# **Students living on campus**—steps to take with a confirmed or possible COVID-19 diagnosis



On-campus housing consists of the residence halls and apartment buildings managed by UMD Housing & Residence Life.

#### **MAKE A PLAN**

Students and families make a contingency plan in case they are exposed to or test positive for COVID-19.

## STUDENT DEVELOPS SYMPTOMS

Student completes a <u>screening</u> <u>form</u>, calls Health Services at 218-726-8155, or calls their personal health care provider.

#### STUDENT IS ASSESSED

- UMD Health Services staff or personal health care provider assesses student's symptoms, determines if testing is needed, and advises on health care best practices.
- Health Services notifies
   Housing & Residence Life
   (HRL) regarding isolation
   housing for student while
   awaiting test results.

#### IF TEST IS NEGATIVE

- Student continues to isolate until symptoms have resolved.
- Student practices physical distancing, personal hygiene, and use of face coverings.
- Student continues to monitor personal health and contacts Health Services if needed.



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#### IF STUDENT RECEIVES A POSITIVE TEST RESULT

- If from personal health care provider, student informs Health Services
  of their positive test through the <u>screening form</u>. This step is strongly
  recommended to help protect the community, though not required. Once
  notified, HRL can provide isolation housing.
- If from Health Services, HRL staff contact student about next steps to support them with a positive test result.
- Student may choose to isolate off campus.



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## IF STUDENT ISOLATES ON CAMPUS

- Student will be asked to monitor their symptoms daily and report them to Health Services.
- Student contacts faculty about ongoing academic support if missing class. (Student is not required to disclose isolation or quarantine status.)
- HRL and Dining Services provide student ongoing housing and dining support.
- Student contacts Health Services if condition changes or worsens.
- Health Services notifies HRL when student may return to regular on-campus housing.

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## IF STUDENT ISOLATES OFF CAMPUS

- Student contacts faculty about ongoing academic support if missing class.
   (Student not required to disclose isolation or quarantine status.)
- Student contacts Health Services if condition changes or worsens.
- Health Services determines when student may return to regular on-campus housing.

#### CONTACT TRACING AND QUARANTINE

Students, faculty, staff, or others who may have had close contact with a confirmed positive case will be notified by Health Services or public health officials through contact tracing. > Health Services will tell HRL, and student will be moved to quarantine housing. Student may choose to quarantine off campus. > After 14 days with no symptoms, student returns to regular on-campus residence. If student develops symptoms during this time, they would follow the outlined process. Names of people who test positive or who may have been exposed will not be released, per HIPAA and FERPA rules.

#### WHO TO CONTACT

Health and wellness: <u>UMD Health Services</u> 218-726-8155 or umdhs@d.umn.edu

University on-campus housing: Housing & Residence Life umdhouse@d.umn.edu

Classes and academic support: Contact instructors or advisor.

Case: Someone who has had a confirmed positive test for COVID-19.

**Close contact**: Spending at least 15 minutes or more while fewer than 6 feet from someone who has a confirmed case of COVID-19 disease.

**Isolation**: When someone has a confirmed case of the virus and is asked by local health authorities to

stay in one place away from others for 10 days after symptoms first appear, has gone 24 hours without a fever, and symptoms improve.

Quarantine: When someone who has been in close contact with someone who is confirmed to have the virus stays in one place away from others for 14 days after close contact to avoid transmitting it to others.