



Informational Bulletin

COVID-19 Sick Leave

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Fauquier County Fire and Rescue has continuously supported personnel safety and wellbeing during the COVID 19 virus pandemic. Striving to keep our workforce safe and healthy we have instituted best practice safety measures system wide to include: advanced personal protective equipment, in-station footwear, enhanced N95 respirators, weekly decontamination of transport units, daily health screenings, telemedicine services and affording the COVID 19 vaccine to all system personnel.

With full support from County Administration, we have remained advocates for employee health and wellness; offering the opportunity for all employees to have utilized “excused detail” time off, to promote quarantine mandates or to recover from COVID related illnesses.

After February 2, 2021 the Fire and Rescue department will continue to utilize paid time off for non-workplace exposures, although personal sick leave will be the form of leave utilized in lieu of “Excused Detail”. If a workplace exposure is suggested, personnel should petition for another form of leave to be used. All workplace exposures shall follow proper reporting measures, and each case will be reviewed by Marathon Health, Human Resources, Fire Rescue Infection Control Officer, and the Fire Rescue Assistant Chief.

Any questions regarding this Informational Bulletin should be directed to Assistant Chief Michael Gillam.