Student Procedures Upon Receiving COVID-19 Test Results

ISOLATE

What do I do if I test positive for an active COVID-19 infection?

Students who receive a COVID-19 positive test results, directive to self-quarantine or selfisolate from a medical provider, or have contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, must follow these steps:

Non-Residential Students

- 1. Immediately notify the Office of Residential Life at Raynaldo. Gillus@mvsu.edu or 662-254-3590 or 3592.
- 2. Wear a cloth face covering when around other people at school, in the residence hall, and anytime you are outside
- 3. Go home (on or off campus, as appropriate) and self-isolate for 10 days
- 4. A Contact Tracer will contact you to go through the contact tracing process with you
- 5. Avoid contact with others
- 6. Notify the faculty of your in-person class(es) of your inability to attend in-person class(es)
- 7. As your health permits, remain current in meeting all of your academic requirements
- 8. Monitor your ongoing health and seek medical attention as needed; have your doctor's phone number on hand
- 9. Look for **emergency warning signs*** for COVID-19. If you are showing any of these signs, seek emergency medical care immediately:
 - Trouble breathing
- New confusion
- Bluish lips or face

- in the chest
- Persistent pain or pressure Inability to wake or stay awake
- 10. When seeking medical attention because of worsening conditions call 911 and tell the dispatcher that you have tested positive for COVID-19
- 11. In order to return to campus or class, students must present a medical provider statement to Student Affairs to obtain a valid excuse for missing class(es) and/or coursework

Residential Students

- 1. Immediately notify your residence hall director or the Office of Residential Life at Raynaldo.Gillus@mvsu.edu or 662-254-3590 or 3592
- 2. Wear a cloth face covering when around other people at school, in the residence hall, and anytime you are outside
- 3. Prepare personal items for relocation to the campus isolation area. OR, notify your residence hall director or the Office of Residential Life at Raynaldo. Gillus@mvsu.edu or 662-254-3590 or 3592 that you will be self-isolating at home (on or off campus, as appropriate)
- 4. Turn in your room key to your residence hall director
- 5. Contact ______ at _____ when ready to be relocated to the campus isolation area
- 6. Check-in to the campus isolation area

- 7. A Contact Tracer will contact you to go through the contact tracing process with you
- 8. Avoid contact with others in isolation
- 9. If returning to campus with a positive result and you are a campus resident, inform entrance guard of the requirement for you to self-isolate on campus (isolation area or home)
- 10. Notify the faculty of your in-person class(es) of your inability to attend in-person class(es)
- 11. As your health permits, remain current in meeting all of your academic requirements; if your medical condition worsens, notify the Student Health Center or the isolation area residence hall director for further assistance
- 12. As needed, student may leave the campus (i.e., go home) until their medical condition improves or the self-isolation period of 10 days is over
- 13. Monitor your ongoing health and seek medical attention as needed; have your doctor's phone number on hand
- 14. Look for **emergency warning signs*** for COVID-19. If you are showing any of these signs, **seek emergency medical care immediately:**
 - Trouble breathing
 - Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- New confusion
- Inability to wake or stay awake
- Bluish lips or face
- 15. When seeking medical attention because of **worsening conditions call 911** and tell the dispatcher that you have tested positive for COVID-19
- 16. In order to return to campus or class, students must present a medical provider statement to Student Affairs to obtain a valid excuse for missing class(es) and/or coursework

QUARANTINE

What do I do if I am told to quarantine due to exposure to someone who tested positive for COVID-19 infection?

Students who receive a directive to self-quarantine from a medical provider, a duly authorized University representative, or have contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, must follow these steps:

Non-Residential Students

- 1. Wear a cloth face covering when around other people at school, in the residence hall, and anytime you are outside
- 2. Go home (on or off campus, as appropriate) and self-quarantine for 7-10 days
- 3. A Contact Tracer will contact you to go through the contact tracing process with you
- 4. Avoid contact with others
- 5. Notify the faculty of your in-person class(es) of your inability to attend in-person class(es)
- 6. Remain current in meeting all of your academic requirements
- 7. Monitor your ongoing health and seek medical attention as needed; have your doctor's phone number on hand
- 8. Look for **emergency warning signs*** for COVID-19. If you are showing any of these signs, **seek emergency medical care immediately:**
 - Trouble breathing
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- pressure in the chest
- Persistent pain or
 Inability to wake or stay awake
- 9. When seeking medical attention because of worsening conditions call 911 and tell the dispatcher that you have been exposed to someone who tested positive for COVID-19
- 10. In order to return to campus or class, students must present a medical provider statement to Student Affairs to obtain a valid excuse for missing class(es) and/or coursework
 - 10-day option: Quarantine can end after 10 days if the individual has no symptoms during the entire 10-day period, or
 - 7-day plus test option: If the individual has no symptoms for 7 days and has a negative COVID-19 test collected on day 5,6, or 7 of the quarantine period, the quarantine can be discontinued after day 7.

Residential Students

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- 2. Wear a cloth face covering when around other people at school, in the residence hall, and anytime you are outside
- 3. Prepare personal items for relocation to the campus quarantine area. OR, notify your residence hall director or the Office of Residential Life at Raynaldo. Gillus @mvsu.edu or 662-254-3590 or 3592 that you will be self-quarantining at home (on or off campus, as appropriate)
- 4. Turn in your room key to your residence hall director
- 5. If quarantining on campus, contact _____ when ready to be relocated to the campus quarantine area
- 6. Check-in to the campus quarantine area
- 7. A Contact Tracer will contact you to go through the contact tracing process with you
- 8. Avoid contact with others in quarantine
- 9. If returning to campus with a self-quarantine notification and you are a campus resident, inform entrance guard of the requirement for you to self-quarantine on campus (quarantine area or home)
- 10. Notify the faculty of your in-person class(es) of your inability to attend in-person class(es)
- 11. Remain current in meeting all of your academic requirements; if your medical condition worsens, notify the Student Health Center or the quarantine area residence hall director for further assistance
- 12. As needed, student may leave the campus (i.e., go home) until their medical condition improves or the self-quarantine period of 7-10 days is over
- 13. Monitor your ongoing health and seek medical attention as needed; have your doctor's phone number on hand
- 14. Look for **emergency warning signs*** for COVID-19. If you are showing any of these signs, seek emergency medical care immediately:

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