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COVID-19 Updates for Students – Fall 2022

ENTRY AND RE-ENTRY TESTING

All students must present a negative COVID-19 antigen (rapid) test performed and submitted within 24 hours of arrival on campus for their first time in the fall semester. A self-test is advised. Free at-home tests are available through the federal government at [USPS Self-Test Kits](#).

Students can take a photo of their **negative test result** and email it with their name, date of birth, day and time of test to covidtestresults@kings.edu.

If you test positive, please remain home and follow [CDC guidelines for isolation and returning to school](#).

Students must report their **positive test result** with their name, date of birth, day and time of test by email to studenthealth@kings.edu and studentaffairs@kings.edu.

ON-CAMPUS MASKING

Masks are optional but completely accepted and encouraged for anyone with health risks or concern about recent known or possible COVID-19 exposure. The COVID-19 status and risk projections will be monitored throughout the semester. Mask requirements may be reinstated dependent on risk status in our county, on our campus, and in the world.

If you have any symptoms or recent known exposure, **please wear a mask** and seek [CDC guidance on quarantine](#), which varies dependent on vaccination status.

COVID-19 VACCINATION

Vaccination remains the leading prevention strategy for serious COVID-19 illness and death. Prior to the start of the fall semester, all students must upload the following @ [Student Health Portal](#), if they have not already done so:

1. Proof of COVID-19 vaccination, qualified as two (2) mRNA vaccines or one (1) Johnson & Johnson vaccine

OR

2. A signed Informed Consent Waiver for those who wish to waive vaccination

The CDC recommends that all eligible individuals be vaccinated as soon as possible and remain [up to date in their vaccinations](#), which includes receiving a booster when eligible. Failure to receive recommended vaccination places an individual at higher risk for severe COVID infection. Individuals who waive vaccination must agree to undergo or submit periodic COVID-19 surveillance testing, the timing of which is to be determined and subject to change. **Anyone unvaccinated or not up to date with their COVID-19 vaccine boosters may be required to quarantine (at home) if a close contact to a COVID positive person.**

Do NOT travel to campus if...

- You **tested positive** for COVID-19 in the last five (5) days.
- You have active **COVID-19 symptoms**.
- You are **waiting for the results** of a COVID-19 test.
- You had close contact with a person with COVID-19 and **are recommended to quarantine per CDC guidelines**.