

# Staff Case Response Guidance

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Please use the tables below for Quarantine and Isolation decisions for staff that have been exposed to a COVID-19 case, have symptoms, or test positive.

## Staff Quarantines Due To Exposure

All asymptomatic staff who are exposed to a COVID-19 case may continue to work, regardless of vaccination status. Note: When counting days after an exposure, Day Zero is the last day someone was exposed to the case.

| Vaccine Status   | Guidance   | Test Window   |
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| Any Vaccination Status (This includes staff who are not vaccinated or not fully vaccinated.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Can remain at work with NO symptoms</li><li>• Must mask at work through June 3, 2022</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Take a proctored COVID-19 test between days 3-5*</li><li>• NOTE: If you have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days, you do not need to test unless instructed to do so by Public Health or a medical provider.</li></ul> |

*\*In some instances on-site testing may not directly coincide with the recommended test dates. Staff are asked to make their best effort to test on or near the stated test days. BUSD testing is also available at the Curtis St. entrance of Berkeley Adult School.*

## Isolation After Testing Positive for COVID-19

Please use this table for isolation decisions for staff that have tested positive for COVID-19.

Note: For counting purposes, Day Zero is the day someone first has symptoms or tests positive if they haven't had symptoms.

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| Staff that test positive for Covid-19 (regardless of vaccination status) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stay home and isolate for 5 days</li><li>• Isolation can end after Day 5 if:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Symptoms are not present or are resolving</li><li>○ No fever, without the use of fever-reducing medicine</li><li>○ You test negative on Day 5 or later on a proctored test (<u>a rapid antigen test is recommended</u>)</li><li>○ Use the Google Form link in your Isolation letter to upload your negative test result.</li></ul></li><li>• Must mask at work through June 3, 2022.</li><li>• If unable to test and symptoms are not present or resolving, isolation can end after Day 10</li><li>• If symptoms are not resolving, continue to</li></ul> |
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isolate until symptoms are resolving or until after Day 10

## COVID-19 Symptoms (Staff)

When Staff Has COVID-19 Symptoms

- Isolate and complete a proctored Covid-19 test.
- If test result is negative and your symptoms have improved/no fever (without the use of fever-reducing medicine), you may return to work.
- Must mask at work through June 3..
- Staff may also get a medical provider's note stating that their symptoms are not from COVID and may return to work with improving symptoms/no fever.