



COVID-19

SAFETY STAND-DOWN WEEK | APRIL 6-10, 2020

Join your fellow Wisconsin contractors for a Safety Stand-Down during the week of April 6-10, 2020 to educate employees on preventing the spread COVID-19 on the job site.



PURPOSE

A Safety Stand-Down is a voluntary event for employers to talk directly to employees about safety. Any workplace can hold a stand-down by taking a break to focus on COVID-19 and reinforcing the importance of the CDC's guidelines.



PARTICIPATION

Assemble the workforce together for 10-15 minutes keeping in mind the CDC's guideline on "social distancing" (min. 6 ft separation). Review the topic agenda and provide time for questions and discussion. To ensure proper "social distancing", you may break up the workforce into multiple groups smaller than 10.



PROMOTION

We encourage you to share your Safety Stand-Down! Please take photos and record participation numbers. Send your email to jeff.roach@agcwi.org. Also share your Stand-Down story on social media, with the hashtag: #StandDown4Safety.

Protect Yourself & Others!

An agenda and facilitating support materials have been provided to help guide your Stand-Down Program. Contact Brent Miller (brent.miller@agcwi.org) or Jim Falbo (jim.falbo@agcwi.org) with any questions.

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COVID-19 Stand-Down Toolbox Talk #2 Protect Yourself

Clean Your Hands Often

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry. • Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

Avoid Close Contact

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Put distance between yourself and other people if COVID-19 is spreading in your community. This is especially important for people who are at higher risk of getting very sick.

Take Steps to Protect Others

- Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care.

Cover Coughs and Sneezes

- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow.
- Throw used tissues in the trash.
- Immediately wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not readily available, clean your hands with a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.

Wear a Facemask If You Are Sick

- If you are sick: **Do Not Go to Work, Stay Home!** You should wear a facemask when you are around other people (e.g., sharing a room or vehicle) and seek medical care. You should wear a facemask before you enter a healthcare provider's office. If you are not able to wear a facemask (for example, because it causes trouble breathing), then you should do your best to cover your coughs and sneezes, and people who are caring for you should wear a facemask if they enter your room.
- **If you are not sick:** You do not need to wear a facemask unless you are caring for someone who is sick (and they are not able to wear a facemask). Facemasks may be in short supply and they should be saved for caregivers.

Clean and Disinfect

- Clean AND disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks.
- If surfaces are dirty, clean them: Clean dirty surfaces with detergent or soap and water prior to disinfection.