

Bereavement Leave for Immediate Family and Others

Objective

The Bereavement Leave Policy establishes uniform guidelines for providing paid time off to employees for absences related to the death of immediate family members and fellow employees or retirees of Kizano.

Eligibility

All active employees are eligible for benefits under this policy.

Procedures

An employee who wishes to take time off due to the death of an immediate family member should notify his or her supervisor as soon as possible. If an employee leaves work early on the day he or she is notified of the death, that day will not count as bereavement leave. In addition to bereavement leave, an employee may, with his or her supervisor's approval, use any available vacation for additional approved time off as necessary. Employees under discipline for attendance issues may be required to provide documentation concerning their bereavement leave.

Bereavement pay is calculated based on the base pay rate at the time of absence, and it will not include any special forms of compensation, such as incentives, commissions, bonuses, overtime or shift differentials. The time taken for bereavement leave is charged to ATO (Administrative Time Off) and should be submitted in SpringAhead as ATO.

Paid bereavement leave will be granted according to the following schedule:

- Employees are allowed up to 40 hours off in the event of the death of the employee's spouse, domestic partner, child, stepchild, parent, stepparent, father-in-law, mother, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, or an adult who stood in loco parentis to the employee during childhood.
- Employees are allowed 24 hours off in the event of the death of the employee's brother-in-law, sister-in-law, aunt, uncle, grandparent, grandchild, or spouse's grandparent.
- Employees are allowed up to 4 hours of bereavement leave to attend the funeral of a fellow regular employee or retiree of the company, provided such absence from duty will not interfere with normal operations of the company.