FALL 2022 COVID CAMPUS EXPOSURE PROTOCOL

SYMPTOMATIC

Yes

CLEAR TO BE ON CAMPUS, BUT MUST ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING PROTOCOLS:

- Must wear face covering for 10 days after exposure.
- Must test three to five days after last exposure. (Submit those results to the Covid Response Team.)
- If symptoms develop, must follow symptomatic protocol procedures on left-hand-side of page.
- All exposures and result information must be reported to the COVID Response Team, covidresponseteam@hancockcollege.edu or ext. 3318.

No

NOT CLEAR TO BE ON CAMPUS

COVID TEST

COVID TEST RESULTS

Positive

- May return to campus, so long as symptoms have resolved and tests continue to be negative.
- May return to campus, but must wear a face covering for 10 days after exposure.
- If test was performed one to two days after exposure, AHC recommends to test again one to two days after initial test. (If you tested positive within the previous 90 days, using a rapid antigen test is preferred.)

Negative

*ISOLATION RULES (COVID-POSITIVE)
Everyone, regardless of vaccination status, previous infection, or lack of symptoms, must isolate for at least five (5) days.
- Isolation can end after five days if symptoms are not present or are improving AND a test on day five or after is negative.
- If fever or other symptoms are not improving, isolation must continue for 10 days.
- If symptom-free after day 10, isolation can end. No test required.

Definitions:

Isolation - Separates those infected with COVID-19 from people who are not infected.
Quarantine - Restricts the movement of persons who were exposed to COVID-19 in case they become infected.

Test - A rapid antigen test is recommended to end isolation for return-to-work or return-to-school purposes if the person has previously tested positive using a PCR test. A PCR test can be used to end quarantine if the person has not previously tested positive using a PCR test in the past 90 days.

*www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/Guidance-on-Isolation-and-Quarantine-for-COVID-19-Contact-Tracing.aspx

**Note: If an infectious person is in the household, then the quarantine period for the household contacts is five days beyond the infectious person’s isolation period.
FALL 2022 COVID HOUSEHOLD EXPOSURE PROTOCOL

Isolate for 5 days from the date the household member had symptoms or tested positive, whichever is the later. On the 5th day, the individual will test with a PCR or Rapid Test.

- Positive OR Symptoms
- Negative AND No Symptoms

**Definitions:**

**Days** - Date of exposure or positive test is “day zero”, then begin counting five (5) days beginning the next day.

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**Quarantine** - Restricts the movement of persons who were exposed to COVID-19 in case they become infected.

**Test** - A rapid antigen test is recommended to end isolation for return-to-work or return-to-school purposes if the person has previously tested positive using a PCR test. A PCR test can be used to end quarantine if the person has not previously tested positive using a PCR test in the past 90 days.

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