

AUTORIZACIÓN ESENCIAL DE TRABAJO DE EMPLEADOS AGRICOLAS Y ALIMENTARIOS

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SUMINISTRO DE ALIMENTOS Según lo definido por el gobierno federal, el suministro de alimentos constituye una infraestructura crítica desde la granja hasta la mesa e incluye activos, sistemas, redes y funciones que brindan servicios vitales a la naciónⁱ. Es esencial que la infraestructura crítica y las cadenas de suministro definidas por el gobierno federal estén protegidas, y que todos los elementos pertenecientes al suministro de alimentos permanezcan operativos, incluida una fuerza laboral que es vital para la producción del suministro de alimentos.

El TRABAJO es un componente vital para el suministro de alimentos, desde la granja hasta la mesa. A medida que las comunidades estatales y locales consideran las restricciones relacionadas con COVID-19, priorizan las actividades relacionadas con la continuidad de las operaciones y la respuesta a incidentes, incluido el movimiento apropiado de trabajadores de infraestructura crítica dentro y entre jurisdicciones.

La Orden Ejecutiva N-33-20, del Gobernador Gavin Newsom, ordena a 'todas las personas en el Estado de California que se queden en sus hogares o en su lugar de residencia, excepto cuando sea necesario para mantener la continuidad de las operaciones de los sectores federales de infraestructura crítica ', como se indica en el Departamento de Seguridad Nacional.

"Si trabaja en una industria de infraestructura crítica, como lo define el Departamento de Seguridad Nacional, tiene la responsabilidad especial de mantener su horario de trabajo normal".

_____ [Insertar nombre del empleado] es un empleado de _____ [Insertar nombre de la granja / nombre comercial], y está autorizado a viajar hacia y desde el trabajo según la directiva oficial del estado de Californiaⁱⁱ que está de acuerdo con el documento de orientación federalⁱⁱⁱ

*Descargo de responsabilidad * Los empleadores que ofrecen este documento a sus empleados deben cumplir con todos los protocolos y estándares de seguridad ofrecidos por los CDC para evitar la propagación de COVID -19^{iv} **

ⁱ Guidance on the Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce 3/19/20 FOOD AND AGRICULTURE Workers supporting groceries, pharmacies and other retail that sells food and beverage products
Restaurant carry-out and quick serve food operations - Carry-out and delivery food employees
Food manufacturer employees and their supplier employees—to include those employed in food processing (packers, meat processing, cheese plants, milk plants, produce, etc.) facilities; livestock, poultry, seafood slaughter facilities; pet and animal feed processing facilities; human food facilities producing by-products for animal food; beverage production facilities; and the production of food packaging
Farm workers to include those employed in animal food, feed, and ingredient production, packaging, and distribution; manufacturing, packaging, and distribution of veterinary drugs; truck delivery and transport; farm and fishery labor needed to produce our food supply domestically
Farm workers and support service workers to include those who field crops; commodity inspection; fuel ethanol facilities; storage facilities; and other agricultural inputs
Employees and firms supporting food, feed, and beverage distribution, including warehouse workers, vendor-managed inventory controllers and blockchain managers
Workers supporting the sanitation of all food manufacturing processes and operations from wholesale to retail
Company cafeterias - in-plant cafeterias used to feed employees
Workers in food testing labs in private industries and in institutions of higher education
Workers essential for assistance programs and government payments
Employees of companies engaged in the production of chemicals, medicines, vaccines, and other substances used by the food and agriculture industry, including pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, minerals, enrichments, and other agricultural production aids
Animal agriculture workers to include those employed in veterinary health; manufacturing and distribution of animal medical materials, animal vaccines, animal drugs, feed ingredients, feed, and bedding, etc.; transportation of live animals, animal medical

materials; transportation of deceased animals for disposal; raising of animals for food; animal production operations; slaughter and packing plants and associated regulatory and government workforce

Workers who support the manufacture and distribution of forest products, including, but not limited to timber, paper, and other wood products

Employees engaged in the manufacture and maintenance of equipment and other infrastructure necessary to agricultural production and distribution

ⁱⁱ https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/coronavirus/CDFA_COVID-19_and_the_Food_Supply_3-19-20.pdf

ⁱⁱⁱ https://www.cisa.gov/publication/guidance-essential-critical-infrastructure-workforce?fbclid=IwAR2vWoy8rQDh3KWKBDrLytkJ_2nsmI-p1zCGYx7sCI-2HeyzCZI_bTbrrIA

^{iv} https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prepare/cleaning-disinfection.html?CDC_AA_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fcoronavirus%2F2019-ncov%2Fcommunity%2Fhome%2Fcleaning-disinfection.html