As organizations start planning to return staff from remote working to brick and mortar worksites, employee safety is top of everyone’s minds.

CCSI recommends that organizations continue to monitor guidance from agencies such as:
- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
- New York State Department of Health (https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home)
- Occupational Safety and Health Administration (https://www.osha.gov/)

We have found this guidance document from OSHA to be helpful in framing our re-entry plans.

Here are resources for health and human services providers.

As of May 1st, the New York Compensation Insurance Rating Board (NYCRIB) has updated worker’s compensation classification codes to include the new “Telecommuter Reassigned Employees” (8873) and requires employers to apply this code to the payroll of employees who are reassigned to perform clerical work duties at home or employees who are paid not to perform any work duties.

For further guidance: https://nycirb.org/bulletins/rc2512.pdf

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