Q & A for Plant Workers

COVID-19 Outbreak Info – Harmony Beef

Q: Is there an updated list of how Coronavirus presents? Is diarrhoea a new way it presents?

A: 
1. How long are you contagious, once you get COVID?

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2. Is it true that an estimated 1 in 4 Coronavirus carriers could be Asymptomatic?

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3. When is it safe for recovered employees to return to work?

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4. About the Illness: (About the Illness:)

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5. How long are you contagious, once you get COVID?

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19. About the Illness: (About the Illness:)

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20. How long are you contagious, once you get COVID?

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22. About the Illness: (About the Illness:)

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25. About the Illness: (About the Illness:)

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5. **Do infected and asymptomatic persons shed the virus enough to infect others?**
   - Yes. This corona virus can live on metals, woods and other things for hours and days. Does the viral load matters for the degree of transmission from person to person or a minimum number of the virus can cause the disease?

6. **How contagious can an asymptomatic person be?**
   - Yes. We have learned that this corona virus can live on metals, woods and other things for hours and days. Does the viral load matters for the degree of transmission from person to person or a minimum number of the virus can cause the disease?

7. **Should I go back to work if the test is negative again? (If you had initially tested negative but suddenly developed light symptoms like feverish sensation and running nose and was asked to be retested but feels better. Is it safe to return to work?)**
   - Yes. We have learned that this corona virus can live on metals, woods and other things for hours and days. Does the viral load matters for the degree of transmission from person to person or a minimum number of the virus can cause the disease?

8. **When I first tested my test came back negative. Two days later I felt feverish again so I called 811 and was asked to come in for testing again. Should I go back to work if the test is negative again?**
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9. **Does Is it safe to return to work if the test is negative again?**
   - Yes. We have learned that this corona virus can live on metals, woods and other things for hours and days. Does the viral load matters for the degree of transmission from person to person or a minimum number of the virus can cause the disease?
10. **If you have no symptoms, can you test positive?**
   - Yes, as long as they feel well.
   - No, if they're feeling well.

11. **People who don’t show symptoms can also spread the virus. Why not test everyone?**
   - To reduce confusion around those who are not infected but who may be living with those who are symptomatic and isolating.

12. **I tried to do the online assessment, but I don’t understand the questions. What other options does AHS have?**
   - Visit the AHS website.
   - Call Health Link 811.

13. **I’m wondering if you can talk more about isolation as there is much confusion around those who are not infected but who may be living with those who are positive or symptomatic and isolating. Sometimes it is unclear to those in that situation whether they have to isolate as well if they’re feeling well.**

14. **If there is a confirmed case in the household, what should the other people in that household do?**
   - Self-isolate.
   - Practice physical distancing.

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15. Why is it that some people in my household have gotten COVID-19 and other people in my same household haven't? (Why is it that some people in my household have gotten COVID-19 and other people in my same household haven't?)

16. What is your opinion on wearing gloves versus wearing no gloves and using sanitizer when possible in the workplace?

17. Please explain mask protocol and safe handling of used/dirty masks. How long are masks good for? What if they get wet/dirty?

18. Will we get a fresh mask to wear back to work in the morning if we are carpooling?
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19. What is the current procedure for new employees coming to the plant? Are they being tested before they start work?

- AHS and MOH have set up a system where new employees must be tested before they start work. (MOH) has recommended that all employees be tested within 28 days of arriving. AHS recommends that the MOH (MHR) be notified of any negative results.
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20. Do you consider it safe to continue the production at Harmony even though many people haven’t been tested?

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