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Keeping Workplaces Safe  
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# Safety Precautions

- Modifications to work areas
- Focus on physical barriers and space
- Changing work schedules
- Staggering meal and rest breaks

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# Challenges

- Guidance communication issues
- Employee resistance to some changes
- Availability of PPE
- Public perception vs. reality
- EO 20-12 vs. other states
- Common areas

# Questions?

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