

## Background on paid sick days and minimum wage legislation - Virginia

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What Virginia has enacted so far:

Virginia Enacts New Paid Sick Leave Law for Home Health Workers [Virginia Enacts New Paid Sick Leave Law for Home Health Workers | Littler Mendelson P.C.](#) (looks like only applies to home health workers employed under the Medicaid program). [Code of Virginia Code - Article 2.1. Paid Sick Leave](#)

Paid Sick Day Fact Sheet [Paid Sick Day Fact Sheet for 2023 GA \(virginiainterfaithcenter.org\)](#)

In the US: [The State of Paid Sick Time in the U.S. in 2023 - Center for American Progress](#)

Recent action in Chicago: [Chicago City Council passes ordinance giving employees 10 paid days off – WGN](#)

[Doubling Down in the Second City: Chicago Adopts Expanded Paid Leave Benefits for All Employees – National Law Review](#)

It's good to see Chicago join the rest of Illinois in ensuring that all workers get [paid sick days](#). Now, low-wage workers can go to the doctor and use health benefits – if they have them – without a pay cut. Most high-paid workers already have this benefit. Providing paid sick days for all workers is one of [CCSE's core policy objectives](#):

Articles on paid sick days:

[All Workers Should Have A Few Paid Sick Days. The President And Congress Can Make It Happen – Health Affairs](#)

[To stop coronavirus, take quick action on paid sick days | Washington Examiner](#)

On raising minimum wage:

[raising-minimum-wage-with-caution-2-17-21-latest.pdf \(inequalityink.org\)](#)

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