

COVID-19 Workplace Safety UPDATE: Guidance for Federal Contractors and Subcontractors

November 30, 2021

Dear National Grid Vendor Representative,

Thank you for your engagement to date regarding National Grid's requirements under Executive Order 14012 (Ensuring Adequate Covid Safety Protocols for Federal Contractors) and associated guidance. As many of you will be aware this **is an evolving situation and we have new information to share today.**

Soon after our [November 16 correspondence regarding your obligations as a National Grid contractor under the Federal Contractor Mandate](#), the federal Government Services Agency (GSA) published new information on its website which raised a number of questions around the applicability of the mandate to National Grid at this time. We met with the GSA during Thanksgiving week for a comprehensive discussion on their updated published guidance and its impact on National Grid. As a result of those discussions, our areawide agreement has been extended to May and at this time, National Grid is no longer required to comply with the federal vaccine mandate by February 7.

This means that our contractors and subcontractors are not required to be fully vaccinated by February 7, 2022. We realize this is a meaningful change from what we shared on November 16 and we will continue to monitor the situation and will be communicating further updates with you as they become available.

Regardless of mandates, for the safety and wellbeing of all our colleagues and our customers, National Grid continues to strongly encourage vaccination for eligible individuals who come in contact with our customers or employees.

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Sincerely,

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