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# Work from Home Policy

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# 1.0 What is a work from home policy?

A work-from-home policy constitutes a set of guidelines outlining the conditions under which employees are allowed to work remotely, either full-time or part-time. This type of policy is typically implemented by organizations that allows employees to work at least some of the time remotely.

A work-from-home policy may include guidelines on issues such as:

- Eligibility: Which employees are eligible to work from home, and under what circumstances
- Request process: How employees can request to work from home, and the approval process for such requests
- Communication: How employees should communicate with their team and supervisor while working from home
- Equipment and technology: What equipment and technology will employees need to work from home, and who will be responsible for providing it
- Productivity and performance: How employees will be expected to maintain productivity and performance while working from home
- Health and safety: How employees can ensure their home workspace is safe and ergonomically sound



 Data security: How employees should handle sensitive company data while working from home

Overall, a work-from-home policy is intended to ensure that employees are able to work remotely in a way that is productive and efficient while also maintaining the integrity of the organization's operations and data.

## 2.0 Work from home policy in India

In India, an employee may request to work from home under certain circumstances. Some of these circumstances are:

#### 2.1 Illness

If the employee is feeling unwell or has just recovered from illness he can take work from home otherwise he can also take the entire day off.

## 2.2 Parenting Responsibilities

Young parents often have various responsibilities towards their children. If a child is sick or they have to attend some event as a parent they can ask for work from home or the entire day off.\



#### 2.3 Unsafe Weather Conditions

When the weather is unsafe for employees to go to the workplace they can opt for work from home or the entire day off.

## 2.4 Appointments during the workday

If employees have some appointments with a dentist or doctor they can opt for work from home or an entire day off.

#### 2.5 Personal Reasons

Employees can opt for work from home( approved by supervisor) if they have some personal work or some event to attend.

# 3.0 Eligibility

- Employees who have been tenured with the company for at least six months and have a satisfactory performance record are eligible to request to work from home.
- Requests to work from home will be considered on a case-by-case basis, considering multiple factors such as the nature of the job and the needs of the business.
- Employees who work from home must have a designated workspace that is separate from any common areas and free from distractions. The workspace should be well-lit, adequately ventilated, and free from hazards.



• Employees who work from home must have reliable internet access and a computer or laptop that meets the company's hardware and software requirements.

## Request process:

- Employees who wish to work from home must submit a written request to their supervisor outlining the specific days and hours they propose to work from home.
- The request should be updated weeks in advance of the proposed start date.
- The supervisor will review the request and determine whether it can be accommodated, considering the needs.

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