APPENDIX 1

Questionnaire, COVID-19 recognised as occupational disease/occupational injury

Important:

- 1) If there are differences between COVID as an OD and other OD, your response should be COVID-specific
- 2) Make a clear distinction between what is already practised and what is only discussed for the future

Question

Briefly define (if relevant for COVID as an OD/OI) in your country

- 1) Occupational disease
- 2) Occupational injury
- 3) Other related terminology

National system of occupational diseases.

- 1) only list system
- 2) mixed system: List and open system (includes list system with opening clause for diseases not yet listed)
- 3) only open system
- 4) none
- 5) Other, please specify

Name of occupational disease agency by aim:

- 1) Compensation
- 2) Statistics

Who decides on extension of list

Who decides on recognition of individual claims

COVID-19 can be recognized as

- 1) occupational disease OD
- 2) Occupational injury OI
- 3) Either OD or OI
- 4) None
- 5) Other, please specify

When was COVID-19 included as OD/OI

Who is covered for COVID-19

- 1) Please specify branches or job titles included or excluded
- 2) Coverage of volunteers, precarious workers (eg, migrants)
- 3) Approximate overall percentage of coverage (taking onto account your response to 1) and 2)

What is considered proof of occupational exposure to SARS-CoV-2

- 1) Work in certain jobs, which:......
- 2) Contact with colleague with confirmed infection
- 3) Contact with client with confirmed infection 4) Other, please specify:......

What is considered proof of disease

Please specify minimum requirements1) Typical symptoms (possible case)

- 2) Typical symptoms and confirmed contact (probable case)
- 3) Positive PCR test or serology (confirmed case)
- 5) Other, please specify

Is long-COVID (symptoms or disabilities) included

Proof of work-relatedness

Role of (non-)use of PPE, please specify how,

1) Considered, but no impact on recognition

- 2) non-use precludes recognition of OD/OI
- 3) use precludes recognition of OD/OI

Role of competing non-occupational exposure in recognition as OD/OI (please specify if and how this is considered in recognition as an OD/OI)

Home office, are OD/OI covered?

please provide free text for examples

Commuting accident are OI covered?

Benefits

- 1) Treatment
- 2) Rehabilitation
- 3) Fully paid long-term sick leave
- 4) Disability pension
- 5) Pension to surviving family member
- 6) Other

Numbers of claims and recognized cases of COVID as OD/OI (by date)

Are there case registries for surveillance (eg for monitoring of long-COVID and research) for

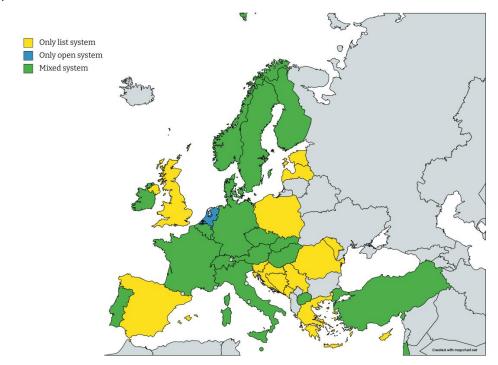
- 1) For COVID as OD/OI
 - Provide number of cases registered (by date)
- 2) For other OD (eg total Infectious Diseases), but not COVID (eg, annual 2019 data)
- 3) For COVID (independent of OD)
 Provide number of cases registered (by date)

Cost per case of occupational disease

(NB, when data are not yet available, please report any illustrative data, eg 100% sick leave for extended period, cost of treatment)

Any other important notes that do not fit under any of the above questions?

Apendix 2



National systems of occupational diseases (April 2022)