

COVID-19 Student Testing Protocol

Mandatory COVID-19 Testing starting Monday, Oct. 19, 2020—sign up for appointment now

All students are required to test in order to come or live on campus. Residential students will be tested on a consistent basis. Students who do not test will not be allowed to come or remain on campus. Students are strongly encouraged to test on campus, however, if a student chooses to test elsewhere, they are still subject to mandatory reporting. The following outlines the protocol and requirements for COVID-19 testing.

- **Step 1:** Student gets tested for COVID-19
 - On-Campus testing: Rapid Test administered; using NAVICA App
 - Students are asked to download the [NAVICA App](#) to register prior to testing. Students must have a valid email address to register in the app and must bring their student ID or state issued ID.
 - At the time of testing, students will receive information on what to do to do if their result indicates they are positive for COVID-19. t a positive test result
 - On-Campus Testing Appointments:
 - In order to remain eligible for on-campus housing, all current on-campus residents must download the NAVICA testing app (blue icon) and sign up/complete a COVID-19 test during testing times for their building (students currently in isolation will not have to be tested at this time).
 - **Please sign up for an appointment using the links below.** You must provide your name, email address, phone number and hall/room number when you select your appointment time.
 - Monday: 8am to 12pm in BLDG 1 lobby – testing required for all residents living in BLDG 1 and Goode
Hall: <http://slyreply.com/app/sheets/5dhs6psfk90/>
 - Monday: 1pm to 4pm in BLDG 3 lobby – testing required for all residents living in BLDG 3: <http://slyreply.com/app/sheets/icxub2zqaorm/>
 - Thursday: 8am to 12pm in BLDG 2 lobby - testing required for all residents living in BLDG 2 and Robinson
Hall: <http://slyreply.com/app/sheets/wqc9m7p53rzo/>
 - Thursday: 1pm to 4pm in BLDG 4 lobby - testing required for all residents living in BLDG 4: <http://slyreply.com/app/sheets/9dpg6frsvo4u/>

- **Off-Campus testing: If a student is tested at a COVID-19 test site off-campus, THEY MUST SEND THEIR TEST RESULTS TO Mrs. Nona Brown at studenthealthservices@fmuniv.edu as soon as they receive them**
 - **If a student fails to inform the University of their test results and we learn at a later date they tested positive, students housing privileges will**
 - **be suspended immediately and will have to finish the academic year off campus.**
 - **Go to Step 3**
- **Step 2:** Results are sent to student via NAVICA App in about 15 minutes; and Ms. Nona Brown will receive the results as well
- **Step 3:** Ms. Nona Brown will send key personnel list of students who tested positive
- **Step 4:** Ms. Myra McPhee/Housing & Residential Life (HRL) Staff will send an email to student(s) with the information they need to follow to quarantine/isolate
- **Step 5:** Residence Hall Coordinator(s) **will then call each student** receiving the email to make sure they are aware of their status and information in the email
 - They will ask students how they are doing; make sure they received the email with information about quarantine/isolation; ask if they need anything; collect their dietary restrictions for meals if they are staying on campus.
 - Contact information
- **Step 6:** Resident goes into quarantine/isolation either in isolation room on campus, room at isolation hotel sponsored by Miami-Dade County, or private residence off-campus.
 - Isolation rooms are only in the Living Learning Centers
 - Must be a private bedroom with bathroom
 - If student has a roommate who tested negative for COVID-19, then the student who tested positive must quarantine off-campus.
 - Students who quarantine on campus must stay in their room at all times during this period.
 - Students are not allowed to quarantine/isolate in Goode or Robinson Hall.
 - If student quarantines off campus, resident must inform HRL staff before they leave campus.
 - FMU will provide transportation to students who inform HRL staff that they need this service. Transportation will be daily based on the schedule organized by Student Affairs and Transportation.

- **Step 7:** HRL staff will call students in quarantine regularly to check on them, whether on campus or off campus, to see how they are doing and if they need anything
 - If HRL staff can't reach student by phone, they will send the student an email to check in as well
 - Here is some information they will share during your check-in calls:
 - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/steps-when-sick.html>
 - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/end-home-isolation.html>
 - HRL staff will ask if student needs to talk with Dr. Jason Prendergast within UCSS
 - Office number: For assistance, scheduling an appointment, and any concerns or questions please call 305-626-3138.
 - Crisis/Emergency: 954-383-3776
 - <https://www.fmuniv.edu/university-counseling-support-services/>
- **Step 8:** HRL staff will complete a daily log of communication and interaction with students in quarantine and submit their documentation.
- **Step 9:** Mrs. Nona Brown or HRL Staff will send student email to release them from quarantine, letting them know they are able to leave their room or come back to campus.
 - If they are at the hotel, HRL staff will ask student if they need a ride back to campus.
 - If so, HRL staff will coordinate transportation with FMU Transportation.
- **Step 10:** HRL Staff will encourage them to contact their primary doctor to go in for a general physical
 - Share this information regarding the long-term effects of COVID-19: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/long-term-effects.html>

If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact Ms. Myra McPhee, Director of Housing & Residential Life and/or Ms. Nona Brown, Student Health Services Coordinator.