



Yesterday, the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA) rescinded the emergency rules issued on May 24, 2021 and set to expire in October 2021. Updated MIOSHA emergency rules focus on health care settings where known or suspected COVID-19 patients may be present. These workplaces may have a higher exposure risk for employees and need continued protections to mitigate the spread of COVID-19.

Dialing back workplace rules for non-health care settings allows employers to use their best judgment in determining whether to maintain:

- Daily health screenings
- Face covering requirements
- Social distancing requirements

Nevertheless, MIOSHA strongly encourages workplaces to follow the available CDC and OSHA recommendations to mitigate hazards.

Non-healthcare settings should align policies with [CDC guidelines](#) to ensure they help contain the spread of COVID-19. [Federal OSHA has updated guidance](#) for non-healthcare employers as well.

We continue to work with our clients on all ongoing workplace guidelines and safety rules. If you have any questions about this information or your workplace policies, give us a call at 800-891-9911 or email us at hr@bcnservices.com.