



COVID-19 Vaccination and Quarantine Protocols **Updated May 14, 2021**

As COVID-19 vaccines have become widely available, while it's not mandatory, it is the position of the Make-up Designory that all employees and students who can be vaccinated should be fully vaccinated. Becoming vaccinated not only protects the individual from infection but also protects those individuals who are unable to get vaccinated due to health conditions or children who are not yet old enough to be vaccinated. Vaccination also allows for uninterrupted attendance at school should there be an exposure.

Should a student or staff member develop COVID-19, as determined by diagnosis or test, they will be separated from the school for 10 days from the onset of symptoms. The 10-day period is intended as a period for which to quarantine. Please consult your local health authority for the most current advice on quarantine policies and related health guidance.

Fully vaccinated individuals who come into contact with a COVID-19 positive individual need not quarantine.

Should a student or staff member who has not been fully vaccinated come into close contact with a person who has been diagnosed or has tested positive for COVID-19 the exposed non-vaccinated person will be separated from the school for 10 days. The 10-day period is intended as a period for which to quarantine. Please consult your local health authority for the most current advice on quarantine policies and related health guidance.

Close contact is defined as being within six feet of a person who tests positive or is diagnosed with COVID-19 for a cumulative period of 15 minutes or more.

Regardless of quarantine, no one shall return to the school if they are still experiencing symptoms or have a current positive COVID-19 test.

Should an exposure occur in a class or amongst a cohort of students, the class will not be cancelled; the class and program will continue. The infected student and the non-vaccinated students will need to take a Leave of Absence (LOA). In the event a student is unable to apply for a LOA, the school will place the student on an Administrative LOA. An Administrative Leave of Absence is initiated by the school when the student is unable or unavailable to sign the leave themselves. The Administrative Leave of Absence can also be used by the school when the school deems that a student may not be allowed to continue their attendance because of the school's mandate to follow government health, safety, and emergency orders.

Should a student request a LOA or be placed on an Administrative LOA, they will be required to work with school administration to find a proper time to re-start them in the school. The leave is likely to affect a student's schedule in such a way that they will most likely not be able to re-join their original program cohort.