

Recent PA Order Addresses On-site Temperature Checks

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The most recent order from the Pennsylvania Governor's office and the Pennsylvania Department of Health included a number of directives – one requiring that masks be worn by employees in and around FirstEnergy service centers, office buildings, in the public and on job sites where practical and safe, [with a few exceptions](#).

The order also included a requirement for companies to conduct on-site temperature scans for all employees working at a facility or location where an employee has tested positive for COVID-19 or is presumed positive, after April 19 when the order went into effect.

If onsite temperature checks are required at a certain FirstEnergy location, leadership will notify those employees who report to that location.

Remember, all employees are required to take their temperatures at home or on the work site before starting work. Any employee who has experienced a fever (100.4°F or higher), cough, chills, sore throat, shortness of breath, headache, or other symptoms indicative of COVID-19 within the last 24-48 hours **should stay home**. Then, contact their supervisor or local HR representative, and follow up with their primary care physician.

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