

# Erikson Institute

## COVID Procedures

**If you test positive for COVID-19, regardless of vaccination status:**

**Send an email immediately to:**

- STAFF: your supervisor and [HR@erikson.edu](mailto:HR@erikson.edu)
- STUDENTS: [registration@erikson.edu](mailto:registration@erikson.edu) and [HR@erikson.edu](mailto:HR@erikson.edu)
- Please include:
  - the date of your positive test results (home test OR lab test).
  - your last date on campus.
  - the names of those you had extended contact (more than 15 minutes) on your last day on campus.
- We will contact trace affected students or staff as needed.

**Protocol (based on [CDC recommendations](#)):**

1. From the date of your positive test, stay home for at least 5 full calendar days.
  - Stay home for 5 days and [isolate](#) from others in your home.
  - Wear a [well-fitting mask](#) if you must be around others in your home.
  - [Do not travel](#).
2. Ending isolation after your positive test
  - If you had symptoms:  
[End isolation after 5 full days](#) if you are fever-free for 24 hours (without the use of fever-reducing medication) and your symptoms are improving.
  - If you did NOT have symptoms  
[End isolation after at least 5 full days](#) after your positive test.
  - If you got very sick from COVID-19 or have a weakened immune system, you should isolate for at least 10 days. [Consult your doctor before ending isolation](#).
3. Take precautions until day 10 after your positive test
  - Wear a [well-fitting mask](#) for 10 full days any time you are around others inside your home or in public. Do not go to places where you are unable to wear a mask.
  - [Do not travel](#) until a full 10 days after the date of your positive test.
4. Return to the Erikson campus:
  - On or after day 11 from the date of your positive test  
**OR**
  - If you wish to return sooner than day 11, provide a negative lab test result (not a home test). Rapid Antigen test or PCR are acceptable.

**Please click here for: [Erikson COVID-19 info](#)**