



COVID-19 Trading Floor Rumor

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Overview

Cboe has become aware of rumors that a member of our floor trading community has tested positive for the COVID-19 virus. We want to make you aware this rumor is not true and to clarify the facts related to this matter. We additionally want to confirm the trading floor is not being closed as may have been rumored.

Details

A person employed by a Cboe TPH notified his firm that he had recently visited family members living in a U.S. area known due to the extent of the outbreak in that area as a virus “hotspot.” The TPH employee returned to work Monday and worked on the trading floor on Monday and part of Tuesday. On Tuesday, the TPH firm became aware of his travel, and as a precaution the firm promptly instructed him to remain home in quarantine for 14 days.

The TPH employee has been in touch with his health care providers. The TPH employee does not have symptoms of the virus nor has the employee knowingly been exposed to anyone with the virus.

Out of an abundance of caution, Cboe intends to disinfect the area in and around where this employee works on the trading floor. Should this situation change, or should we learn of other instances that could trigger any other preventative measures, we will notify our TPHs as quickly as possible and take appropriate steps.

Additional Information

Questions regarding this notice can be directed to the Cboe OSC or Cboe Floor Support.

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