

BLR Adapts Health Protocols

The effects of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) panic have caused a massive change to the lives of people. With this, the Bureau of Labor Relations observe strict health protocols in the workplace to reduce the transmission of COVID-19.

Before entering the workplace, workers must wear face masks at all times and can only remove the same when eating and drinking.

All employees as well as the clients are also required to accomplish health checklist form, undergo temperature check, and have them recorded in the health symptoms questionnaire.

If a worker has a temperature of $> 37.5^{\circ}\text{C}$, even after a 5-minute rest, the person shall be isolated in the BLR Conference Room and will not be allowed to enter the workplace premises.

Disinfection of facilities and touched objects including doorknobs and handles are done every two hours

Physical distancing, proper respiratory etiquette and disinfection protocols should also be observed. Eating in common areas and engaging in conversations are also discouraged. At the same time, prolonged face to face interaction with workers and clients are discouraged.

The protocol of the BLR is aligned with the minimum requirement of the Department of Health. As of the moment, there were no recorded workers with COVID-19 disease in the workplace.

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