



COVID-19 Screening Tools



Keeping Employees Safe



Employers are trying to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 as workplaces reopen. Most experts agree that the best way to keep employees safe is to make sure they do not come to work sick, practice social distancing and the use of masks when at work and keeping the workplace clean and sanitized.

The use of screening tools can help employers in keeping employees and clients or customers safe and secure in the work environment. However, must be cautious not to encroach on personal health data that would be protected under privacy and employment laws. Employers can require employees to participate in a temperature check when they come into work. But they cannot ask workers about their medical history that may or may make them at a higher risk for the virus and must keep any screening results confidential.

There are new COVID-19 screening tools and resources available for employers who do not want to risk issues that could arise when doing their own internal screenings. RHSB has identified a few options you may want to consider.

[Healthcheck360](#) provides a number of COVID-19 resources for employers including a Daily Symptom Tracker, On-Site Temperature Screenings, Case Management, Antibody Testing and Diabetes Condition Management.

[Workplace Screening System](#) is a website employees can access on their smartphone or computer to login their temperatures and answer a series of screening questions.

Microsoft and UnitedHealth Group have joined forces to launch [ProtectWell](#), an innovative return-to-workplace protocol that enables employers to bring employees back to work in a safer environment. ProtectWell helps employees determine they are safe to go to work, co-workers know their colleagues have been screened, and employers feel confident that their workplace is ready to do business. The ProtectWell app is free and incorporates CDC guidelines to limit the spread of COVID-19 and support the health and safety of the workforce and workplace.

Please let us know if you are interested in learning more about these resources. We want a successful and safe return to work for you and your employees.

Thanks,

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