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COVID-19 INFORMATION

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ESSENTIAL SERVICE WORKERS

Before entering the NWT

- A Worker Self-Isolation Plan (W-SIP) and Permission to Work (PTW) must be approved by Protect NWT before you arrive in the territory. An application should be submitted at least two weeks in advance.



SELF-ISOLATION WITH PERMISSION TO WORK

- You must follow all requirements outlined in the W-SIP and PTW, such as:
 - Goods such as groceries or mail must be delivered in a contact-free manner.
 - You must be in self isolation at all times you are not working; no grocery shopping, dine-in restaurants or social events.
 - Isolate immediately, and contact Protect NWT if you are aware of being in contact with a known COVID-19 positive case or outbreak.
 - Self isolate in a separate residence away from individuals who have not travelled with you from out of territory. Otherwise, the entire household must self-isolate with you.



WHILE WORKING

- Wear a mask at all times.
- Stay two metres away from co-workers/public whenever not required for your job.
- Do not share work items such as tools or other equipment; disinfect all items after use.
- Do not travel unless approved in your SIP.
- Conduct work remotely and away from others when possible.



SYMPTOM CHECKS

- Complete and submit the required symptom check form to Protect NWT online or by calling 811 on days 2, 6, 10 and 14 of self-isolation.
- Monitor for symptoms continuously. If you feel sick contact local public health immediately.

Penalties

- Failure to abide by the Public Health Orders of the Chief Public Health Officer may result in:
 - Fine up to \$1500
 - Court summons
 - In extreme circumstances, arrest

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- 1-833-378-8297 (toll free)
- 811 (in NWT only)
- protectnwt@gov.nt.ca