

Examples for COVID-19 Isolation

Fraternity and Sorority Life
University of Kentucky

Accommodations for Residents or Employees

- Students who test positive for COVID-19
 - Students diagnosed with COVID-19 should return home if possible, for treatment and recovery time. If this is not possible, the chapter should work with the University to find a suitable arrangement.
 - *Students should follow the most current [CDC guidelines](#) in conjunction with UHS to determine when to return to campus.*
 - *Determine what the plan will be for each individual student before students arrive to campus.*
- Students who have been exposed, but not tested positive for COVID-19.
 - Roommates of a student who tested positive for COVID-19 should also self-isolate for 14 days and negative COVID-19 results before returning to class or work. The student should be provided a private bathroom if possible. If a private bathroom is not possible then the person who is sick should clean and disinfect the frequently touched surfaces in the bathroom after each use.
 - Open windows to increase air circulation in the area. Wait 24 hours before you clean or disinfect and follow procedures outlined by the [CDC](#). If 24 hours is not feasible, wait as long as possible.
 - Students may self-isolate in their bedrooms 30 minutes after the room has been cleaned.
 - Self-isolating students should be provided with meals by the chapter in their private rooms.
 - The isolation rooms should be labeled externally with appropriate signage that states restricted access (e.g., “Private Quarters” or “Authorized Personnel Only”) but does not state the reason for the restricted access due to concerns about potential for stigma and FERPA/ HIPAA violations.
 - The House Director should work with chapter leadership and the self-isolating student to identify a plan to provide other necessary items including medications.
 - University staff will remotely monitor students on a daily basis (temperature checks and symptom screening).
- Employees who test positive for COVID-19
 - *Follow current [CDC guidelines](#) and Fayette County Health Department for ending self-isolation.*
 - Employees who are residents of the facility can self-isolate in their apartments within the facility.

Examples

1. Alex and Bailey share a bedroom. Alex tests positive and goes home. Bailey moves to the self-isolation room. After Alex leaves the room there is a waiting period of 24 hours before the room can be cleaned and then one more hour for the disinfection to work. After the room is cleaned, Bailey can move into the original room and must remain in quarantine for 14 days. After Bailey vacates the self-isolation room, the room and

designated bathroom must be cleaned and disinfected in order to be ready for the next student.

2. Alex, Bailey and Casey share a three-person bedroom. Alex tests positive and goes home. Bailey and Casey move to two separate self-isolation rooms. After Alex leaves the room there is a waiting period of 24 hours before the room can be cleaned and then one more hour for the disinfection to work. After the room is cleaned, Bailey can move into the original room and must remain in quarantine for 14 days. Casey stays in the isolation room for 14 days. After Casey vacates the second self-isolation room, the room and designated bathroom must be cleaned and disinfected in order to be ready for the next student.
3. Alex, Bailey, Casey and Drew share a four-person bedroom. Alex tests positive and goes home. Bailey, Casey and Drew move to three separate self-isolation rooms. After Alex leaves the room there is a waiting period of 24 hours before the room can be cleaned and then one more hour for the disinfection to work. After the room is cleaned, Bailey can move into the original room and must remain in quarantine for 14 days. Casey and Drew each stay in the isolation rooms for 14 days. After Casey and Drew vacate the self-isolation rooms, the rooms and designated bathrooms must be cleaned and disinfected in order to be ready for the next student.

Vacant Rooms for Isolation

- One room should be left vacant for every 20 residents in the facility to accommodate residents who need to self-isolate. If vacant rooms are not available, then other accommodations should be arranged in advance. Round up not down.
- Houses with bedrooms for three residents should have at least two vacant rooms for self-isolation.
- Houses with bedrooms for four residents should have at least three vacant rooms for self-isolation.
- The self-isolation rooms or bathrooms should not be used by others so they are ready for the exposed roommate to immediately move-in.
- For suites that have two bedrooms and one shared bathroom, only the roommates who were in the bedroom with the COVID-19 positive student will need to self-isolate. The bathroom will need to be cleaned and disinfected before use.
- It is not the best scenario but suites that have two bedrooms and one shared bathroom can be used for self-isolation rooms. If possible, place only one student per bedroom. Exposed roommates can share the bathroom but both will need to clean before and after each use.
- See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine.html> for guidance on how long residents should stay in quarantine/self-isolation.

**Italicized text is new updated information to the Guidelines.*