

Exposure Guidelines

- Consistent with the protocol at other academic healthcare facilities, if an individual is wearing the proper personal protective equipment (e.g., mask, respirator) and has close and prolonged contact with a positive case, the interaction is not considered an exposure. This is regardless of booster vaccination status.

- For those “current” with their COVID vaccinations - i.e., have received your booster shot OR you are not yet eligible for a booster (within 5 months of your 2nd dose of Pfizer, within 5 months of your 2nd dose of Moderna or within 2 months of your Janssen COVID-19 vaccine dose):
 - If you are exposed to a positive case (either at College or outside of College regardless of mask wearing) and meet the above definition of “current” with your vaccinations, **there are no work restrictions and there is NO requirement to test or quarantine as long as you are asymptomatic.** *You do not need to inform the COVID Coordinator and you can return to the College.*

 - If you experience symptoms of COVID-19, you should not be on campus, should notify your supervisor /instructor of record, and test as soon as possible. *If your rapid antigen test is negative and you are experiencing symptoms, you should stay home and follow up with a PCR test to confirm.* You should notify your supervisor /instructor of record that you will not be in.

- For those not-fully vaccinated or who have not received their booster but are eligible:
 - If you are exposed to a positive case (either at College or outside of College):
 - **As long as you remain asymptomatic, there are no restrictions on you coming to the College**

- If you had an **isolated exposure** (i.e., was with the positive case for a set period of time):
 - wear an ASTM Level 2 mask while at the College up until day 14 post exposure
 - practice social distancing from other SUNY members at all times except when job duties do not permit such distancing
 - separate yourself from others by at least 6 feet when mask must be removed (e.g., when eating or drinking)
 - **test on day 3 post exposure (rapid- antigen or PCR) and can remain at the College while you await your test results**
 - **test again between days 5-7 post exposure (rapid- antigen or PCR) and can remain at the College while you await your test results**
 - *if at any time you become symptomatic, you need to stay home and test immediately.*
 - *if one of the tests comes back positive, you need to stay home and contact the COVID Coordinator*

To find a testing site near your home or the College click here: [External Testing Sites \(sharepoint.com\)](#)

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