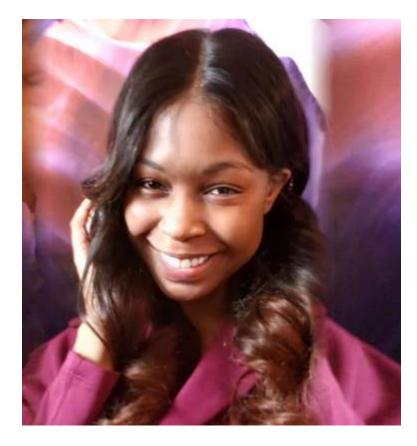
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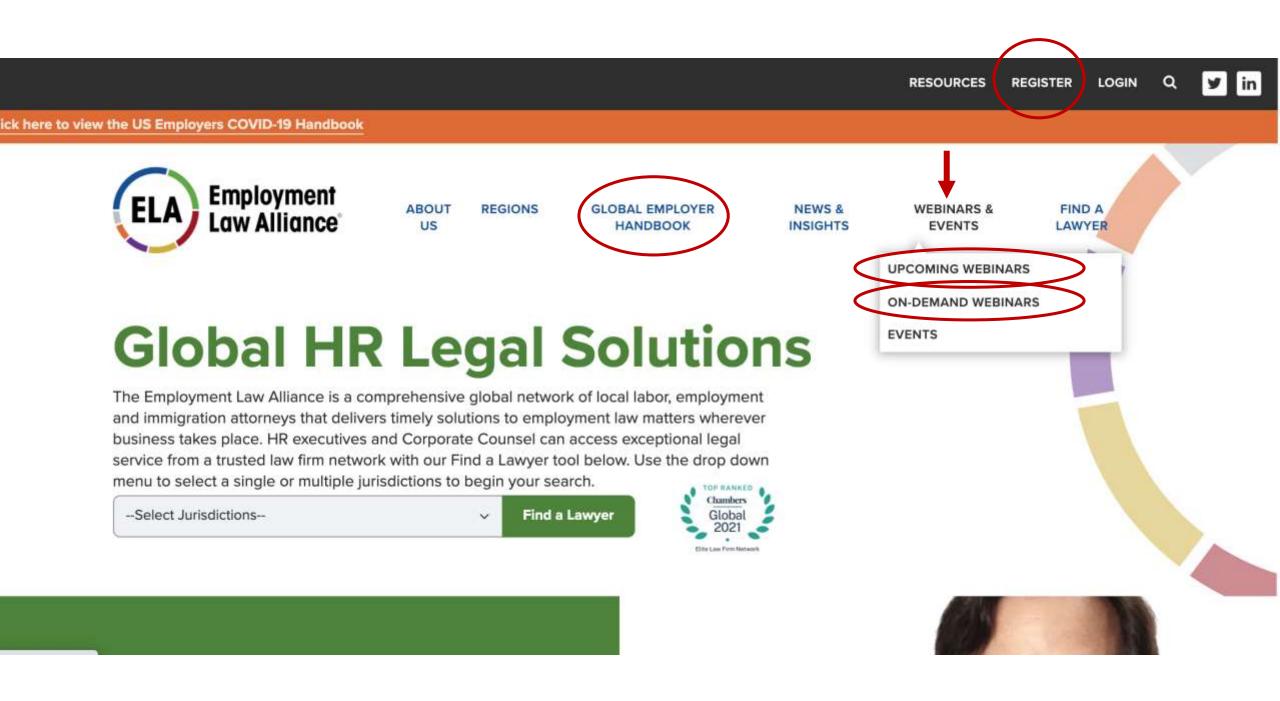
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- Vaccination Policies





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Key Takeaways – Remote Work



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- Request for Remote Work if remote work is not your model, determine whether the request is due to a preference vs. a need
- **Performance Management** Determine how that will be tracked, evaluated and discussed with employees
- Health & Safety May still have some protection under the OHSA. Provide training to employees on how, and to whom, to report a workplace accident at home
- Policies Adapt to recognize some of the unique considerations and concerns with remote work employees (such as IT policies and confidentiality of business information)
- Hours of Work Develop and adhere to tracking to ensure a record is still kept







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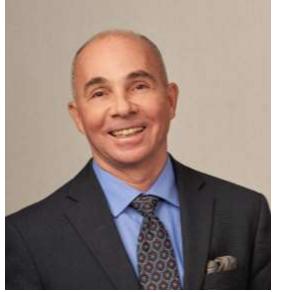
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- Stay up to date on legislation, regulations and bylaws that are being passed around vaccinations.
- Develop policies based on the risk of Covid-19 transmission in your workplace.
- Mandatory vaccination policies need to be drafted and implemented carefully, considering the employer's duty to accommodate, and obligations under privacy legislation, occupational health and safety legislation, and any employment contracts or collective agreements.
- Communication is key to mitigating risks around the rollout of any new policies.



Thank You!

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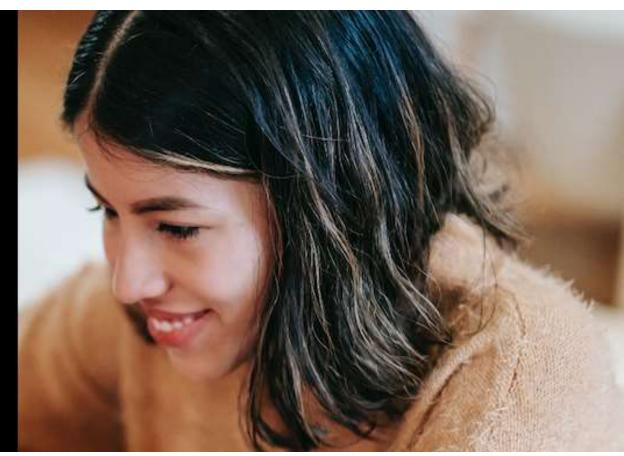
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