



HUMAN RESOURCES SUMMER SESSION 2022 STUDENT NEWSLETTER



Welcome to the 2022 summer session. All of us at Citrus College wish you much success in your summer classes!

In preparation for your on-campus classes and activities, please know that the college will be continuing with well established COVID-19 safety protocols designed to keep you as safe as possible and to be consistent with requirements and recommendations from the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health (Public Health).

For the 2022 summer session, the following COVID-19 safety protocols will be in place (subject to modification based on requirements from Public Health).

TESTING

A. Required Weekly Testing

Students attending on-campus classes or activities will be required to take a weekly PCR COVID-19 test. The test is free for students and results from the test will normally be provided within 24-48 hours from the date of test.

Start Date: Monday, June 27, 2022

Testing Location: Campus Center (CC) Room 104
[campus map \[PDF\]](#)

Testing Hours: Monday: 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Tuesday: 3 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Thursday: 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

B. Students Who Have Been in Close Contact with a COVID-19 Case on Campus

If during the summer session you are in close contact with a person on campus with COVID-19, the current protocols provide that you are to take an antigen COVID-19 test between day 3 and 5 of the date of your close contact. Take home rapid antigen tests will be available for any student who has had a close contact with a person with COVID-19 on campus. Please go to the testing center listed above to pick up a test.

If you test positive, please inform your instructors and our college nurse, Dr. Shauna Bigby, via email at shc@citruscollege.edu. Please see the instructions for close contacts on page 3.

DAILY PRE-SCREENING

Students attending classes/activities on campus or working on campus are required to download the free Citrus College Mobile app and complete the daily pre-screening questions (available through Apple or Google app stores).

Prior to arriving at campus, please make sure you answer all of the questions. When you receive a green pass, you may proceed to your class or activity. Please show your pass to the instructor while entering the classroom or building.

If you receive a red pass (for example, you indicate you have a sore throat), you are not to come to campus and may not enter any classroom or building. Please let your instructors know that you have received a red pass. If you make a mistake answering any of the questions and get a red pass in error, please send an email to shc@citruscollege.edu to have the pass cleared.



You are also required to scan the posted QR code for the classroom or building upon entrance. Please scan the QR code for each classroom or building you enter. This is critical in the event that we have to conduct contact tracing in response to a COVID-19 case.

MASK REQUIREMENT

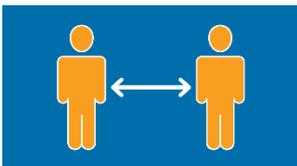
Students are strongly advised to wear a mask indoors when around other people. Please know that as of today, as directed by Public Health, students are not required to wear a mask while in any college classroom or building.

Please note that if Los Angeles County continues to experience an increase in the community transmission of COVID-19, it is anticipated that Public Health will issue an indoor mask requirement. If and when this occurs, you will be notified of the new mask requirement.



When wearing a mask, please note that fabric/cloth masks do not provide sufficient protection; a medical grade (surgical cloth/paper masks), N-95 and KN-95 mask should be worn. The college will provide you with a mask upon request. Please note that proper use of a mask requires that the mask cover your face and nose at all times while inside a classroom or building.

SOCIAL DISTANCING



Social distancing, while not required, is always strongly recommended where possible.

ENTERING AND EXITING A CLASSROOM

Upon entering and exiting a classroom or building, please use the provided hand sanitizer to wash your hands. When leaving a classroom or other building, please help keep the rooms as clean as possible by making sure you do not leave a used mask behind and that you use the provided disinfectant wipes or spray to wipe down your desk or other areas in the room that you may have touched.



PROTOCOLS FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE COVID-19 POSITIVE

The following is intended to implement recent changes by the California Department of Public Health, Cal/OSHA and the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health to the COVID-19 case isolation protocols. The quarantine period for close contacts as described below apply to students regardless of vaccination status or previous COVID-19 infection.

Students who test positive or have been otherwise diagnosed as being infected with COVID-19 (COVID-19 case), must isolate and remain off campus for a period of at least five (5) days from the date symptoms began or from the date of a positive COVID-19 test, whichever is earlier. You may end your isolation and return to work or classes or other campus activities after five (5) days provided:

1. you receive a negative COVID-19 test on day five (5) of the isolation
2. you have been fever free (less than 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit) for at least twenty-four (24) hours and symptoms, if present, are improving

In the event the COVID-19 case tests positive on day five (5) or still has a fever or symptoms are not improving, you must remain in isolation for a total of ten (10) days from the date symptoms began or from the date of a positive COVID-19 test, whichever is earlier.

COVID-19 cases, regardless of the isolation period that is applicable, are required to wear an appropriate face covering (mask) while indoors in any college building for a period of ten (10) days from the date symptoms began or from the date of a positive COVID-19 test, whichever is earlier.

PROTOCOLS FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH A COVID-19 CASE

The following is intended to implement recent changes by the California Department of Public Health, Cal/OSHA and the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health to the close contact protocols.

The protocols below apply to students regardless of vaccination status or previous COVID-19 infection.

Close contacts do not need to stay away from work or on-campus classes/activities. Any student who has received notice that they have been a close contact with a COVID-19 case must:

1. take a COVID-19 test, available at the on-campus testing site, three to five (3-5) days from the date of exposure
2. wear an appropriate face covering (mask) for a period of ten (10) days from the date of exposure
3. monitor for any COVID-19-related symptoms

If such symptoms appear, do not enter a college building until you receive a negative COVID-19 test. If you test positive for COVID-19, you must follow the "Protocols for Students who are COVID-19 Positive" protocols above.

THANK YOU

Thank you for following each of the safety protocols. We hope you have a rewarding summer session!