Teams Live recording from Thursday 26 March 2020

Click or tap the link to view the COVID-19 outbreak video recording from Thursday 26 March. The live feed had some technical issues and the Q&A session did not go as planned. New Teams Live info sessions will be held on Tuesday 31st of March and Thursday 2nd of April. Click or tap the link below to register for the 31st of March info session.

We will update the Frequently Asked Questions section of our website on a daily basis to answer any questions we receive from our corporate customers concerning the coronavirus (in Finnish). Guidelines and tips related to the COVID-19 outbreak can also be found on our website.

Recording of COVID-19-info on 26th of March 2020

Teams Live COVID-19 info session on Tue 31st of March

We released a bulletin concerning respiratory tract infection clinics earlier this week and announced that this information will be updated on our website. Learn more here.

Occupational psychologist services to support you

The times are tough and challenging in many ways, and the mental wellbeing of many of us is being tested. Our customers have sent us a lot of questions about how we can support companies and their personnel in these exceptional times. The services of occupational psychologists are available as usual, but they are currently arranged as remote appointments whenever possible. We want to offer you and your organisation quick, flexible and efficient low-threshold support. For this purpose, we have developed new kinds of services to meet the current demand. Whatever your needs concerning wellbeing and occupational wellbeing are – share them with us and we will overcome this situation together! The page is currently available only in Finnish, but services are available in Swedish and English as well.

Occupational health care services in case of layoff or dismissal

We have received enquiries concerning the provision of occupational health care services in cases of layoffs and dismissals. Whenever layoffs are made, employees are entitled to the minimum statutory occupational health care services (Occupational health care services in the event of layoffs, dismissals and possible unemployment, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health 22 April 2009). Under certain circumstances, employers are obligated to provide employees who have been dismissed on financial or production-related grounds with occupational health care services for six months from the end of the employee’s obligation to perform their duties (Occupational Health Care Act 1383/2001, section 2, subsection 3).

Medical care services and any additional services are available according to the occupational health care agreement, unless otherwise agreed with the employer. At least during especially the period of the coronavirus outbreak, we recommend continuing to provide these voluntary
For more information, instructions and advice on how to protect your staff from the coronavirus, please contact your occupational health physicians and nurses. The Finnish Institute of Occupational Health website also has a set of guidelines for workplaces. As the current situation is changing rapidly, we recommend you actively follow the information released by the authorities, the Finnish Institute for Health and Welfare, your local public sector health care provider and Mehiläinen.

Kind regards,
Mehiläinen Working Life Services

*this is a service message to our corporate customers