FAQs

What are the Infection Prevention Standards for individuals from suppliers/vendors ("Business Employees") at Mass General Brigham?

The infection prevention requirements include 1) vaccination for COVID-19 and seasonal influenza for anyone working onsite at a Mass General Brigham facility for one day or more and 2) a series of additional health requirements detailed here (https://www.massgeneralbrigham.org/sites/default/files/Infection-Prevention-Standards.pdf) for anyone working onsite at a Mass General Brigham hospital or healthcare facility for more than 3 weeks (cumulative 120 hours over the course of one year).

Are updated COVID Vaccines required for Business Employees to be considered fully vaccinated for COVID-19?

No, at this time Mass General Brigham is not requiring the updated COVID vaccine for anyone who has already received a primary COVID vaccine series. If a primary COVID vaccine series was never received or completed, then one dose of the most up-to-date COVID vaccine is required.

Are medical or religious exemptions permitted?

Exemptions are not permitted for Business Employees. Businesses are requested to only send individuals to Mass General Brigham properties that meet the applicable Infection Prevention Standards.

Who is responsible for verifying supplier/vendor compliance with the Mass General Brigham Infection Prevention Standards?

Businesses are required to monitor compliance of their employees with Mass General Brigham policies and be prepared to provide clinical documentation of Infection Prevention requirements upon request. If documentation is requested and cannot be provided, the Business Employee will not be allowed access to Mass General Brigham facilities.

For Businesses that participate in Green Security vendor credentialing system, documentation will need to be uploaded into the system prior to arriving on site to any Mass General Brigham facility.

If a Business would like to register with Green Security, they may do so directly with Green Security at www.greensecurityllc.com.

Where can Businesses find out more about the Mass General Brigham influenza and COVID-19 vaccination/immunization requirement?

Information on the requirement can be found in these FAQ's and on our website https://www.massgeneralbrigham.org/supplier-vendor-information. For suppliers registered in Green Security with questions regarding providing documentation they may direct questions to Green Security customer service www.greensecurityllc.com/support.