PUBLIC HEALTH AND ISOLATION GUIDANCE

CONTACT TRACING PROCESS

COVID-19+ person provided isolation guidance and next steps (notify manager/advisor/faculty)

POSITIVE COVID-19 TEST*

Person is notified of test result and interviewed by contact tracers

If Student

If Faculty/Staff/Post-doc

Return to campus date is determined by contact tracers, based on test date and resolution of symptoms

Return to campus date is determined by Occupational Medicine, based on test date and resolution of symptoms

Contacts are identified

Activities are assessed

Risk level of exposure to contacts is assessed (E.G. mask use, duration)

Those with identified risk are notified and offered guidance**

If on campus during infectious period***, EHRS is notified of impacted spaces for cleaning

For more information visit:
https://coronavirus.upenn.edu/content/public-health-guidance
https://coronavirus.upenn.edu/content/students-testing-positive

*If a person tests positive outside of the Penn system, they should report that to PennOpen Pass for guidance

**If at any time a person believes they were exposed, but have not been notified by contact tracers, report the exposure to PennOpen Pass for guidance.

***Not all positive cases are on campus during the infectious period. Infectious period is from date of test if asymptomatic or 48 hours before symptom onset if symptomatic.