TEMPERATURE SCAN POLICY
COVID-19

In recognition of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s recommendations and Governor Phil Murphy’s Executive Orders regarding the public health crisis created by COVID-19, and to aid Mercer County’s continuing effort to fight the spread of COVID-19 and protect Mercer County employees and visitors, the following policy is hereby effective and implemented immediately.

All County employees reporting to work will have their temperature taken as a precautionary measure to reduce the spread of COVID-19. Employees should report to their respective buildings’ main entrances upon arrival at work and prior to entering any other areas of Mercer County property. At the entrance of the County building, each employee will be screened by a non-contact device. Time spent waiting for the health screening should be recorded as timed worked. An employee who has a fever at or above 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit will be sent home with pay on the first day. If symptomatic, the employee should monitor his or her symptoms and call a doctor for appropriate medical follow up.

All members of the public will have their temperature taken as a precautionary measure to reduce the spread of COVID-19. The general public will be screened at the entrance of the County building by a non-contact device. If the member of the public has a fever at or above 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit they will be denied entry into the building.

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