BOSTON UNIVERSITY STUDENTS: WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU ARE A CLOSE CONTACT OF A COVID-19 POSITIVE PERSON?

**Definition of a Close Contact:** Someone who was within 6 feet of a COVID-19 positive individual for 15 minutes or longer cumulatively over a 24-hour period.

**Definition of Close-Contact Quarantine:** You may not leave your residence except for urgent medical care. If you are in on-campus quarantine housing, food and supplies will be delivered to you.

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**You’re tested every 3–4 days** via a telehealth visit while in quarantine in campus housing.

**DO YOU TEST POSITIVE?**

- **YES** You’re moved to isolation housing on campus.
- **NO** You must stay in quarantine housing for 10–14 days, after which you may return to your assigned residence.

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**Do you live on campus?**

- **NO** You’re instructed to quarantine at your residence for 10–14 days.
  - Healthway will schedule tests for you at the Health Services Annex.
  - Healthway notifies you of your test result and gives you further guidance, as appropriate.
  - NOTE Boston University offers isolation housing for off-campus students who test positive. Healthway will give you further guidance.

- **YES** Contact tracer arranges your move to quarantine housing on campus.
  - Your Patient Connect badge will turn orange, indicating that you’re not cleared to move around campus. Healthway will message you daily and call you several times throughout quarantine to check in.

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**Someone who tested positive identifies you as a close contact**

- BU contact tracer notifies you and confirms that you’re a close contact
- Your Patient Connect badge will turn orange, indicating that you’re not cleared to move around campus. Healthway will message you daily and call you several times throughout quarantine to check in.

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