



## **Continuing Education and Business Services Division**

### **COVID 19 Campus Guidelines – Updated 1/7/22**

In order to promote the health and safety of IVCC students, instructors and staff, all people, regardless of vaccination status, must adhere to the following guidelines when visiting the IVCC Oglesby or Ottawa campuses.

**Face Masks** - Face masks are required indoors on-campus in public spaces and classrooms.

**Temperature Scans** – Temperature scans will be required at all entrances to the college.

**Self-Monitoring** - Anyone that will be attending a class, meeting or event on campus will be asked to self-monitor. Prior to the start of class, instructors and students will be asked to complete a COVID-19 Self-Monitoring Form verifying that they are free of any of the symptoms below. If you have exhibited any of the following symptoms, 24 hours prior to class, please stay home. You can return if symptom free and no fever after 24 hours.

1. Temperature of 100.4 (or greater) Fahrenheit/38 degrees Celsius;
2. Cough;
3. Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing;
4. Chills;
5. Fatigue;
6. Muscle and body aches;
7. New or unusual headache;
8. Sore throat;
9. New loss of taste or smell;
10. Congestion or runny nose;
11. Nausea and/or vomiting;
12. Diarrhea

**FAILURE TO COMPLY** by students or visitors is a code of conduct issue that will need to be escalated to the Vice President of Student Services.

### **DEFINITION OF A CLOSE CONTACT**

For all individuals where exposure occurred outside of the classroom setting and for adults in the indoor classroom setting, CDC defines a close contact as an individual not fully vaccinated (does not have the vaccine plus booster) against COVID-19, who was within 6 feet of an infected person for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period.

If you test positive or are considered a close contact, the protocol is as follows:

### **If You Test Positive for COVID-19 (Isolate):**

#### **Everyone, regardless of vaccination status.**

- Stay home for 5 days.
- If you have no symptoms or your symptoms are resolving after 5 days, you can leave your house.
- Continue to wear a mask around others for 5 additional days.

*If you have a fever, continue to stay home until your fever resolves.*

### **If You Were Exposed to Someone with COVID-19**

#### **If you:**

Have been boosted

#### **OR**

Completed the primary series of Pfizer or Moderna vaccine within the last 6 months

#### **OR**

Completed the primary series of J&J vaccine within the last 2 months

- Wear a mask around others for 10 days.
- Test on day 5, if possible.

*If you develop symptoms get a test and stay home.*

#### **If you:**

Completed the primary series of Pfizer or Moderna vaccine over 6 months ago and are not boosted

#### **OR**

Completed the primary series of J&J over 2 months ago and are not boosted

#### **OR**

Are unvaccinated

- You must quarantine and stay home for 5 days. After that continue to wear a mask around others for 5 additional days.
- If you can't quarantine you must wear a mask for 10 days.
- Test on day 5 if possible.

*If you develop symptoms get a test and stay home*

**Who to Contact with Immediate Health Concerns** - Students with immediate health concerns, such as a positive test result or potential exposure to COVID, should contact Jennifer Scheri, Director, Continuing Education and Business Services, [Jennifer\\_scheri@ivcc.edu](mailto:Jennifer_scheri@ivcc.edu), 815-224-0390. Thank you!