## **COVID-19 EMPLOYEE LEAVE QUICK GUIDE**

COVID-19 Scenario	New York State Paid Sick Leave	Typical Family and Medical Leave Act	Families First Coronavirus Response Act: Emergency FMLA (PHEL)	Families First Coronavirus Response Act: Emergency Paid Sick Leave
Eligibility	Benefit amount is dependent on employer size and revenue: <u>Click here</u> <u>for more details.</u>	Private employers with 50 or more employees; public agencies of any size: <u>Click here</u> for more details.	Certain public employers, and private employers with fewer than 500 employees	Certain public employers, and private employers with fewer than 500 employees
Employee is severely ill with COVID-19.	Yes, if an individual is under an order of quarantine.**	Yes, if employee is subject to FMLA and meets requirements.	No	Up to 80 hours (pro- rated for part time employees) to FFCRA maximums.
Employee is caring for family member who is severely ill with COVID-19.	Yes, if you have an eligible family member who contracts COVID-19, you may be able to take Family Care to care for them, if it's considered a serious health condition.	Yes, if the employer is subject to FMLA and employee meets requirements.	No	Up to 80 hours (pro- rated for part-time employees) to FFCRA maximums. Includes caring for an individual, not just a family member.
Employee was exposed and quarantined*; business is open.	Yes, if an individual is under an order of quarantine.**	No	No	Up to 80 hours (pro- rated for part-time employees) to FFCRA maximums.
Employee was exposed and quarantined*; business is closed.	No, employees may be eligible for Unemployment Insurance.	No	No	No
Schools are closed because of COVID-19 and employee has no childcare	Possibly - If the school is closed due to a mandatory or precautionary order of quarantine or isolation, then yes.	No	Yes, up to 12 weeks of leave to FFCRA maximums.	Up to 80 hours (pro- rated for part-time employees) to FFCRA maximums.

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Employee has compromised immune system and is advised to self-quarantine.*	No	No	No	Up to 80 hours (pro- rated for part-time employees) to FFCRA maximums.
Employee is afraid of gathering in a group and refuses to go to work.	No	No	No	No
Employee is able to telework.	No	No	No	No
Employer reduces available hours due to business slowdown.	No	No	No	No
Employer must shut down due to city or state requirement.	No	No	No	No

\*Quarantine advised by a healthcare provider

\*\*If you are under a mandatory or precautionary order of quarantine or isolation issued by the State, New York State Department of Health, local Board of Health, or other authorized government entity you may be eligible for job-protected sick leave and compensation through a combination of disability and Paid Family Leave benefits. Please see the NYS definition of a quarantine order found <u>here</u>. With a link to the Fact Sheet <u>here</u>.

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