

# **Emergency Paid Sick Leave**

#### UPDATED March 23,2020 Effective Date 04/01/2020 to 12/31/2020

This is not Retroactive, does not pre-empt State or local Paid Leave Laws, does not diminish Employers current leave policy - this is a New Bank of Sick Leave

## **Covered Employers**

1-499 Employees

## **Employee Eligibility**

All employees regardless of length of service - healthcare workers and first responders may be excluded

#### **Reason for Leave**

- 1. Quarantined or isolated by federal, state or local order (100% of Regular rate of Pay)
- 2. Self-quarantined by health care provider (due to COVID-19 concerns) (100% of Regular rate of Pay)
- 3. Experiencing Symptoms of COVID-19 and seeking medical diagnosis (100% of Regular rate of Pay)
- 4. Caring for individual under #1 or #2 (2/3 pay)
- 5. Caring for a child whose school or place of care is closed due to COVID-19 (2/3 pay)
- 6. Employee is experiencing any other substantially similar condition (2/3 pay)

### **Duration of Leave**

- Full-time employees 80 hours of paid sick leave
- Part-time employees equal to 2-weeks of average hours (previous 6 months or previous work schedules)

# **Rate of Pay**

Regular Rate of Pay

## **Sick Leave Pay Cap by Reasons**

Reasons 1, 2 and 3 - \$511 per day / \$5,110 total Reasons 4, 5, and 6 - \$200 per day/\$2,000 total

### **Special Notes**

- Employers cannot require Employees to use Paid Leave Benefits first
- The Secretary of Labor reserves the right to excluded Healthcare workers and first responders and exempt small business with **fewer than 50 employees** if business viability was jeopardized.