COVID-19 Prevention Program (CPP) Overview

COVID-19 Symptoms:
Fever 100.4°F or higher/chills, headache, cough, fatigue, sore throat, diarrhea, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, new loss of taste or smell, muscle or body aches, nausea or vomiting, congestion or runny nose. If you are experiencing any of these symptoms, notify your supervisor and stay at home. Testing for COVID-19 is an important measure to take if you are experiencing these symptoms.

COVID-19 Hazard:
Potentially infectious materials that can contain COVID-19 include: airborne droplets, small particle aerosols, and airborne droplet nuclei; most commonly from a person(s) exhaling, talking or vocalizing, coughing, sneezing, or procedures performed which may aerosolize saliva or respiratory tract fluids.

COVID-19 Testing:
The County will provide employees free COVID-19 testing during an outbreak except for the following:
- Employees who were not present at the workplace during the relevant 14-day period(s).
- Employees who were fully vaccinated before section 3205.1 became applicable to the workplace and who do not have COVID-19 symptoms.
- For COVID-19 cases who did not develop COVID-19 symptoms after returning to work, no testing is required for 90 days after the initial onset of COVID-19 symptoms or, for COVID-19 cases who never developed symptoms, 90 days after the first positive test.

Ways to Protect Yourself from COVID-19:
- If unvaccinated, continue to wear a face covering
- Use alcohol-based hand sanitizer (at least 60%) (Hand sanitizer does not work if your hands are soiled).
- Wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.

Important Guidelines to Follow:
The County requires that you remain off the worksite and report to your supervisor any of the following:
- You are experiencing COVID-19 symptoms;
- You have tested positive for COVID-19;
- A member of your household has tested positive for COVID-19;
- You were in close contact with a COVID-19 positive individual and are under self-quarantine

Additional Resources for You:
- Contact your supervisor if you need face coverings, respirators, hand sanitizer or other disinfecting supplies;
- You may be required to share a county vehicle. Unvaccinated employees must wear a face covering while in the vehicle.
- Vaccinated employees may choose to participate in the Vaccination Status Program. (available in the intranet)
- The County has adopted a COVID-19 Prevention Program (available in the intranet)
- The County has prepared COVID-19 Policies and Guidelines dated July 12, 2021. (available in the intranet)
- The County has prepared a COVID-19 Leave Guide for your rights and benefits under COVID-19 dated May 5, 2021. (available in the intranet)