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## **MEMBER ALERT**

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As often news and needs warrant, WCMA will distribute special bulletins alerting you to information and resources related to industry operations and coronavirus (COVID-19). Your WCMA staff is here to support you.

## Wisconsin Department of Health Services Releases New COVID-19 Employer Guidance

## PREVENTING MANAGING

COVID-19 OUTBREAKS IN THE WORKPLACE



GUIDANCE FOR EMPLOYERS



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The Wisconsin Department of Health Services has just released "Preventing & Managing COVID-19 Outbreaks in the Workplace" - guidance intended to support employers' efforts to limit the risk of virus transmission and to maintain their business operations.

Included within the 22-page document are:

- A step-by-step guide for what to do, when a worker tests positive for COVID-19
- An explanation of what to expect when working with local public health officials
- A rundown of various tests and testing strategies, including serial testing and how that may expedite a worker's return following close contact with a COVID-19 positive individual

Appendices to the guidance document also offer:

- A workplace controls checklist
- A simple daily screening tool
- A 14-day symptom tracking form, for those placed in quarantine

Have questions? Please call on your WCMA staff at any time.