

Charter College COVID-19 Plan
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All Charter College Locations

-Symptoms and Exposure

- All students, staff, and faculty with COVID-19 symptoms or who may have been exposed, please notify the Human Resources department (if you are an employee) or your Student Academic Advisor (if you are a student) for the next steps and/ or clearance to be on campus.
- The following are COVID-19 symptoms.
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing.
 - Temperature at or above 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit
 - Fever
 - Chills
 - Muscle or body aches
 - Headache
 - Sore throat
 - New loss of taste or smell
 - Fatigue
 - Congestion Runny Nose
 - Nausea or Vomiting
 - Diarrhea
 - Signs and symptoms of COVID-19 continue to evolve, please visit the CDC's website at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>
- Students, staff and faculty who test positive for COVID-19 will be required to quarantine for 5 days from the onset of symptoms before being cleared to return and then must wear a well-fitted mask for 10 full days.
- Students, staff and faculty who test negative for COVID-19 and are 24 hours fever free, without the use of fever-reducing medications may be cleared to return.
- Staff, faculty, or students who fail to comply with any of the above will be sent home.

-AAS Nursing Program

- In the AAS Nursing program, students and faculty who are scheduled for Clinical hours are required to be fully vaccinated for COVID-19.
 - Students scheduled for externship are required to be fully vaccinated and provide proof of vaccination, including the two-week waiting period, no later than the first day of the externship module. All students must provide proof of vaccination prior to the start of the clinical term.
 - The College cannot guarantee a partner site will allow unvaccinated students to complete externship hours; therefore, students who decide to abstain from the COVID-19 vaccination will be withdrawn from the College prior to externship. Students who abstain from the vaccine are not eligible for the Leave of Absence-COVID-19 (LOACOVID) or Extern Leave of Absence-COVID-19 (EXINCCOV).
 - Faculty who are scheduled for Clinical hours are required to provide proof of be fully vaccinated for COVID-19.

At Charter College locations in the States of California and Washington

- In the Certificate level Dental Assisting, Medical Assistant, or Veterinary Assistant programs, students and faculty who are scheduled for Externship are required to be fully vaccinated for COVID-19.

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- The College cannot guarantee a partner site will allow unvaccinated students to complete externship hours; therefore, students who decide to abstain from the COVID-19 vaccination will be withdrawn from the College prior to externship. Students who abstain from the vaccine are not eligible for the Leave of Absence-COVID-19 (LOACOV1D) or Extern Leave of Absence-COVID-19 (EXINCCOV).