

What should a restaurant do if an employee tests positive for COVID-19 or has symptoms associated with COVID-19?

- If an employee tests positive for COVID-19 they are not allowed at work
- If an employee has ANY of the following symptoms associated with COVID-19 they are not allowed to work
 - ✓ 100.4° F [38.0° C] or greater using an oral thermometer
 - ✓ Cough
 - ✓ shortness of breath

When can an employee who test positive for COVID-19 or has shown symptoms associated with COVID-19 return to work?

- Employees must be free of symptoms for at least 3 days (72 hours) without the use of fever-reducing medicine or cough suppressants AND at least 7 days have passed since symptoms first appeared.

What should a restaurant do if an employee was working who tested positive for COVID-19?

******If an employee tests positive for COVID-19 please call 801-851-7525******

- Identify potentially exposed individuals having close contact starting 48 hours before symptoms were present.
- Generally this means individual less than 6 feet from the infected individual for a prolonged period of time (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/public-health-recommendations.html>)
- Short term exposure, such as walking past someone, is not “close contact”.
- Individual in close contact should self-monitor symptoms (e.g., cough, sore throat, shortness of breath and/or fever of 100.4° F) by staying at home for 14 days since the time they may have been exposed.
- Follow proper disinfection procedures.
- Self-monitor while awaiting test results.
- Utah County Health Department will not confirm if an employee has tested positive. This verification needs to come from the employee to the employer.

What if an employee was exposed to someone with COVID-19 while not working?

- Individual should self-monitor symptoms (e.g., cough, sore throat, shortness of breath and/or fever of 100.4° F) by staying at home for 14 days since the time they were exposed.

How Can We clean Our Restaurant?

- The restaurant does not need to close but may consider a short term stop of operations to clean and disinfect.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces to limit employee/visitor/customer exposure. (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/organizations/cleaning-disinfection.html>)
- Special attention should be paid to high contact surfaces such as: doorknobs, touch screens, control panels, time clocks, tabletops, breakroom/cafeteria facilities, handrails, handwashing stations, workstations and restroom facilities.
- Food does not need to be thrown away.

IF SYMPTOMS SHOULD EVER OCCUR ENCOURAGE ALL EMPLOYEES TO CALL (844-442-5224) OR VISIT www.testutah.com