

Quarantine and Isolation Protocol

Contact the following as soon as possible if you have been in direct contact (within six feet for a time period of 15 minutes or more) with someone who has COVID-19, have symptoms of COVID-19, or have tested positive for COVID-19:

- **Faculty and Staff Members**, notify your direct supervisor and human resources. The contact in human resources is Phranses Williams at 318.274-6118 or williamsph@gram.edu
Supervisors must maintain strict confidentiality.
- **For students**, email Health Center at gsuhealthcenter@gram.edu or 318-274-2351. Please provide your name, campus ID, cell phone, whether you live on or off campus, and best method to contact you.

On-Campus Testing

Foster Johnson Health Center (*Temporarily located at the GSU Laboratory High School on GSU Campus*)

Free rapid testing is available at Health Center for *students* temporarily located at 407 Central Avenue.

Hours of Operations

Monday-Thursday

7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday

7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Louisiana National Guard (Spring 2022 Update)

Free PCR testing is available administered through the Louisiana National Guard for both *students and faculty and staff* and community is located on GSU campus in **Grambling Hall**

Hours of Operations

Monday-Thursday

8am-6pm

Friday

8am-11am

On-Campus Vaccination

Pfizer, Moderna, or the single dose of Johnson and Johnson vaccinations and **Boosters** are being administered through the Louisiana National Guard for student, faculty and staff and community is located on GSU campus in Grambling Hall Auditorium

Hours of Operation

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (not issued on holidays)

8am-6pm

Guiding Principles

Our overall focus will be the continued reduction of the spread of COVID-19 to protect our staff, faculty, and students. That means that in all that we do, the following will serve as our guiding principles:

1. **Prepare to reopen the Physical Campus** informed by public health and government guidelines and policies.
2. **Manage & Control Access Points** for safety and to reduce cross-contamination.
3. **Practice Social Distancing** by removing Touch Points and any elements that do not support reducing the spread of COVID-19.
4. **Prepare the Students and Workforce** to navigate safely on and around the campus, especially learning spaces.
5. **Efficiently identify** a campus positive or direct contact of a positive in order to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 across the Grambling State campus community.
6. **Follow direction and guidance** from the CDC, LDH and/or local health officials on contact tracing and best practices.
7. **Work together as a Tiger Family** to ensure the health, safety, and well-being of our students, faculty, and staff.
8. **Communicate and reinforce the *BEST of GSU***

If you have been in direct contact with someone who has COVID-19, have symptoms of COVID-19, or have tested positive for COVID-19, do not come to campus. If you reside on campus, self-isolate in your residence.

Amended Quarantine Isolation protocols

CDC GUIDANCE ON WHEN TO QUARANTINE

Effective December 27, 2021 (Update)

Upon receiving revised quarantine guidance from the CDC, the following revisions are now in place for quarantine:

Isolation

Regardless of vaccination status, if you test positive for COVID-19, you must isolate until the following has occurred:

- Stay home/isolation for 5 days.
- If you have no symptoms or your symptoms are resolving after 5 days, you can leave your house/isolation.
- Continue to wear a mask around others for 5 additional days.

If you have a fever, continue to stay home until your fever resolves.

Additionally, you should consider the following:

- Monitor your symptoms. If you have an [emergency warning sign](#) (including trouble breathing), seek emergency medical care immediately.
- Stay in a separate room from other household members, if possible.
- Use a separate bathroom, if possible.
- Avoid contact with other members of the household and pets.
- Don't share personal household items, like cups, towels, and utensils.
- **Wear a mask** when around other people if able

[Quarantine](#)

If You Were Exposed to Someone with COVID-19 (Quarantine)

If you:

- Have been boosted or,
- Completed the primary series of Pfizer or Moderna vaccine within the last 6 months or,
- Completed the primary series of J&J vaccine within the last 2 months

You must:

- Wear a mask around others for 10 days.
- Test on day 5, if possible.

If you develop symptoms get a test and stay home.

If you:

- Completed the primary series of Pfizer or Moderna vaccine over 6 months ago and are not boosted, or
- Completed the primary series of J&J over 2 months ago and are not boosted, or
- Are unvaccinated

You must:

- Stay home for 5 days. After that continue to wear a mask around others for 5 additional days.
- If you can't quarantine you must wear a mask for 10 days.
- Test on day 5 if possible.

If you develop symptoms get a test and stay home