANTINE if exposed to C Employee should monitor their own symptoms* and report daily to their supervisor. If they begin to have symptoms* follow 'I Am Sick' decision tree. If the column B or C contact tests positive for COVID-19, employee should follow the appropriate column B or C protocol.</p>	<p>Employee has been in contact with the individual in column D.</p> <p>NO ACTION unless a previous direct exposure is elevated to COVID-19 positive status.</p> <p>TAKE PRECAUTIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice social distancing • Wear a face mask • Wash/sanitize hands frequently • Disinfect surfaces frequently
<p>NOTIFICATION PROTOCOLS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOTIFY your direct supervisor and immediately report all positive cases (clinically-confirmed or presumptive) to: • IDENTIFY team members with whom the positive individual has been in direct contact with in the 48 hours prior to his/her first symptoms*. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct contact means being within 6 feet of the positive individual for > 15 minutes or shared regular touch surfaces, <u>even if face masks were used.</u> • Supervisor will notify <p>and advise team members of protocol steps.</p>			<p>*COVID-19 SYMPTOMS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fever or chills • Cough • Shortness of breath • Difficulty breathing • Fatigue • Muscle or body aches • Headache • New loss of taste or smell • Sore throat • Congestion or runny nose • Nausea or vomiting • Diarrhea <p>Seek immediate emergency medical care if you experience extreme breathing difficult, chest pain/pressure, new confusion, inability to wake or stay awake, or bluish lips or face.</p>	

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