



EMPLOYEE ILLNESS - REPORTING, EXCLUSION, AND RESTRICTION

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A person in charge must exclude an employee if the employee is:

- Symptomatic with vomiting or diarrhea
- Jaundiced
- Symptomatic with a sore throat and fever if working with a highly susceptible population

* Reinstatement of a food employee who was excluded with these symptoms if the employee is asymptomatic for at least 24 hours or provides written medical documentation from a health practitioner that states the symptom is from a noninfectious condition.

An employee must report to the person in charge if experiencing the following symptoms:

Vomiting

Diarrhea

Jaundice

Sore throat & fever

A person in charge must exclude an employee AND report to the local health authority if an employee has an illness diagnosed by a health practitioner due to:

- Norovirus
- Hepatitis A Virus
- Shigella
- E. coli
- Salmonella

Report these illnesses to:

Nebraska Department of Agriculture
Food Safety and Consumer Protection
(402) 471-3442

The local health authority will provide guidance on reinstatement of any employee diagnosed with a reportable illness.