Return-to-Work Town Hall: Part 6

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Introduction
Today’s Topics

- Return-to-Work Plans for Atrium Health Teammates
- COVID-19 Testing Q&A
- Risk Level by Activity & Update on New Services
- General Q&A

Today’s meeting is being recorded and will be available following the event.
Return-to-Work Plans for Atrium Health Teammates
Remote Work
To Be Continued…

- Established multi-disciplinary work group
- Surveyed leaders and teammates
- Presented key findings and recommendations
- Safety remains a top priority
Remote Work

• Setting up home office
• Tracking company assets
• Connecting remotely
Re-Entry As-Needed

• Behavioral Guidelines
• Environmental Guidelines
• Privacy Still Matters
COVID-Safe Behaviors

- Avoid working when you’re feeling sick
- Social distance when eating/drinking and at work
- Notify Teammate Health of potential exposures or infection
- Wash your hands frequently
- Cover your mouth when coughing/sneezing
- Follow masking guidelines/wear PPE
COVID-19 Testing Q&A
Large national laboratories have said their testing capacity is coming under strain with the surge in COVID-19 cases.

- How will that impact our ability to access testing in our community?
- What is Atrium Health doing to ensure testing is accessible moving forward?
Last week, NC announced a new statewide standing order that eliminates the need for COVID-19 testing sites to require a provider referral for testing.

What does that mean for Atrium Health?
Questions

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➢ If an employee had COVID-19 or was exposed to someone with COVID-19, should a negative test result be required for the employee to return to work?

➢ Similarly, would requiring two negative test results to return to work following a COVID-19 infection be considered best practice?
Are the number of COVID-19 cases truly rising or do they just appear to be rising due to increased testing?
As employers work to bring employees back into the physical workplace, is it recommended or reasonable to require a negative COVID-19 test from each employee in order for them to return to work?
What are your thoughts on the point-of-care diagnostic tests that are currently available for COVID-19?
Risk Levels by Activity & Update on New Services
Know Your Risk During COVID-19

LOW RISK
- Opening the mail
- Pumping gasoline
- Playing tennis
- Grocery shopping
- Staying at home
- Eating in a restaurant
- Having dinner at a friend's house
- Sending a package
- Visiting an elderly relative

Low-Moderate
- Going to a doctor's office
- Playing golf
- Going out for two nights
- Spending an hour at a playground
- Attending a baseball game
- Going to a bar or a concert
- Going to a friend's house
- Visiting a wedding
- Hugging or shaking hands

MODERATE RISK
- Going to a library or museum
- Going to a grocery store
- Going to a restaurant (outside)
- Attending a backyard barbecue
- Going to a funeral
- Taking a plane
- Going to a restaurant (inside)
- Attending a wedding or funeral
- Playing basketball
- Going to a sports event

Moderate-High
- Going out for one night
- Going to a bar or a concert
- Going to a restaurant (outside)
- Going to a friend's house
- Visiting a wedding
- Attending a wedding or funeral
- Playing basketball
- Going to a sports event
- Going to a large religious service

HIGH RISK
- Going to a library or museum
- Going to a grocery store
- Going to a restaurant (inside)
- Going to a restaurant (outside)
- Going to a friend's house
- Visiting a wedding
- Attending a wedding or funeral
- Playing basketball
- Going to a sports event
- Attending a large religious service
- Going to a bar or a concert

Source: Be Informed: Know Your Risk During COVID-19, Texas Medical Association, www.texasmed.org

Mercer
On-Site Post-Exposure Testing

Provides COVID-19 diagnostic testing for asymptomatic employees following a worksite exposure.

- Testing is conveniently delivered at the worksite, eliminating access barriers
- Specimens are collected with a less invasive nasal swab technique
- Employers will receive a report with all test results following the testing event

Questions: Covid19RTW@AtriumHealth.org
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Q&A
Questions?
We will continue to provide employers with guidance.

Where to go for additional information:
Email Covid19RTW@AtriumHealth.org with questions, topic suggestions for the next Town Hall, or to request more information on Atrium Health COVID-19 screening and testing.
Thank you.