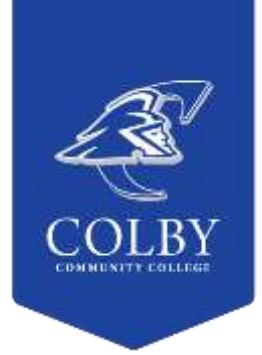


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Colby Community College is no longer contact tracing or putting students in quarantine who test positive for COVID-19. Per the [CDC](#) and [KDHE](#) guidelines, if you test positive for COVID-19, you should isolate as best as possible for five days. When you have to be around others, you should wear a mask and attempt to maintain your distance from others as best as possible. You should maintain wearing a mask in public through day 10.

If you test positive for COVID-19, you are responsible for notifying any close contacts you may have had up to 48 hours prior to your symptoms occurring.

For those living in the residence halls and/or apartments with roommates, please make sure you are regularly cleaning surfaces and opening windows as much as possible to improve ventilation.

As always, should your symptoms become worse, you have difficulty breathing, are unable to stay awake, or have discolored skin, lips, or nailbeds, please seek emergency help immediately by dialing 911.