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## Memorandum

**DATE:** April 1, 2020  
**TO:** Essential Contractors  
**FROM:** Medway Board of Health  
Beth M. Hallal, R.S.  
**RE:** Health & Safety Obligations of Essential Services

Although you are considered “Essential Services” by Governor Baker’s Emergency Order, you all have obligations you must follow to support the Health and Safety of all workers and others encountered while conducting your business:

Workers shall maintain at least six (6) feet of distance between them at all times to the possible extent.

Workers shall maintain at least six (6) feet from all client’s/property owners and others encountered while conducting business.

Workers shall practice proper respiratory etiquette; coughing in your elbow.

Workers shall be able to wash hands and utilize hand sanitizer.

Workers shall only ride in vehicles with members of their household.

Workers who are not in your household shall travel alone.

These conditions serve to protect not only your workers, but also to protect the public’s health & safety. These obligations will help slow the spread of Covid-19. We are all in this together. We all need to help keep Covid-19 from changing our lives forever.

The business becomes subject to the violation consequences of Governor Baker’s Emergency Order. Violations of this order shall be punished in the following manner: (a) the first offense shall result in a warning; (b) the second offense may result in a civil citation and a fine of up to \$300; and (c) further offenses which are repeated and willful may be subject to criminal penalties including a fine up to \$500 or term of imprisonment or both.

