# COVID-19 Response Plan

For Students

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# Summary

| SITUATION | STUDENTS | CLOSE CONTACT |
|---|---|---|
| Has symptoms | Self-isolate Seek medical advice | The people you live with should restrict movements for 14 days. Remind others to take precautions |
| Advised to take a test because of symptoms | Self-isolate | The people you live with should restrict movements for 14 days. Remind others to take precautions |
| Confirmed positive | Self-isolate | Restrict movement and follow advice from contact tracing |
| Identified as a close contact and advised to take a test | Restrict movement | Continue with standard COVID-19 precautions |
| Advised to restrict movement and not to take a test | Restrict movement | Continue with standard COVID-19 precautions |
| COVID-19 not detected test result | Restrict movement as advised, then return to campus | Continue with standard COVID-19 precautions |

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**What should you do if:**

1. You have COVID-19 symptoms on campus
2. You have symptoms of COVID-19 off campus
3. You are a COVID-19 Close Contact of Confirmed Case
4. You are living with someone who has symptoms of COVID-19
5. You are living with a person who is a Close Contact
6. You are caring for someone with a COVID-19 who cannot self-isolate

# 1. You have COVID-19 symptoms on campus

| | Event | Immediate Student Action | Student Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1.1 | You develop COVID-19 symptoms on campus and feels well enough to travel home by private transport. | Contact the Student Health Centre or return home and contact your GP. | Follow advice from the Student Health Centre or your GP. |
| 1.2 | You develop COVID-19 symptoms on campus but does not feel well enough to travel home immediately. | Contact the Student Health Centre. You will be directed to the isolation area and will remain there until transport has been arranged to go home. | Follow advice from the Student Health Centre. |
| 1.3 | You test **positive** | Follow the instructions of the HSE Public Health Team. Provide details of close contacts to HSE Public Health Team. | Follow the HSE advice and self-isolate until you have had no fever for 5 days and it is at least 10 days since the first symptoms developed. Inform the [COVID-19 Coorindator](#) and your Course Coordinator. |
| **OR** | | | |
| 1.4 | You test '**not detected**'. | Inform the Student Health Centre of '**not detected**' result. Return to normal activities after 48 hours without symptoms. | Continue to maintain key control measure to reduce the spread of COVID-19. |

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# 2. You have symptoms of COVID-19 off campus?

| | Event | Immediate Action | Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2.1 | You develop COVID-19 symptoms off campus. | Stay away from campus.<br>Contact your GP or the Student Health Centre.<br>Self-isolate. | Ensure contact log is up to date in case needed. |
| 2.2 | You take a COVID-19 test. | Self-isolate until advised otherwise by your GP or the Student Health Centre, and the HSE. | Continue to self-isolate while waiting test result. |
| 2.3<br>**OR** | You test **positive.** | Follow instructions of the HSE Public Health Team.<br>Provide details of close contacts to HSE Public Health Team.<br>Inform your GP or the COVID-19 Coordinator. | Follow Medical and HSE advice and self-isolate until you have had no fever for 5 days and until at least 10 days since the first symptoms developed. |
| 2.4 | You test **'not detected'**. | Inform your GP or Student Health Centre of **'not detected'** result.<br>Return to normal activities after 48 hours without symptoms. | Continue to maintain key control measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19. |

# 3. You are a COVID-19 Close Contact of Confirmed Case

| | Event | Immediate Action | Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 3.1 | Student contacted by the HSE or confirmed case as close contact. | Restrict movements for **14 days**. Inform your course coordinator and COVD-19 coordinator | Follow HSE advice on restricting movements and testing. |
| 3.2 | You restrict your movements for **14 days** | Continue to follow HSE/Public Health Team advice. | Return to campus after restricted movement period ends and in line with HSE advice. |
| 3.3 | If you develop symptoms of COVID-19 contact your GP/ Student Health Centre/ Out of Hours GP | Inform COVID-19 Coordinator.  Follow HSE/Public Health Team advice. | If  your test result is <u>positive</u> self isolate. You can stop self isolating when you have had no fever for 5 days **AND** it has been 10 days since your symptoms started.<br><br>If '**not detected**',  return to campus after restricted movement period ends **(14 days)** and in line with GP or Student Health Centre, and HSE advice. |

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# 4. You are Living with someone who has symptoms of COVID-19

| | Event | Immediate Action | Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4.1 | You live with someone who has developed symptoms of COVID-19. | Stay away from campus, restrict your movements while person is awaiting a test/test results. | Inform your GP or the Student Health Centre. |
| 4.2 | The resolution of this scenarios will depend on the details. If you are caring from someone who is self isolating please see point 6. If the member of the household tests positive, you will become a close contact and must restrict your movements for 14 days. If the member of the household's test is not detected, the restricted movement will be lifted and the person can return to campus in line with government guidelines | | |

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# 5: You are Living with a person who is a Close Contact

| | Event | Immediate Action | Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 5.1 | You are living with close contact who has no symptoms of COVID-19. | Attend campus and continue to maintain key control measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19. | No action needed. |
| 5.2 | You are living with close contact who develops symptoms of COVID-19 | Stay away from campus, until close contact has received test results. | Inform GP or Student Health Centre. |
| | The resolution of this scenario will depend on the details. For example, if the close contact's test is positive, the household member will have to restrict their movements for 14 days and will be tested. If the close contact's test is negative, the restricted movement will be lifted and the person can return to campus immediately. | | |

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# 6: Caring for someone with a COVID-19 who cannot self-isolate

| | Event | Immediate Action | Follow on Action |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6.1 | You are a main carer for someone who develops symptoms but cannot self-isolate – e.g. a child, older person or someone with a disability. | Restrict your movements for 17 days from when they first developed symptoms | Inform GP or Student Health Centre |
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| 6.2 | Information on how to care for someone who cannot self-isolate can be found here | | |

## Student Health Centre Contact Details

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## Information

Up to date HSE covid-19 information can be found [here](here)

Information about self-isolating can be found [here](here)

Information about restricted movements can be found [here](here)

You can also call the HSELive on 1850 24 1850