Mercer University COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

1. INDIVIDUAL TESTS POSITIVE: ISOLATE AS DIRECTED BY MERCER MEDICINE
   - Remain in isolation for at least 5 days after your positive test result, regardless of your vaccination status.
   - May be cleared from isolation after 5 days if asymptomatic or symptoms are improving.
   - If cleared from isolation after 5 days, wear a well-fitting mask for the next 5 days.
   - Isolation will extend beyond 5 days if new symptoms develop or symptoms worsen.

   REMEMBER:
   - You must be cleared from isolation by Mercer Medicine in order to return to class or work on campus.
   - Test on or off campus. Home tests are not accepted.
   - Submit a copy of your off-campus result to mytestreport@mercer.edu.

2. INDIVIDUAL HAS SYMPTOMS BUT HAS NOT BEEN TESTED
   - Get tested immediately.
   - Call the Campus Health COVID-19 Hotline at (478) 301-SICK (7425) if you have a medical need.
   - Isolate as directed by Mercer Medicine pending the outcome of your test.

   FOR TESTING:
   If you are sick, call the Campus Health Center COVID-19 Hotline at (478) 301-SICK (7425) for a testing appointment.
   If you are not sick, go to go.mercer.edu/covidappt to schedule a testing appointment.
   Test results are returned in most cases within one to two business days. There will be no repeat testing in the event of a positive test result.

3. INDIVIDUAL HAS SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE TO INFECTED INDIVIDUAL (Within six feet for 15 or more minutes)
   - Wear a well-fitting mask in the presence of others.
   - Physically distance from others at least six feet when feasible.
   - Self monitor for symptoms.
   - If symptoms develop, get tested immediately.
   - Test if desired or as directed by a physician. Go to go.mercer.edu/covidappt to schedule a testing appointment.
   - Monitor your symptoms pending the outcome of your test.

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