CLEMSON UNIVERSITY
CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)
HEALTH AND SAFETY DIRECTIVE: ISOLATION & QUARANTINE

In accordance with the Compliance with Health and Safety Directives policy, this document has been developed with the overarching priority of ensuring the health and safety of our students, employees, and the surrounding community. Incidents of noncompliance will result in referrals to the Office of Community and Ethical Standards (students), Office of Human Resources (employees) and Procurement Services (contractors).

In accordance with CDC recommendations and DHEC recommendations, the University follows the quarantine and isolation protocols below:

**QUARANTINE**

**Individuals who have not received all recommended vaccine doses, to include boosters**
- Individuals must quarantine for five (5) days after being exposed to a known positive case of COVID-19. If the individual remains asymptomatic during this quarantine, they will be allowed to exit quarantine*. They should wear a well-fitting mask for five (5) days following quarantine.
- If an individual tests positive or develops COVID-19 like symptoms while in quarantine, they must isolate from other people and follow the isolation section below.

**Individuals who have received all recommended vaccine doses, to include boosters, and have uploaded documented proof of vaccination through the upload tool, or who have tested positive for COVID-19 within the last 90 days**
- Individuals meeting these criteria, who are asymptomatic, are not required to physically quarantine after exposed to a known positive case
- Individuals should wear a well-fitting mask for ten (10) days after exposure
- If an individual tests positive or develop COVID-19 like symptoms, they must isolate from other people and follow the isolation section below.

**ISOLATION – Regardless of vaccination status**

In accordance with CDC and DHEC recommendations, upon testing positive, individuals must isolate for at least five (5) days. Positive tests not collected through on campus testing must be documented through the upload tool.
At day five (5), if symptoms have not resolved, or the individual has not been fever-free for at least 24 hours without fever-reducing medication, isolation will be extended to ten (10) days. If released from isolation at day five (5)*, individuals should wear a well-fitting mask for five (5) days following isolation.

*Adherence to instructions from University health providers regarding exit from isolation and/or quarantine is required.