



Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) Quick-Reference Flow Charts

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Emergency FMLA (EFMLA)

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Emergency Paid Sick Leave (EPSL)

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Unable to work or remotely work due to:

- 1. EE is subject to Federal, State, or local quarantined or isolated order related to COVID-19 (does not include worksite closure due to shelter-in-place order)
- 2. EE advised by health care professional to self-quarantine due to concerns related to COVID-19
- 3. EE is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 and seeking medical diagnosis
- 4. EE is caring for an individual subject to quarantine or isolation by Federal, State, or local order or by direction of health care professional
- 5. EE is caring for child because of school or childcare facility closure
- 6. EE is experiencing any other substantially similar condition specified by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services



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The following chart is our current understanding of the possible application of benefits available to employees in response to the COVID-19 crisis under federal law:

Employee		Earned Sick Leave	Emergency FMLA	Emergency PSL	Unemployment Insurance
1	has COVID-19 -or- Similar symptoms and seeking medical diagnosis	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\bigcirc	\bigotimes
2	was unable to work because of school or daycare closure for a public health reason	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigotimes
3	was exposed while at work and required to self-quarantine	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\bigcirc	\otimes
4	was laid off or placed on furlough	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigcirc
5	cannot work because employer is considered "non-essential," and subject to closing order as deemed by the government	\otimes	\otimes	\otimes	\bigcirc
6	has a reduction in hours due to adversity in business, or slowdown	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigcirc
7	is "self distancing" and refusing to attend work	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\otimes	\otimes
8	has been advised by doctor to self- quarantine due to weakened immune system	\bigcirc	\otimes	\bigcirc	\bigotimes
9	is caring for a family member that has tested positive for COVID-19	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\bigcirc	\bigotimes
Healthcare employee					
11	is forced to self-quarantine due to exposure while on the job	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\bigcirc	\bigotimes
Employer					
10	does not comply with government order and continues to operate business as usual; Employee refuses to attend work	\bigcirc	\bigotimes	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
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