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## **Kansas District and Appellate Court COVID-19 Personnel Policies**

The judicial branch has implemented COVID-19 policies since the beginning of the pandemic in March of 2020. At this stage in the pandemic, less COVID-19 specific policies are needed. This document explains COVID-19-specific personnel policies still in place. These policies should be read in conjunction with the Kansas Court Personnel Rules.

### **Isolation and Masking**

Kansas district and appellate courts must follow the guidance for isolation and masking at the following link: [Isolation and Precautions for People with COVID-19 | CDC](#).

The current CDC guidance closely tracks with our prior COVID-19 Exposure, Leave Benefits, and Return to Work Guide and eliminates the need to update judicial branch policy if CDC guidance changes.

As a reminder, currently, COVID-19 exposure alone no longer requires quarantine, but employees must take other precautions like wearing a high-quality mask.

### **COVID-19 Sick Leave**

The judicial branch will provide COVID-19 Sick Leave through December 31, 2023, for eligible employees, as set out in the Coronavirus-19 Leave Options and Procedures policy.

### **Questions**

Questions about these policies should be directed to:

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