**HSC COVID-19 Response Algorithm**

*Excludes health care personnel with direct patient care*

**VACCINATED**

CDC strongly recommends: wear mask in public indoor settings for 14 days following exposure

Get tested within 3-5 days following exposure

**UNVACCINATED**

Go home/stay home until 10 days after the last exposure, stay > 6 ft from others at all times, self-monitor for symptoms, avoid people at higher risk for severe illness

OR

You may return IF you have a negative diagnostic COVID test collected at day 5 or later AND you have quarantined for 7 days without developing symptoms

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1. Notify Supervisor
2. Monitor with Primary Care Physician and/or Priority Care

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1. Notify Academic Department
2. Monitor with Primary Care Clinician and/or Student Health

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Criteria to safely return to campus:

- > 10 days have passed since any symptoms first appeared OR have continued to NOT experience any symptoms
- Improvement of symptoms
- >24 hours have passed since last fever w/o use of fever reducing medications

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Employee

COVID-19 Test Administered?

YES

1. Notify Supervior
2. Monitor with Primary Care Physician and/or Priority Care

NO

Wait 3-5 days after exposure to be tested

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Student

COVID-19 Test Positive?

YES

Criteria to safely return to campus:

- >24 hours have passed since last fever w/o use of fever reducing medications AND
- Improvement in symptoms
- >7 days without symptoms

NO

RETURN TO CAMPUS

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Wait 3-5 days after exposure to be tested

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Start Here

Known Exposure?

YES

Practice proper precautions to continue work/school:

- MONITOR for symptoms daily
- DISTANCE >6ft from others
- MASK — recommend wearing face covering
- WASH hands & surfaces often

NO

EXPERIENCING SYMPTOMS?

YES

Return

NO

RETURN TO CAMPUS

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