

CONSTRUCTION

This includes residential, commercial and industrial construction.

AVERAGE LEVEL OF CUSTOMER INTERACTION



Work requires face-to-face interactions and some work in close quarters.

EMPLOYEE + CUSTOMER PROTECTION



- Employees working within six feet of someone else should wear masks.
- Provide instructions for the distribution of personal protective equipment and designate on-site locations for soiled masks.
- Encourage or require the use of work gloves, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact with contaminated surfaces.



- Identify choke points and high-risk areas where workers must stand near one another (such as hallways, hoists and elevators, break areas, water stations and buses) and control their access and use (including through physical barriers) so that social distancing is maintained.
- Restrict unnecessary movement between project sites.
- Create protocols for minimizing personal contact upon delivery of materials to the worksite.



- Conduct a daily entry screening protocol for workers, contractors, suppliers, and any other individuals entering a worksite. The screening should include:
 - A questionnaire that covers symptoms and potential exposure to people with or suspected of having COVID-19.
 - Temperature checks, if possible (as soon as no-touch thermometers can be obtained).
 - Visit www.kentcountybacktowork.com to learn how you can participate in the Kent County Back to Work Health Check program.
 - Create dedicated entry point(s) at every worksite, if possible, for daily screening. Issue stickers or other indicators to workers who have been screened to show that they received a screening before entering the worksite that day.



- Ensure there are sufficient handwashing or hand-sanitizing stations at the worksite to enable easy access by workers. Provide disposable paper towels and waste receptacles.
- All equipment, materials, and tools should be sanitized at the beginning of the workday and upon delivery by a third party.



- Designate a site-specific supervisor to monitor and oversee the implementation of COVID-19 control strategies. The supervisor must remain on-site at all times during activities. An on-site worker may be designated to perform the supervisory role.
- Notify contractors (if a subcontractor) or owners (if a contractor) of any confirmed COVID-19 cases among workers at the worksite.
- Send potentially exposed workers home upon identification of a positive case of COVID-19 in the facility.
- Encourage workers to self-report to supervisor as soon as possible after developing symptoms of COVID-19.
- In all cases, follow guidelines for staff exposures and symptoms. <https://www.accesskent.com/Health/pdf/COVID-19/Staff-Symptom-Reporting.pdf>

MORE CONSTRUCTION RESOURCES

Construction Association of Michigan

<https://buildwithcam.com/2020/03/12/coronavirus/>

Associated General Contractors of Michigan

<https://www.agcmichigan.org/>

Home Builders Association of Michigan

<https://hbaofmichigan.com/#/covid-19-information>

ABC Michigan Associated Builders and Contractors

<https://www.abcmi.com/News/COVID-19>