Massachusetts: Unemployment Benefits for Workers Under Quarantine or Self-Isolation due to COVID-19

Description of Program and Relief

The Department of Unemployment Assistance may pay unemployment benefits if a worker is ordered quarantined; leaves employment due to a risk of exposure or infection; or leaves employment to care for a family member and does not intend to, or is not allowed to, return to work. No medical documentation is needed.

Government or Lead Agency

Department of Unemployment Assistance

Eligibility Requirements/Restrictions

In addition to normal requirements concerning unemployment benefits, the worker or employer needs to be impacted by COVID-19.

Application Deadlines (If Applicable)

Not applicable

List of Additional Information

https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-guidance-and-directives#health-care-professionals-&-organizations-

Department of Unemployment Assistance, TeleClaim Center - (617) 626-6800