COVID-19 STUDENT DECISION TREE

If you have tested positive for COVID-19 (regardless of vaccination status)...

- **You should isolate for five days.** (Day 0 is the first day that your symptoms began).
- If you have no symptoms or your symptoms are resolving (fever free for 24 hours), **follow that by five days of wearing a face covering when around others.**
- If you had symptoms, **you may end isolation after day 5 if:**
  - You are fever-free for 24 hours (without the use of fever-reducing medication), and
  - Your symptoms are improving.
  - If you still have a fever or your other symptoms have not improved, continue to isolate until they improve.

You should also do the following:

Notify your instructors you will not be in class. It is the responsibility of students that test positive to contact their instructors to discuss missed classes, assignments, tests, etc.

Students are responsible for notifying faculty members of the reason for their absences in a timely manner.

If you have been exposed to someone with COVID-19 (regardless of vaccination status)...

- **The CDC is no longer recommending quarantine.**
- **Wear a face covering for 10 days after exposure**, when around others at home and indoors in public.
- **Monitor for symptoms of COVID-19, If you develop symptoms,** isolate immediately and get tested.
- Without symptoms, testing is recommended at day five after exposure.
- If you test positive, isolate immediately and consider the date of your positive test result as day 1.
- If you test negative, continue taking precautions through day 10 and wear a mask when around others at home and indoors in public.

The CDC has updated guidance for people exposed to COVID-19. Effective August 11, 2022, the CDC is no longer recommending quarantine for people who have experienced a close contact exposure to someone with COVID-19. Employees and students that believe they have come in contact with a COVID-19 positive person, should follow the directions outlined below regardless of their vaccination status or if they have had a previous infection.