

**WAC 246-215-02205 Employee health—Reportable history of ill-**

**ness.** (1) FOOD EMPLOYEES and CONDITIONAL EMPLOYEES shall report to the PERSON IN CHARGE if they:

(a) Have diarrhea, vomiting, sore throat with fever, or jaundice (yellow skin or eyes), except as specified under WAC 246-215-02235;

(b) Have a lesion containing pus such as a boil or infected wound that is open or draining and is:

(i) On the hands or wrist;

(ii) On exposed portions of the arms; or

(iii) On other parts of the body, unless the lesion is covered by a dry, durable, tight-fitting bandage; or

(c) Have an illness diagnosed by a HEALTH PRACTITIONER as due to an infection with:

(i) Norovirus;

(ii) Hepatitis A virus;

(iii) *Shigella* spp.;

(iv) SHIGA TOXIN-PRODUCING *ESCHERICHIA COLI*;

(v) *Salmonella* Typhi (Typhoid fever); or

(vi) *Salmonella* (nontyphoidal).

(2) In addition to the reporting in subsection (1) of this section, FOOD EMPLOYEES and CONDITIONAL EMPLOYEES in a FOOD ESTABLISHMENT serving a HIGHLY SUSCEPTIBLE POPULATION shall report to the PERSON IN CHARGE if they:

(a) Have consumed or prepared FOOD implicated in a CONFIRMED DISEASE OUTBREAK;

(b) Have attended or worked in a setting where there is a CONFIRMED DISEASE OUTBREAK;

(c) Live in the same household as someone who works at or attended a setting where there is a CONFIRMED DISEASE OUTBREAK; or

(d) Live in the same household as or have consumed FOOD prepared by a PERSON who is infected or ill with:

(i) SHIGA TOXIN-PRODUCING *ESCHERICHIA COLI*;

(ii) *Shigella* spp.;

(iii) *Salmonella* Typhi;

(iv) Hepatitis A virus or jaundice; or

(v) Norovirus.

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