

What is the Coronavirus?

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a respiratory disease caused by the Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)-CoV-2 virus. The current mutation is a new strain of the SARS virus and no individual has any immunity prior to an exposure. The CDC has reported that testing has begun on a vaccine but for now, everyone should prepare and plan for possible impacts resulting from COVID-19. It has spread from China to many other countries around the world, including the United States.



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N95-Rated Mask and Other Medical PPE Priority Screening Survey

- Our company is aware there is a severe shortage of N95 or equivalent rated medical masks and other equipment that is needed in health care facilities for those treating COVID-19 patients.
- □ Our company is aware in order to ease the extreme medical PPE shortages, the Federal Government and the CDC has recommended using facial covering(s) other than a minimum N95 or greater rated face masks as a means of supplementing social distancing practices.
- □ Our company is performing electrical work in a medical facility or other medical laboratory that has direct exposure to the COVID-19 hazards and that N95 or equivalent masks are is required in addition to other PPE for the tasks/hazards involved.
- □ Our company is performing electrical work in a health care facility or other medical environment that has direct exposure to the COVID-19 hazards and that N95 or equivalent masks are required in addition to other PPE for the electrical trade tasks/ hazards involved.
- □ Our company is performing electrical work in an environment that requires a minimum N95 rated protection from exposure to hazards other than COVID-19.
- □ Our company is working on a construction site that has a general contractor and assigned safety management team.
- Our company has an individual(s) (safety director, safety manager, safety coordinator, VP of Safety, etc.) that is directly responsible for managing safety matters for the entire organization.
- Our company has and uses an infectious Exposure Control Plan (ECP) as part of our overall Safety Program and Safety Management System.
- Our company uses a Respiratory Protection Program (RPP) included in our overall Company Safety Program and safety management system.
- Our company has and performs Risk Assessment Processes (RAP) to determine the minimum level of PPE required for employees exposed to hazards, including exposure to hazards related to the spread of COVID-19.
- Our company has a purchasing agent through whom all jobsite tools, electrical, materials, safety and personal protective equipment (PPE) are ordered, requested/ purchased.
- □ Our company is currently performing electrical work on a construction site that has implemented specific safety rules and requirements related to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- □ Our company is performing electrical work as a subcontractor to an owner or general contractor that is responsible for the overall safety on the project.