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COVID-19 Trends and Aviation Impact Survey

Roanoke, Texas (October 12, 2021) - JSfirm.com, the leading aviation job website, recently conducted a survey on COVID-19 Trends and Aviation Impact. 100 companies were selected from across all areas of aviation to participate this year. This survey was conducted prior to the new Department of Labor regulations regarding vaccinations.

JSfirm.com Executive Director Abbey Hutter said, “Throughout this survey process, we made sure to hand select 100 companies so we would have a good representation of the industry as a whole.” She continued, “Seeing business/corporate travel resuming is exhilarating. At the same time, we can still feel the shortage of aviation professionals across all facets of the industry. JSfirm.com is continuing to extend our resources for job seekers and hiring companies to do our part to address this shortage of professionals.”

COVID-19 Trends and Aviation Impact Survey Results:

- 100 companies were surveyed
- 68% of companies do not require COVID-19 testing
- 65% of companies who do require testing pay for employee testing
- 83% report they do not require vaccinations for employees
- 93% have resumed business/corporate travel

JSfirm.com COVID-19 Trends and Aviation Impact Survey Results:

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Q1 - How often do you require flight department personnel to test for COVID-19?

Answers

Weekly	5.83%
Bi-weekly	0.00%
Per scheduled flight	8.74%
We do not require testing	66.02%
Other	19.42%

Q2 - Who pays for this testing?

Answers

Company	65.71%
Employee	8.57%
Other	25.71%

Q3 - What kind of test do you use?

Answers

Antigen	20.00%
PCR	48.57%
Other	31.43%

Q4 - Have you had any issues with getting testing done within the mandated timeframes for entry into certain countries?

Answers

Yes	18.18%
No	81.82%

Q5 - Does your flight department require vaccinations for employees?

Answers

Yes	16.83%
No	83.17%

Q6 - Do you foresee requiring it at some point to ensure crews are always ready to fly to countries that require vaccination for entry?

Answers

Yes	38.46%
No	61.54%

Q7- Has your company resumed business/corporate travel?

Answers

Yes	92.78%
No	7.22%

Q8 - If so, at what level compared with 2019?

Answers

25% or less	17.05%
25-50%	17.05%
50-75%	26.14%
75-100%	39.77%

Q9 - If not, when do you expect business/corporate travel to resume:

Answers

By year-end	14.29%
Q1 2022	28.57%
Q2 2022	28.57%
After mid-2022	28.57%

Q10 - Approximately how many people does your company employ?

Answers

1-10	7.37%
11-30	13.68%
31-50	7.37%
51-100	22.11%
101-200	13.68%
201-500	13.68%
500+	22.11%

Q11 - Which best describes the service your company provides? (Select all that apply)

Answers

Part 91	15.43%
Part 135	20.57%
Part 121 Air Carrier	5.71%
Aircraft Operator	5.14%
Airport/FBO	8.57%
MRO (Maintenance Repair & Overhaul)	17.71%
OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer)	2.29%
School or Training Center	6.86%
Sales/Distribution/Lease	5.14%
Other	12.57%

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