WAC 357-31-250  Are employees entitled to paid bereavement leave?
(1) If an employee's family member or household member dies, the em-
ployee is entitled to three days of paid bereavement leave. An employ-
ee may request less than three days of paid bereavement leave.
(2) In accordance with the employer's leave policy, the employer
may require verification of the family member's or household member's
death.
(3) In addition to paid bereavement leave, the employer may ap-
prove an employee's request to use paid leave (accrued compensatory
time, sick leave, vacation leave, and/or a personal holiday) or to
take leave without pay for purposes of bereavement.

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