



# COVID PROTOCOL FOR NON-CLINICAL STUDENTS EXPOSED TO COVID-19

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY IS CRITICAL IN PROTECTING ONE'S OWN HEALTH AS WELL AS THOSE ON AUGUSTA UNIVERSITY'S CAMPUSES.

## STUDENT HAS BEEN EXPOSED\* TO A CONFIRMED POSITIVE COVID-19 INDIVIDUAL

**NON-CLINICAL STUDENT EXPOSURE DEFINITION:**  
Less than 6 feet distance from a confirmed COVID-19 case for > 15 minutes cumulative in a 24 hour period of time.

Complete the Student COVID reporting form [augusta.edu/students/report/covid](http://augusta.edu/students/report/covid).

Contact Student Health at 706-721-3448 for questions about symptoms or to schedule an appointment.

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- Do not attend any in-person classes and/or clinics
- Contact all your professors for assignment instructions and to inform them of your expected absence. (You are not required to share any medical information related to your condition).
- Contact Housing Office, if applicable.
- Contact Dean of Students Office, if need assistance with classes.

## IS THE STUDENT SYMPTOMATIC?

YES

1. Call AU Hotline to get tested ASAP. (706-721-1852).
2. Self-quarantine until test results are back.
3. Monitor symptoms, including temperature checks twice a day.

NO

1. Start self-quarantine for 10 days after exposure.
  2. Monitor symptoms, including temperature checks twice a day.
  3. Call AU hotline (706-721-1852) to get tested 5 days after exposure
- GET TESTED 5 DAYS AFTER EXPOSURE**

### POSITIVE TEST

Submit a screenshot of COVID-19 test results to [reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu](mailto:reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu)

### NO TEST

### NEGATIVE TEST DONE 5 DAYS AFTER EXPOSURE

Submit a screenshot of COVID-19 test results to [reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu](mailto:reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu)

#### SELF-ISOLATE

For at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared or date tested.

**RETURN TO CLASS ON DAY 7 AFTER EXPOSURE,**  
if without symptoms for the last 24 hours

### RETURN TO CLASS

After 10 days with the last 24 hours being asymptomatic, without taking fever-reducing medication. Call Student Health if "clearance for return" is needed. Professor may request note from students medical provider in order to excuse the absence.

**Student Health: 706-721-3448 | AU COVID-19 Hotline: 706-721-1852 | Dean of Students 706-737-1411**