COVID PROTOCOL FOR NON-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.

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.

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.

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

SELF-ISOLATE
For at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared, with the last 24 hours of the 10 days being fever free (without taking fever reducing medication).

- If students were not exposed, they may return to classes after symptoms subside for 24 hours and may call Student Health to 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

Augusta University protocols created based on guidance from University System of Georgia, Department of Public Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. See augusta.edu/reopening for the latest protocol and information.