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## For Employees

### Exemptions from quarantine and testing for fully vaccinated individuals (04/29/2021) -

The University continues to encourage students, staff and faculty to become vaccinated. Information about where and how to get a vaccine is available on the [state of Maine COVID-19 website \(External Site\)](#). More information about vaccination benefits and safety is available on the [Centers for Disease Control's website \(External Site\)](#).

Asymptomatic students, staff and faculty who would otherwise be required to participate in asymptomatic COVID-19 testing, which currently involves weekly testing, and who otherwise would be required to quarantine when determined to be a close contact of a positive COVID-19 case, may be exempted from testing and quarantining if they are fully vaccinated and provide verification of their fully vaccinated status to the University.

In general, people are considered fully vaccinated:

- 2 weeks after their second dose in a 2-dose series, such as the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, or
- 2 weeks after a single-dose vaccine, such as Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine

To provide verification of vaccination, visit [this submission form \(External Site\)](#) and select the "submit vaccination information" option.

The quarantine exemption is available now to those who submit verification and upon review of the specific circumstances. The testing exemption from asymptomatic testing is available effective May 9, 2021, to all those who submit bona fide verification of vaccination.

Again, verification of vaccination can be provided starting immediately by visiting [this submission form \(External Site\)](#) and select the "submit vaccination information" option.

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