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SCOPE

This Policy and Procedure applies to:
Blaze Health
Maple Grove Hospital
North Memorial Health Hospital

PURPOSE

Establish emergency policies and procedures to keep our customers, families, and workforce (team member and provider) safe as it relates to quarantine expectations surrounding COVID-19, and positive test cases.

POLICY

Members of the Medical Staff and Professional Staff of North Memorial Health Hospital and Maple Grove Hospital are required to adhere to quarantine guidelines as established by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), and report any travel exposure, community exposure, or positive test for COVID-19 to North Memorial Health’s Team Member Health department.

DEFINITIONS

Community exposure

Community exposure may occur if you interact with a person that is ill with COVID-19. This is more likely to occur in areas that are experiencing sustained community transmission. The risk of contracting the infection is dependent upon the duration, frequency and proximity of exposure.

Team Member Health

Team Member Health is a support department that provides occupational health services to North Memorial Health Hospital, Maple Grove Hospital, and Blaze Health. Team Member Health can be contacted via email TeamMemberHealthCenter@NorthMemorial.com or phone (763) 581-2194.

PROCEDURE

Travel and community exposure

NMH is following the CDC [travel guidance](#) and risk levels for certain countries and types of travel.

- If you are an employed provider of NMH, MGH or Blaze Health and have traveled to one of the high-risk countries (Level 2 or Level 3) designated by the CDC, you will be asked to disclose your travel to Team Member Health and you may be asked to self-quarantine for 14 days, based on your exposure and current CDC guidance.
- If you not-employed but working within a NMH, MGH or Blaze Health facility, and have traveled to one of the high-risk countries (Level 2 or Level 3) designated by the CDC, you are expected to self-quarantine for 14 days and provide notification to Team Member Health.

Further,

- If you are directed by the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) for quarantine for any reason, you are expected to report to Team Member Health and adhere to the quarantine as defined by MDH.
- If you have had a known community exposure, you are expected to notify Team Member Health.
- If you have a positive test result for COVID-19, you are expected to notify Team Member Health.

Workplace exposure

- All suspected workplace exposures to COVID-19 should be reported to Team Member Health immediately for evaluation. If a customer tests presumptively positive for COVID19, Infection Prevention and Team Member Health will assess how that customer interacted with team members and providers. Team members will be notified of any potential exposure to COVID19 and counseled on next steps.

REFERENCES

Centers for Disease Control, Coronavirus Disease 2019 Information for Travel

TABLE OF REVISIONS

Date	Description of Change(s)
03/2020	New policy to address COVID-19