Students who have tested positive for COVID-19 must notify the Student Affairs Office - 616.234.3925

GRCC could also receive notification directly from the local County Health Departments.

**POSITIVE TEST RESULT:**

Students will be directed to stay at home in isolation and contact Primary Healthcare Provider.

Students may return to class/campus:
1. After at least 24 hours of no fever without the use of fever reducing medications (i.e. Tylenol®, Motrin®, etc.)
2. Symptoms have significantly improved
3. It has been at least ten (10) days from the initial start of symptoms for symptomatic positives and ten (10) days from test, for asymptomatic positives.

*In accordance with CDC guidance, updated 7.20.2020

- Students will be advised to contact instructor(s) and follow normal class absence procedures.
- Student Affairs office will not contact faculty directly unless there are specific concerns.

**CAMPUS RESPONSE NOTIFICATIONS/RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Student Affairs Office is responsible for notifying Executive Leadership and:

**GRCC Chief of Police**

The Chief of Police is responsible to communicate the positive case to the Kent County Health Department. The Kent County Health Department will contact other local health departments if needed and initiate any required contact tracing. The Kent County Health Department will advise the institution on additional response requirements.

The Chief of Police, in consultation with Executive and Academic Leadership and the Kent County Health Department is responsible for determining the impacted campus community based on case specific information and sending any required Clery notification. Individuals who are determined to have had a higher level of exposure will be notified directly by the local Health Department.

The Student Affairs Office and/or Campus Police will communicate with the Executive Director of Facilities to initiate cleaning and disinfecting protocols.

- Impacted area(s) will be closed until cleaning and disinfecting is complete
- Area closed for 24 hours prior to cleaning and disinfecting
- CDC Cleaning & Disinfecting protocol will be followed

The Student Affairs Office will encourage students to contact their instructors(s).

*All cases will be handled on an individual basis with a goal of consistency. The Kent County Health Department will be consulted and provide guidance in any situations that do not fall within normal recommendations.*