CLEMSON UNIVERSITY
CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)
HEALTH AND SAFETY DIRECTIVE: PRE-SEMESTER TESTING
FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

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) and Office of Human Resources (employees).

All employees and non-residential students accessing main campus and CU-ICAR are required to have ONE pre-semester test at the start of the Fall 2021 Semester.

Non-residential students and all employees on main campus and CU-ICAR must provide proof of one of the following by either testing onsite with Rymedi or uploading documentation in the COVID-19 Test Result Upload Tool:

- a negative test collected between August 9-17th **OR**
- a previous infection on May 20th or after, *and* medical clearance letter

Negative Test Information
For the negative test, the University will accept the tests below collected between August 9-17th:
- a COVID-19 *negative* PCR (polymerase chain reaction) test (via nasal, nasopharyngeal, throat, saliva) **OR**
- a COVID-19 *negative* antigen test.

Proof of Previous Infection**
For proof of previous infection, the University will accept the tests below that were collected on May 20th or after, with a clearance letter:
- a COVID-19 *positive* PCR test (via nasal, nasopharyngeal, throat, saliva) **OR**
- a COVID-19 *positive* antigen test.

*The University will not accept a serological (antibody) test at this time.

The University will provide saliva testing on main campus and at CU-ICAR, and individuals can get tested at any other location of their choice. If not tested through the University using the Rymedi platform, individuals must upload their results via the COVID-19 Test Upload Tool. Detailed information about the types of accepted tests is delineated in the tool.