Quarantine and Isolation Resources for Students Living in the Residence Halls



IUPUI DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

Division of Student Affairs Resources





With students at the center of all that we do, the Division of Student Affairs is committed to supporting you as you pursue your academic goals during the COVID-19 pandemic.

We understand the rapidly changing events around COVID-19 may create a wide range of emotional responses and increased distress. The Division of Student Affairs offers a range of virtual resources to aid you in your time of quarantine and isolation.

The staff of our 9 units are here to offer you support. Simply put, we are here to help. Remember, you are not alone, and we are IUPUI strong.

First and foremost, plan ahead.

It is strongly recommended all students develop a plan prior to when they may be asked to isolate or quarantine for 14 days due to a COVID-19 related issue. For students who are able, we strongly recommend they return home to isolate or quarantine. Housing and Residence Life will provide quarantine and isolation housing for on-campus residents who are not able to return home.

What should I do about my academics during quarantine/isolation?

• If you have any in-person classes, contact your instructor(s), indicate you will not be able to attend class, and ask for instructions on making up coursework you will miss.

• If you are in an online class and are feeling well enough to attend, please do so. If you are feeling too sick to attend, please notify your instructor(s), indicate you will not be able to attend class virtually, and ask for instructions on making up coursework you will miss.

• If you are in need of assistance due to your instructor(s) response to your request, please email **stuadvoc@iupui.** edu, and an advocate will respond to you promptly.

Student Advocacy and Support

If you're facing an issue that is affecting your ability to succeed at IUPUI, you can get help from an advocate. An advocate is a member of the Student Advocacy and Support team who assists students with a variety of academic and personal challenges.

Academic Assistance

- Withdrawal from courses
- Grade change requests
- Grade appeals
- Help students better communicate with faculty and staff, especially when addressing concerns
- Assistance with navigating IUPUI policies and procedures

Personal and Emergency Assistance

• Connecting you with campus and local community resources to meet your basic needs

• helpmeroar.iupui.edu: Local resources within a 5-mile radius of IUPUI

• Paws' Pantry and Paws' Closet: Food and hygiene products, everyday clothing, and work attire. Make appointments for these services at paws.iupui.edu.

• Emergency resource support and referrals

Get in touch with an advocate

- Phone: 317-274-4431
- Email: stuadvoc@iupui.edu
- Website: advocate.iupui.edu
- Virtual walk-in hours: 12 noon–3 p.m., Wednesdays and Thursdays. Connect via Zoom: **go.iu.edu/2n8c**.

Student Conduct

For questions regarding conduct-related issues, please call the Office of Student Conduct at 317-274-4431.

To submit a report regarding personal misconduct; sexual misconduct; and incidents of bias, discrimination, harassment, and hate, visit **go.iu.edu/2n2m**.

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What should I do while I wait for my result?

• Isolate in your room and/or apartment.

• Do not go out, including for food, class, or work. If you are in an online class and are feeling well enough to attend, please do so.

• Cover your cough, avoid touching your face, and wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.

• Make a list of people who have been within 6 feet of you for a period of 15 minutes or more from two days before you became sick until you isolated. If you have no symptoms, you should count from two days before the date you were swabbed. This is your list of close contacts.

• Wear a mask and stay 6 feet away from others if you have to have any brief interaction. Interact with others as little as possible.

What should I do if my test is positive?

• Stay calm. IUPUI is ready to support you through this. It may be overwhelming, but we are prepared and here to help.

• Listen. The contact tracing team from IU will provide you with important information and resources, including information about the Twistle app, which checks in with you daily to monitor symptoms. The app will ultimately let you know when you can end your isolation or quarantine.

• Stay put. Stay in your residence hall room. If you learn this information while away from your on-campus residence, then immediately return to your room and wait there until your plan is developed.

• Implement your plan. Housing and Residence Life staff will follow up with you quickly to review your options.

• Wait in your room/apartment until your plan is developed. Do not walk around your building. If you have a roommate(s), wear your mask even when in your room or apartment. While waiting to hear from Housing and Residence Life, if you do not have a "to go" bag packed, pack it. Make sure you have clothes, toiletries, medications, etc., to last for 14 days. Don't forget your computer, phone, chargers, books, and other academic materials. • Call your support network to seek their opinion.

• Once you have consulted with Housing and Residence Life and those important to you, you will quarantine/isolate either on campus in Q/I housing or off campus at your home.

• No matter what, Housing and Residence Life will check in with you frequently and support you through it. The housing team has a robust Q/I program to help you with food, supplies, and support.

• You may not leave your room until ALL of the following conditions are met:

• It has been at least 1 day (24 hours) since your last fever (without the use of fever-reducing medications).

AND

• Your symptoms are improving.

AND

• At least 10 days have passed since your symptoms first appeared.

• If your symptoms get worse (see the list of signs of severe illness), seek medical care. Call the healthcare facility/ER to let them know you are coming and follow instructions about wearing a mask when you arrive to the facility.

• If you have never had symptoms but had a known exposure, you should isolate until at least 10 days have passed since the date of your positive COVID-19 test. If you develop symptoms while self-isolating, see conditions that must be met (listed above) to discontinue isolation.

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Self-Care

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• Take your temperature with a thermometer daily and write down your results. Fever = 100.4 F or greater.

- Drink plenty of non-alcoholic fluids.
- Take acetaminophen (Tylenol) for fever and/or pain.
- Eat as tolerated without restrictions.

• Watch for signs of severe illness. Call 911 or go to the emergency room if you develop any signs of severe illness. Call the facility to alert them you are coming.

Signs of severe illness:

- Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath.
- Persistent dizziness, confusion, or inability to respond.
- Not drinking enough fluids or not urinating.
- · Severe or persistent vomiting.
- Persistent pain or pressure in the chest or abdomen.
- Fever or cough that improves but then returns or worsens.
- Worsening of chronic medical conditions.

What do I need to do about my contacts?

• If you feel comfortable, please notify individuals on your contact list that you tested positive (as outlined above in "What should I do while I wait for my result"). They will be advised to quarantine for 14 days following the last time they had contact with you. Close contacts must be notified as soon as possible to decrease the chances of spreading the virus to more people.

• You should also expect a text and call from a contact tracer who will gather contact and activity information from you to be sure all measures are taken to prevent more infections. Please answer your phone, even if you don't recognize the number. The contact tracer will keep your identity confidential when notifying your contacts.

What should I do if my test is negative?

If you are not sure, please consult a medical professional.

- If you have a known exposure to a confirmed case, continue to quarantine until 14 days after your exposure.
- If you have a known exposure to a confirmed case, continue to quarantine until 10 days after your exposure.
- If you were tested but had no known exposure to a confirmed case and you are asymptomatic, you can stop your self-quarantine.

• If you were tested but had no known exposure to a confirmed case and you are symptomatic, you may have another respiratory virus that is circulating in the community. Avoid work and group settings until 24 hours after the last day of your fever (without using fever-reducing medications).

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IUPUI Campus Health hours

• Campus Center clinic: 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Mondays and Thursdays; 9 a.m.–6 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays; 9 a.m.–2 p.m., Fridays.

• Call 317-274-2274 to make an appointment or speak with a member of the Campus Health team. Please call for a screening before visiting the clinic. Telehealth visits will be offered, depending on your needs.

• Coleman Hall clinic: 7:30 a.m.–5 p.m., Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays; 9 a.m. 5 p.m., Thursdays; 7 a.m.–4 p.m., Fridays.

• Call 317-274-8214 to make an appointment or speak with a member of the Campus Health team. Please call for a screening before visiting the clinic. Telehealth visits will be offered, depending on your needs.

IU Health Resources

• Access to IU Health Virtual Hub via **one.iu.edu**. Available at no cost to students 24/7.

Indianapolis Community Resources

• IU Health Methodist Hospital: 1701 N. Senate Blvd, Indianapolis, IN.

- Emergency Room: 317-962-8355
- Eskenazi Health: 1002 W. 10th St, Indianapolis, IN.
 - Emergency entrance located on Wishard Blvd.
 - Operator: 317-639-6671

• Franciscan Health ExpressCare CityWay: 325 S. Alabama St, Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN.

• Phone: 317-705-4785

• IU Health Urgent Care Centers: https://iuhealth.org/find-medical-services/urgent-care

• Enter your ZIP Code to find a clinic near you.

• 911 for IU Health Indianapolis hospital ambulance service.

Where can I read more about COVID-19?

• The latest, up-to-date information on COVID-19 in the US and worldwide can be found on the CDC website: www.cdc.gov.

• Indiana State Department of Health Resources on COVID-19: www.coronavirus.in.gov.

Important information regarding COVID-19 testing

Because COVID-19 is relatively new, there are still many unknowns about the virus and testing for the virus. The test results are intended to give information for use in determining whether to seek additional medical treatment and/or take other actions, such as self-quarantine or self isolate, in an effort to prevent the potential spread of the virus to others. There are risks inherent in any COVID-19 testing. You should consider the following:

• There are still many uncertainties about the transmission of COVID-19.

• If your test result is positive, IUPUI Campus Health is required by law to report that result to certain public health agencies, including the Indiana State Department of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. In addition, IUPUI Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) will be notified for purposes of tracking contacts and cleaning any campus locations where you might have been. IUPUI EHS is required by IU policy and applicable law to safeguard the privacy and security of any such information we share, but may be required to re-disclose such information in order to comply with applicable local, state, and federal laws.

Information for Students Who Have Been Exposed to Someone with COVID-19



What does quarantine mean?

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• Quarantine is the separation of a well person who has been exposed to a contagious disease to see if they become sick. Quarantining individuals exposed to COVID-19 helps prevent spread of infection to others.

What should I do during quarantine? What does it mean for me?

• Remain in the room assigned to you by IUPUI and do not allow others into your room.

• Do not go out, including for food, class, or work. You may continue online classes.

• Wear a mask and stay 6 feet away from others if you have to have brief contact with anyone.

• You will be required to have a daily check-in with Housing and Residence Life staff. Answer your phone and text messages.

• Take your temperature daily and watch for symptoms, such as:

- Fever-a temperature of 100.4 F or greater
- Cough
- Shortness of breath
- Sore throat
- Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea
- Muscle aches
- Headache
- Fatigue
- Congestion or runny nose
- New loss of taste or smell

What do I do if I develop symptoms?

• Call IUPUI Campus Health at 317-274-8214 and ask to speak with a nurse, OR access the IU Health Virtual Hub 24/7 through **one.iu.edu** in order to be connected with an IU Health nurse at no charge.

- Drink plenty of non-alcoholic fluids.
- Take acetaminophen (Tylenol) for fever and/or pain.
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Why do I have to quarantine for 14 days after contact with someone with COVID-19?

• The time it takes someone who has been exposed to COVID-19 to show evidence of infection is typically 4 to 5 days, but may be anywhere between 2 and 14 days. This is called the incubation period.

• It is possible for someone infected with COVID-19 to spread the virus to others up to 2 days BEFORE they develop symptoms.

• It is also possible to be exposed to COVID-19 and develop what is called an asymptomatic infection. Individuals with asymptomatic infections do not exhibit any illness symptoms, but they can still spread the infection to others.

• At the end of 10 days following an exposure, if you haven't developed symptoms, you are able to be released from quarantine. A small percentage of people may still develop infection between days 10-14. During that time, it is important that you avoid crowds, stay 6 feet away from other people, wear your mask when you are around other people, and practice good hand hygiene.

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IUPUI Health and Wellness Promotion offers a wide variety of individualized services and programs on everything from eating a healthy diet to managing stress. Learn more about the services listed below at **wellness.iupui.edu**.

Student Wellness Directory

Find online and on-campus resources to help you stay healthy and well as an IUPUI student. Explore the virtual directory at **wellness.iupui.edu**.

Nutrition

Looking for some tips on healthy eating during quarantine and isolation? Make an appointment with one of our health and wellness coaches today.

- Make an appointment by emailing hwpindy@iupui.edu or calling 317-274-3699.
- Appointments will be conducted virtually via Zoom.
- This service is free for IUPUI students.

Health and Wellness Coaching

Meet with a health and wellness coach who can share strategies for staying healthy during quarantine and isolation. Our coaches offer supportive, positive guidance to help you define your own vision and objectives in a way that fits into this challenging time.

- Make an appointment by emailing hwpindy@iupui.edu or calling 317-274-3699.
- Appointments will be conducted virtually via Zoom.
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Tobacco Cessation Program

During quarantine and isolation, you may find yourself unable to get tobacco and/or e cigarettes and may be experiencing difficult withdrawal symptoms. Our tobacco cessation program can help. You'll get judgment-free support and coaching as well as nicotine replacement therapy.

- Request your IUPUI Quit Coach at go.iu.edu/3bY5.
- Contact the team by emailing hwpindy@iupui.edu or calling 317-274-3699.
- This service is free for IUPUI students.

Addiction Recovery Support

Health and Wellness Promotion offers a safe, judgmentfree space for drug and alcohol use and recovery support through the Collegiate Recovery Community. Virtual weekly support meetings are 11 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesdays. You can connect at **events.iu.edu/studentaffairsiupui**.

- Learn more by contacting hwpindy@iupui.edu.
- Connect with the Collegiate Recovery Community student organization at **recovery@iupui.edu**.

Mental Health Resources



UPUI COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES Division of Student Affairs

The trained, professional staff in Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) will give you the confidential support you need. CAPS is currently offering services by phone/video only. In person visits have been suspended due to the ongoing pandemic.

COVID-19 and personal well-being resources

During any large-scale and evolving event, it's normal for people to have a wide range of reactions. CAPS has developed an emotional wellness guide with tips for taking care of yourself; online local resources; and apps for meditation, relaxation, breathing, yoga, and more. A virtual care package has also been developed to assist with coping, maintaining connections, self-help thoughts, and more.

• Emotional wellness and COVID-19 guide: **go.iu. edu/3bYC**

• Virtual care package: go.iu.edu/3bYD

Virtual workshops

Try a CAPS virtual, drop-in workshop. These aren't group counseling sessions--they're more like a class led by CAPS counselors. This fall, our workshops include a relationship workshop and mindfulness meditation. Learn more and register at go.iu.edu/3bYE or by emailing capsindy@iupui.edu.

Individual and group counseling

CAPS is currently offering counseling services by phone/ video only. In-person visits have been suspended due to the ongoing pandemic. An initial consultation is free, and IUPUI students will pay a \$15 service fee at the time of individual intake or group screening. The first 6 sessions for individual counseling are free and \$10 per session beyond the 6 sessions. Group counseling is also free.

• Learn more at caps.iupui.edu.

Emergency services

If you're experiencing suicidal thoughts, are having trouble completing daily tasks, or are facing an acute stressor that threatens the safety of yourself or others, we'll arrange a same-day emergency appointment.

CAPS on-call counselors are available 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Call us at 317 274 2548.

For after-hours crisis management or additional support, contact one of the following 24-hour numbers or resources:

- Crisis and Suicide Hotline: 317-251-7575
- National Suicide Prevention Line: 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

If you are in imminent danger or require immediate assistance, call 911 or the Indiana University Police Department at 317-274-7911.

If you've experienced a sexual assault or other types of sexual violence, you can contact a CAPS confidential advocate at **saadv@iupui.edu** or 317-274-5715, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

National Sexual Assault Hotline: Call 1-800-656-HOPE to get free, confidential counseling from the Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network (RAINN).