

Individuals With Confirmed or Suspected COVID-19

Any individuals who themselves either: a) are lab-confirmed to have COVID-19; or b) experience the symptoms of COVID-19 must stay at home throughout the infection period, and cannot return to campus until the school screens the individual to determine whether the conditions for re-entering campus have been met.

In the case of an individual who was diagnosed with COVID-19, he or she may return to school when at least 10 days have passed since the symptoms first appeared.

Potential Exposure to COVID-19

Individuals who have had close contact with someone (for example, if they live in the same household) who is lab-confirmed to have COVID-19 and as determined by the appropriate public health agency, should stay at home through the 10-day quarantine period or 7-day quarantine period, and should not be allowed on campus.

For clarity, close contact is defined as: a) being directly exposed to infectious secretions (being coughed on while not wearing a face covering); or b) being within 6 feet for a cumulative duration of 15 minutes, while not wearing a face covering; if either occurred at any time in the last 10 days at the same time the infected individual was infectious.

10-Day Quarantine Period - Quarantine can end after day 10 without testing and if no symptoms have been reported during daily monitoring.

7-Day Quarantine Period - If negative testing and no symptoms are reported during daily monitoring, then quarantine can end after day 7. **The COVID test can be taken within 48 hours before the time of planned quarantine ends and not prior.** The quarantine cannot end earlier than after day 7.

Return To School Policy

CCS will query individuals after the incubation period has concluded, and if the individual did not experience COVID-19 symptoms during that period, the individual will be allowed to return to campus. If the individual experienced symptoms, they must stay at home until the conditions outlined above have been met.

Please note this policy may be changed and adjusted as needed.