

Extended Sick Leave Quick Facts

Extended sick leave consists of 90 days of leave at 65% pay granted to an employee on the date of hire or when the leave was first put into effect by state law if the employee was already hired at that time. Every six years, the extended sick leave balance is re-set to 90 days.

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1. Extended Sick Leave is only for a *Medical necessity* catastrophic illness or injury with a duration of no fewer than ten days. A physician's statement is required upon request for Extended Sick Leave.
2. If the employee applies for extended sick leave after returning to work, he/she must submit the application within three working days following a return to work.
3. To use this leave to care for a seriously ill family member, the family member must be a spouse, parent, or child of the employee.

Review the entire Extended Medical Leave Policy under File: GBRIB.