

Protocol Related to Notification of Exposure to a Confirmed Positive Test or Diagnosis of a Confirmed Positive Test (Updated on 7/24)

Should a SLUH student be exposed to an individual who has tested positive or himself tests positive for COVID-19, the following measures will take place:

- o The individual and/or his family should let the SLUH administration know immediately.
- o If a student reports being exposed to someone who tested positive for COVID-19, all those who came into less than six feet of contact with that student and weren't wearing a mask will be expected to self-quarantine for 72 hours.
- o If a student reports having tested positive for COVID-19, all those who came into less than six feet of contact with that student and weren't wearing a mask will be expected to self-quarantine for 14 days.
- o If an individual that has been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 progresses through the entire 14-day quarantine without manifesting symptoms, the individual is eligible to return at the end of the 14-day quarantine.
- o If an individual that has been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 exhibits symptoms during a 14-day quarantine, that individual must get tested.
- o If the test results are negative, the individual may return to activity following the 14-day quarantine provided that the last 72 hours of the quarantine are fever-free (without the aid of a fever suppressant) AND the individual's symptoms have improved, including respiratory symptoms of cough and/or shortness of breath AND the individual has obtained a doctor's note to clear the individual for return to activity.
- o If a SLUH student tests positive for COVID-19, the individual may return to school after 72 hours with no fever (without the aid of a fever suppressant) AND improved symptoms, including respiratory symptoms of cough and/or shortness of breath AND a span of 14 days after the onset of the symptoms AND a doctor's note to clear the individual for return to activity.
- o Per local medical guidelines, exceptions to the requirement of a 14-day quarantine prior to returning to campus may be made for those who were wearing masks and socially distanced from an individual who tested positive.