

COVID -19

RECOMMENDATIONS
IN CASE OF A POSITIVE
TEST RESULT



WHAT TO DO IF SOMEONE IN MY ORGANIZATION TESTS POSITIVE FOR COVID-19?



The health and safety of all individuals, from team members to customers, is of utmost importance especially now during this Covid-19 pandemic. Continuity of operations is also vitally important to your financial well being as well as to those who depend on your goods and services.



First and foremost, you must convey to your employees the importance of advising you if they suspect having contracted Covid-19. Assure them that their information is confidential and will not be shared with their peers. Should a positive test result arise, we have compiled the following steps as suggested guidelines to help you navigate through the overwhelming amount of information online.

1- QUARANTINE / SELF-ISOLATION

All individuals who suspect that they may have become infected and are awaiting test results should self-isolate until a result is received. Should the result come back positive a mandatory quarantine period is necessary until such time as a negative test result is achieved. Consult the following website for the latest government recommendations regarding quarantine times:

- <https://www.quebec.ca/en/health/health-issues/a-z/general-information-about-coronavirus/>
- <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html>

2- LIMITING EXPOSURE

Come up with an exhaustive list of co-workers and spaces that the individual came into contact with over the last 14 days. All co-workers listed should be sent home for isolation and testing. This preventive step will mitigate any disruption to your operations and can be the difference between partial disruption (sending a handful of people home) and a complete shutdown (sending everybody home) should the virus spread.

3- DECONTAMINATION

Any spaces that the affected individual came into regular contact with must be prioritized for disinfection. These spaces should be closed off to everybody until they have been properly disinfected. All other spaces that may have been contaminated should be avoided and targeted once the primary areas have been addressed. It is important to choose the method of disinfection that fits your organizational needs.

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4- COMMUNICATION POST DISINFECTION

Transparent communication is necessary to assure your team members and customers that you have taken every step necessary to stem any possible spread. You can include details of the method of decontamination you have deployed as well as its benefits over traditional methods. In your communication you should reinforce the need for personal sanitation practices such as hand washing and reiterate the importance of physical distancing.

Throughout your communication process personal confidentiality must consistently be respected.

5- CONTACT TRACING

Cooperate with local authorities conducting contact tracing actions. On a larger scale, governments are also doing their utmost to mitigate wider ranging virus spreads.

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