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OSHA Updates How Employers Record COVID-19 Cases



The U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) issued interim guidance on the duties that employers have when recording cases of COVID-19. These guidelines were issued on April 10, 2020 and will last for the duration of the pandemic.

Work-related cases involving OSHA general criteria need to be reported immediately. A work-related condition includes:

- Exposure to COVID-19 in the work environment causing or contributing to the resulting condition or aggravating a pre-existing illness.

OSHA treats COVID-19 as a recordable illness that can cause missed workdays and, in some cases, death. OSHA will continue to enforce the reporting of all cases and enforce employers to keep implementing good hygiene practices in the workplace to help reduce the effects of COVID-19.

Please visit ***our blog*** for more information.



During this difficult time in our country, employers still need to record any work-related injury or illness, including COVID-19. For concerns regarding the COVID-19 pandemic, contact the **attorneys** at **MacMain, Connell & Leinhauser** at **484-318-7106** or **contact us online** for an initial consultation. Located in West Chester, Pennsylvania, we serve clients throughout Philadelphia, Chester County, and New Jersey.

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