



The Village of Glenview

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CASE OF GLENVIEW CORONAVIRUS EXPOSURE UPDATE (CORRECTED VERSION)

March 11, 2020 – The Village of Glenview learned yesterday, March 10, via an anonymous email of a COVID-19 (coronavirus) concern relating to a visiting out-of-state employee of CVS who had recently tested positive for the virus. Today, public officials from the Cook County Department of Public Health (CCDPH) confirmed that its review of this specific case concluded with no recommendation for further community mitigation actions beyond the [current precautions for protecting yourself](#) recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, such as washing your hands often and avoiding touching your eyes, nose and mouth.

During communications with CVS, Glenview learned that the company coordinated initial efforts with CCDPH and the Illinois Department of Public Health. Although no additional steps were directed by these agencies for the Glenview facility, CVS took extra precautionary measures including disinfecting and sterilizing the office where the employee had worked, establishing a cautionary 14-day quarantine period for those CVS employees who had direct, prolonged contact with the out-of-state employee and notifying all its employees of the circumstances relating to the case.

Glenview and other local public agencies are meeting regularly to share information, coordinate planning efforts, and provide guidance to the community relating to COVID-19.

The Illinois Novel Coronavirus Hotline is (800) 889-3931, and can be called at any time. Emails can be sent to: dph.sick@illinois.gov. Residents or businesses with additional concerns regarding the virus can find additional guidance and recommendations at the following websites:

- ✓ Federal: Center for Disease Control and Prevention
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>
- ✓ State: Illinois Department of Public Health website
<http://dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/diseases-a-z-list/coronavirus>

- ✓ Regional: Cook County Department of Public Health
<https://www.cookcountypublichealth.org>
- ✓ Local: Village of Glenview
<https://www.glenview.il.us/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>
- ✓ Local: Glenview/Northbrook Coronavirus Response
<https://www.glenviewnorthbrookcoronavirus.info/>

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