

# GSM FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ON COVID SAFETY



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For additional questions or concerns, contact [Christina Sanchez](#) or [Raul Romo](#)

## VACCINATED EMPLOYEES

### 1. Do I need to be tested regularly if I am vaccinated?

For Winter quarter, fully vaccinated individuals are still required to test at least every 14 days to gain access to university-controlled facilities. Unvaccinated individuals must continue to get tested every four days.

Please note that as of December 21, 2021, all eligible UC Davis affiliates are required to receive a COVID-19 booster vaccination except for those individuals who have a vaccine exemption in place. **Proof of booster vaccination must be uploaded to the [Health-e-Messaging portal](#) by January 31, 2022 to comply this systemwide mandate.**

### 2. Do I need to wear a mask/face covering while on campus?

Yes, if you are on campus even at an off-site location, you need to wear a face covering at all times even if you are vaccinated including instructors while teaching. ***Wear a face covering indoors at all times.*** Removing a face covering for eating indoors is only permitted in dining facilities or designated break rooms.

### 3. Do I still need to complete the Daily Symptom Survey every time I go to campus, even if it is an off-site location (San Ramon, San Francisco, Sacramento or other non-campus location)?

Yes, a **Daily Symptom Survey** is still required until further notice.

### 4. Do I need to wear a mask while in my office?

If a person is fully vaccinated, the only time a face covering can be removed indoors is when that person is alone in an office with the door closed, or in a cubicle with wall heights higher than the occupants head when seated, removing a mask when actively eating is permissible.

## UNVACCINATED EMPLOYEES

### 1. Do I need to be tested regularly if I am unvaccinated?

Yes, unvaccinated individuals need to test regularly at least **once every four days** prior to entering any campus facility throughout California even if the spaces is not owned or leased by campus.

### 2. Do I need to wear a mask/face covering while on campus?

Yes, if you are on campus even at an off-site location, you need to wear a face covering at all times even if you are vaccinated including instructors while teaching. ***Wear a face covering indoors at all times and also outdoors in crowded places.*** Removing a face covering for eating indoors is only permitted in dining facilities or designated break rooms. Unvaccinated individuals must maintain 6 feet of physical distance when eating in a workplace setting.

### 3. Do I still need to complete the Daily Symptom Survey every time I go to campus, even if it is an off-site location (San Ramon, San Francisco, Sacramento or other non-campus location)?

Yes, the **Daily Symptom Survey** is still required until further notice.

### 4. Do I need to wear a mask while in my office even if alone?

Yes, you do need to wear a mask while indoors at all times. When alone in a cubicle with wall heights higher than the occupants head when seated, removing a mask when actively eating is permissible.

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ON EVENT GUIDANCE

For more information on the [UC Davis Events Guidance](#)

**1. Do I need to submit a proposal for my event even if my event is off-campus (San Ramon, SF, Sacramento or alternate location ie. Restaurant, Starbucks, etc)?**

Yes, you need to submit event proposals to [Christina Sanchez](#) to ensure proper safety guidelines are being followed. Event proposals are not required for one-on-one meetings or meetings with less than 10 attendees. Please note that event hosts are required to submit an [Event Safety Plan](#) to campus for any mega-events.

**2. Are masks required for my event?**

Masks are required for all individuals attending events indoors. Unvaccinated individuals must also wear a face covering outdoors in crowded spaces.

**3. Can my individuals remove their masks while eating and where can people eat?**

Eating is not allowed in classrooms, hallways, lobbies or other public areas with the exception of removing a mask to take a quick drink. Eating is allowed in employee breakrooms, private offices and campus dining locations. Anyone eating indoors is encouraged to maintain 6 feet of physical distance; unvaccinated individuals are required to maintain physical distance while eating or drinking in a breakroom setting. *Please note that different campuses have different guidelines, reach your operations contact for any questions.*

**4. Do my guests/visitors have to complete a Daily Symptom Survey?**

Yes, all guests/visitors accessing campus facilities must complete the **DSS** prior to entrance. The host of the event will check these upon entrance into the facility or event venue. The survey can be accessed by scanning or clicking the QR codes located at the bottom of this page. Guests/visitors may be potential students, donors, vendors or GSM affiliates, anyone not receiving a paycheck or enrolled in courses. Please note that proof of vaccination or a recent negative COVID-19 test is required for all visitors attending indoor events of 100 or more attendees at any UC Davis facility that involves food or drinks.

**5. Do I need to maintain an attendee list?**

It is good to maintain an attendee list and **verify DSS survey results upon entrance** to your event.

**6. How do I know who is vaccinated or unvaccinated and whether they are required to wear masks?**

Using the DSS survey approval upon entrance will help in identifying vaccinated and unvaccinated individuals. As of July 28, campus has ordered a mask mandate for all individuals regardless of vaccination status due to rising COVID cases.

**7. Do I need special cleaning supplies or other supplies to ensure COVID safety for my event?**

No, you do not need special cleaning supplies. However, cleaning supplies are available for your event if you would like to wipe down tables or chairs, etc. Please contact the [PIRO staff](#) at your location to obtain any supplies you may need. The GSM will also provide individually wrapped disposable masks

For further information about COVID Safety, please contact:  
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[Visitor Daily Symptom Survey](#)  
For Davis, San Ramon, and SF



[COVID-19 Daily Screening](#)  
For Sacramento campus Visitors