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# CAL/OSHA URGES EMPLOYERS TO FOLLOW THE STATE'S GUIDANCE ON PROTECTING WORKERS FROM COVID-19

SAN DIEGO—Cal/OSHA is urging all California employers to carefully review and follow the state's COVID-19 workplace safety and health guidance to ensure their workers are protected from the virus. The guidance will help employers comply with their obligations to implement effective measures to train and protect employees at each worksite. State and federal OSHA are becoming more and more active in monitoring and enforcing COVID-19 related issues. Therefore, we again remind all California employers to rigorously review and follow these most recent mandates so as to avoid or minimize potential risk and liability. Visit our COVID-10 portal for easy access to more information.



This News Release of July 16, 2020 urges employers to follow the state's guidance for protecting workers and provides numerous helpful links:

https://www.dir.ca. gov/DIRNews/2020/ 2020-63.html



PDF covers required use of face coverings, worksite specific planning, topics for worker training, individual control measures and screening, cleaning and disinfecting protocols, and physical distancing guidelines for the construction industry:

https://files.covid19. ca.gov/pdf/guidanceconstruction.pdf



This comprehensive DIR web page includes updated information on COVID-19 organized by more than two dozen industries including the construction industry:

https://dir.ca.gov/ dosh/coronavirus/ Health-Care-General-Industry.html



Handy PDF checklist covers contents of written workplace-specific plans, topics for worker training, individual control measures and screening, cleaning and disinfecting protocols, and physical distancing guidelines for the construction industry:

https://files.covid19. ca.gov/pdf/checklistconstruction.pdf

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