Seattle JazzED
Positive COVID-19 Response
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In the event of a positive COVID-19 case at Seattle JazzED, staff will report the case to Public Health – Seattle and King County and assist in contact tracing as well as communication to affected students and/or staff within 24 hours of knowledge. JazzED will take the following steps to maintain the safety of all students, teachers, staff, and community members:

1. JazzED will notify all individuals who had close contact with the person with confirmed COVID-19.
2. Any affected class will be moved to remote/virtual learning until a proper safety evaluation has been performed.
3. JazzED staff will contact Public Health to begin the contact tracing process.
4. Individuals with a confirmed case and any close contacts will receive guidance from Public Health and the Seattle JazzED team.

How is close contact defined?

- Close contact is someone who was within 6 feet of a person with COVID-19 for at least 15 cumulative minutes over a 24-hour period while the person with COVID-19 was infectious.
- The infectious period of someone with COVID-19 starts two (2) days before the onset of symptoms or is estimated as two (2) days before the positive test collection date if someone with COVID-19 is asymptomatic.
- This applies whether the person with COVID-19 or the contact was wearing a mask.
- Ultimate determination of a close contact is made by Public Health during its investigation.
- If identified as a close contact, a person may need to quarantine as outlined below.

What is quarantine and who is required to do it?

Quarantine is when someone who has been exposed to COVID-19 stays home and away from others for the recommended period of time in case they were infected and are contagious. Quarantine becomes isolation if the person later test positive for COVID-19 or develops symptoms.

Who is considered fully vaccinated?

The Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that a person is fully vaccinated if:

1. It has been at least 2 weeks since their second dose in a 2-dose series (i.e., Pfizer, Moderna) OR
2. 2 weeks after a single-dose vaccine (i.e., Johnson & Johnson)
If it has been less that 2 weeks since your final vaccine shot, or if you still need to get your second dose (of a 2-dose series), you are **NOT** fully protected and must follow the recommended quarantine guidelines for non-vaccinated individuals.

**Quarantine Guidelines**

The following are guidelines for quarantine/isolation informed by information from [CDC Quarantine and Isolation](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prepare/quarantine.html):

If you have confirmed or suspected COVID-19 and **have symptoms**, you may return to JazzED when:

- It’s been at least 24 hours with no fever without using fever-reducing medication **AND**
- Your symptoms have improved, **AND**
- When it has been at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared

If you test positive for COVID-19, but **have not had any symptoms**, you may return to JazzED when:

- At least 10 days have passed since the date of your first positive COVID-19 test, **AND**
- You have had no subsequent symptoms

If you have come into close contact with a person with COVID-19 **AND**:

- **Are fully vaccinated**, you may return to JazzED when:
  - You have not had symptoms since the current COVID-19 exposure **AND**
  - You are tested 4-5 days after known COVID-19 exposure and receive a negative result

- **Are NOT fully vaccinated**, you may return to JazzED when:
  - You have not had symptoms for 10 days after your current exposure **AND**
  - Receive a negative COVID-19 test result no sooner than 48 hours before ending your 10-day quarantine

**COVID-19 Resources**

Washington State COVID-19 Hotline – (800) 525-0127
- For reporting a positive COVID-19 result
- For assistance in various languages

Please click on any of the following link for more information on a given topic

**Testing Locations**
[King County COVID-19 Information and Resources Page](https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/health/disease-prevention-and-control/coronavirus-testing-and-vaccination)

For individuals who do not have access to a doctor or health care provider, please visit the [Department of Health’s Testing FAQ](https://www.doh.wa.gov/COVID19/TestingFAQ) or call the [WA State COVID-19 Information Hotline](https://www.wa.gov/health/causes/coronavirus/covid-19-information-helpline) for free or low-cost testing options.