



### School COVID Protocol Attestation

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**All programs are also required to comply with COVID-19 location-specific safety practices and the Washington State Department of Health Resources & Recommendations at**

<https://doh.wa.gov/emergencies/covid-19>

**At a minimum, all employers must do the following:**

- School should be aware of the Center for Disease Control and Prevention and the Washington Department of Health’s COVID guidance.
- School has developed a COVID-19 prevention and mitigation plan.
- Assess and ensure COVID-19 hazards are addressed by the school’s Prevention Program, or equivalent.
- Keep employees or students who have tested positive or are symptomatic for COVID-19 out of the workplace for at least five days, or follow the latest guidance.
- Provide hand washing facilities and supplies, and regularly clean and sanitize surfaces.
- Educate employees about COVID-19 prevention in the language they understand best.
- Notify employees of any COVID-19 exposures at work.
- Report COVID-19 outbreaks to Public Health District and L&I(if the employer has 50 or more employees).
- Not discriminate against high-risk employees for seeking accommodations for COVID-19.
- Allow employees to voluntarily wear masks (respirators, medical procedure masks, or cloth face coverings) and PPE as long as it doesn’t create a safety or security issue.

A copy of this plan must be available at each location during any activities, and available for inspection by state and local authorities.

All programs have a general obligation to keep a safe and healthy school in accordance with state and federal law. Failure to follow these requirements will be considered a violation of these duties, and locations may be penalized accordingly. Under RCW 49.17.060, *“each employer shall furnish to each of their employees a place of employment free from recognized hazards that are causing or likely to cause serious injury or death to his or her employees and shall comply with the rules, regulations, and orders promulgated under this chapter.”* The Washington State Department of Labor & Industries’ Division of Occupational Safety and Health (DOSH) is responsible for workplace safety and health, including inspections and enforcement, consultation, technical assistance, training, education, and grants.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY SCHOOL**

As a representative of the above-named school, I attest that in-person learning activities will be instituted in accordance with the plan submitted to the Workforce Board, which I certify to be true and correct in content and policy. If any of the information or policies change, I agree to update the Workforce Board immediately.

COVID-19 Supervisor (please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of School Director/Owner

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Printed Name of School Director/Owner

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Date