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• Are face coverings required on campus?

Yes, Mitchell Community College requires face coverings for all students, faculty, staff and visitors, regardless of vaccination status in indoor spaces on campus property. Consistent and correct mask use is especially important indoors and in crowded settings when physical distancing cannot be maintained.

This is effective Tuesday, January 4, 2022, and will remain in place until further notice.

Face covering exceptions include private offices or outdoors if individuals are not in close contact with someone else, such as walking alone in an uncrowded location. It is also recommended that people who are not fully vaccinated wear a mask during outdoor activities that involve sustained close contact with other people who are not fully vaccinated if there is substantial to high community transmission. Iredell County has been designated by the Centers for Disease Control as having high community transmission.

• Is the College providing masks for faculty, staff, students and visitors?

Yes, face coverings are available at the following lobby/reception locations:

- o Statesville Campus
 - Eason Student Services Center lobby
 - Main Building at the 1st floor temperature taking kiosk
 - Workforce Development Center lobby
- Mooresville Campus
 - MCA reception (newly renovated facility)

• Are classes going all online/virtual?

At this time there is no plan to change class format from current in-person, hybrid or online formats.

COVID-19 FAQs



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Where are designated Quarantine Areas on campus?

If a quarantine space is needed for individuals to isolate before they are able to leave campus, please use:

- Statesville Campus
 - Main Building, reception/waiting area on first floor
 - Eason Student Services Center, 2nd Floor Conference Room in VP Office
 - Science Building, SB-102
 - Continuing Education, CE-19C
- Mooresville Campus
 - B Building, 1st floor stairwell near MCB-117
- Where can I find information on on-campus testing and vaccines? Visit <u>mitchellcc.edu/COVID-19</u> for links to the latest information.
- Where can I receive a vaccine? To find dates and times for vaccinations, please click <u>here</u> or visit <u>https://www.co.iredell.nc.us/1406/Community-Testing</u>.

• I have concerns that I may have been exposed to COVID-19 and/or I have symptoms. What should I do?

Contact the Mitchell Covid Response team **immediately** at <u>mitchellcovidresponse@mitchellcc.edu</u>

PLEASE STAY HOME—If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19 regardless of if you are feeling symptoms, please follow guidance from medical professionals on if you should quarantine. Because guidance is changing as new information becomes available, please refer to the <u>CDC's updated quarantine and isolation information linked here</u>.

If you feel unwell and/or are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 (positive test, no test, or awaiting results), please stay home and contact your chosen medical care professional for further instructions. It is also recommended you self-quarantine, if applicable.

Testing for COVID-19 is widely available in Iredell County, including a StarMed drive-thru testing location hosted in Mitchell's Workforce Development parking lot off of Drake Street. Find community testing dates and testing information <u>linked here</u>. With all StarMed drive-thru



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testing, please **DO NOT** enter the buildings at the testing location. Testing will be conducted from your vehicle.

Stay in contact with your instructors (students) or your supervisor (employees) for further instructions.

• I have been told to self-quarantine in association with COVID-19. How will I account for missed classes?

If you are ordered by health officials or asked by the College to self-quarantine, you should proactively contact your instructors to request an accommodation.

Instructors have been asked to provide maximum flexibility to any student who has been asked to self-quarantine in order for them to complete course requirements.

• I have been told to self-quarantine in association with COVID-19. How will I account for missed days of work?

If you are ordered by health officials or asked by the College to self-quarantine, you should proactively contact your supervisor and Human Resources immediately.