

MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW

SPRING 2022 COVID-19 POLICIES

Masks

- Masks are required in all MC Law buildings at all times, except when eating or drinking.
- There is no exception for vaccinated individuals.
- The CDC recommends that you wear a mask that has two or more layers of washable fabric, completely covers your nose and mouth, fits snugly against the sides of your face and doesn't have gaps, and has a nose wire to prevent air from leaking out of the top of the mask. You can find more information about masks and respirators here:
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/types-of-masks.html#masks>

Positive COVID-19 Test

If you test positive for COVID-19, you are required to stay off campus for 5 days from the time your symptoms started or, if you have no symptoms, from the date of your positive test. You can return to campus after 5 days if you have no symptoms or your symptoms are resolving. You should not return to campus if you have a fever.

- If you test positive, email your positive test results to Ms. Kim Phifer (kphifer@mc.edu), the Director of Student Services, and Dean Challener (challene@mc.edu). The test result should include your name and the date of the positive test. If you test positive using an "at-home" test, make sure you include that information in your email.

Attendance and Access to Zoom/Class Recordings With Positive Covid-19 Test

- Students who are required to stay off campus due to a positive test will not be counted as absent from class and can attend class via Zoom. Otherwise, all absences count against a student's class attendance record.
- Students who test positive must email their positive test result to their professors and make arrangements to attend class by Zoom.
- Access to Zoom is not guaranteed for all courses, such as simulation courses, clinics, externships, and adjunct-taught courses.

Exposure to Someone with Covid-19

If you are exposed to someone with Covid-19, you should test on day 5, if possible. If you develop symptoms, you should get tested.

Remote Learning Accommodations Apart from Positive Test

- Students are expected to attend classes in person according to the published fall class schedule and through the stated teaching delivery method.
- Any student who believes he/she is entitled to a disability accommodation under section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1983 to attend classes remotely should contact Ms. Kim Phifer, the Director of Student Services (kphifer@mc.edu/601-925-7151).

- Accommodation approval does not include approval for online testing.
- Students who receive an accommodation may not be able to take their desired courses, such as simulation courses, clinics, externships, and/or adjunct-taught courses.

Availability of Zoom/Class Recordings Apart from Positive Test/Accommodation

As a general rule, Zoom/class recordings are not available for any reason other than a COVID-positive test or an accommodation obtained through the Director of Student Services.