



## MINNESOTA PROTECTIONS RELATED TO COVID-19

### **UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS**

To get more information or to apply, visit <https://www.uimn.org/> or call 866-814-1252

Governor Walz issued a March 16, 2020 executive order to better enable workers affected by the COVID-19 pandemic to access unemployment benefits.

For more information, visit <https://www.uimn.org/applicants/needtoknow/news-updates/covid-19.jsp>

### **MINNESOTA HUMAN RIGHTS ACT (MHRA)**

If you have a disability that affects your risk for contracting COVID-19 or being harmed if you do contract the virus, you have the right to request a reasonable accommodation from your employer.

For more information, contact the department 651-359-1133 or email [info.mdhr@state.mn.us](mailto:info.mdhr@state.mn.us) or complete a consultation inquiry form at <https://mn.gov/mdhr/intake/consultationinquiryform/>

### **WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH (OSHA)**

To get more information about workplace safety and health related to COVID-19, visit <http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workplace-safety-and-health/mnosha-compliance-novel-coronavirus-covid-19> or call 651-284-5050

### **WORKER'S COMPENSATION**

Call the Department of Labor and Industry at 800-342-5354 (press 3) if you have a question about whether you are entitled to workers' compensation benefits.

### **FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT (FMLA)**

Call the U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division at 877-487-9243 with questions or see U.S. DOL'S COVID-19 FMLA Guidance <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/fmla/pandemic>

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