

COVID -19 Health and Safety Protocols

(STAFF)

<u>Time Off for COVID-19 Vaccine</u>

Newly enacted *Labor Law § 196-c and Civil Service Law § 159-c* impacting all employers in New York allow public and private employees time off to receive the COVID-19 vaccine. The new legislation grants employees up to four hours of excused leave per injection and is not charged against any other leave including NY's Paid Sick Leave.

Staff who wish to utilize this benefit should coordinate with their supervisor. Any staff who may have already utilized personal time beginning March 15, 2021 to secure a vaccination will be reimbursed up to four hours and should contact the Human Resources department.

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