



COVID PROTOCOL FOR CLINICAL STUDENTS WHO FEEL SYMPTOMATIC

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY IS CRITICAL IN PROTECTING ONE'S OWN HEALTH AS WELL AS THOSE ON AUGUSTA UNIVERSITY'S CAMPUSES.

EXPERIENCING ONE OR MORE SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19:

Fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, runny nose, congestion, headache, new loss of taste or smell, muscle pain, fatigue, nausea, vomiting and/or diarrhea.



Complete the Student COVID reporting form augusta.edu/students-report-covid.

Contact Student Health at 706-721-3448 for questions about symptoms or to schedule an appointment.



CALL AU COVID HOTLINE: 706-721-1852 and PRESS 1

- Report your symptoms.
- Arrange for COVID testing based on Hotline review of your symptoms.
- Do not attend any in-person classes and/or clinics
- Contact professors for instruction and inform them of your expected absence.
- Contact Housing Office, if applicable.
- Contact Dean of Students if assistance is needed with classes.

AU COVID-19 HOTLINE RECOMMENDS TESTING



YES



Stay home until test results are reported to you.



NO



Stay home until symptoms are gone, you feel better/no temp. for at least 24 hours (without medication).



POSITIVE TEST

Submit a screenshot of COVID-19 test results to reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu.



SELF-ISOLATE

For at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared and at least 24 hours with no fever (without taking fever reducing medication) and improvement in symptoms.



NEGATIVE TEST

Submit a screenshot of COVID-19 test results to reportstudentcovid@augusta.edu.



- Clinical students should check with their Dean before returning to clinic.
- If students were not exposed, they may return to classes after symptoms subside for 24 hours and may ask Student Health evaluate their symptoms.
- Call Student Health if "clearance for return" is needed. Professor may request note from student's medical provider in order to excuse the absence.



RETURN TO CLASS

Student Health: 706-721-3448 | AU COVID-19 Hotline: 706-721-1852 | Dean of Students 706-737-1411