

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

PANDEMIC PROTOCOLS FOR CWA REPRESENTED EMPLOYEES

CWA is concerned with the health and safety of the membership we represent. Our goal is to make sure we are providing our membership with the necessary information and resources to help keep you, your families, your co-workers and our communities as safe as possible.

As the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) continues to affect communities across the globe, CWA leaders are engaging with employers to ensure that they are providing CWA members with comprehensive safety and prevention measures in an environment that encourages open and free communication without fear of reprisal or negative impacts on pay or continued employment.

CWA's Health and Safety department has established a process for Locals to report on what protections employers have put in place as well as for members to report any incidents of exposure or infection. If you have been exposed to COVID-19 or are experiencing symptoms consistent with infection, please contact my office at 800-322-1101 or your CWA Division office immediately.

CWA encourages everyone to take all precautionary measures to ensure your safety. Please review the information provided in the links below and take time to prepare now.

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/stop-the-spread-of-germs.pdf>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/symptoms.html>

https://www.osha.gov/SLTC/covid-19/hazardrecognition.html#exposure_risk

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-in-us.html>

https://www.osha.gov/Publications/influenza_pandemic.html