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What is the schedule for on-campus symptomatic COVID-19 testing during winter break, starting Dec. 20?

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Shield T3 self-collected COVID-19 saliva test kits will be used throughout the winter break for symptomatic testing on campus. The self-collected test kits do not require an appointment.

Pick up and drop off your Shield T3 self-collected COVID-19 saliva test kit between 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m. on Mondays and 6:30 a.m.–5 p.m. on Wednesdays in the Estabrooke Hall ballroom, first floor.

Read the instructions included in the test kit to understand the process fully before beginning your sample self-collection. [A how-to video is online.](#)

Note: After collecting your saliva sample, you have **12 hours** to 1) activate your kit in [PointnClick](#), the UMS COVID-19 portal and then 2) drop off your sample at Estabrooke Hall at the times listed above.

Test results are typically available within 24 hours.

Instructions for activating your kit:

- Log into [PointnClick](#) using your UMS username and password
- Click the “Home Kit Activation” link in the left-hand menu and continue to the next page
- Enter your 12-digit specimen number and 5-digit test kit number, both found under the barcode on the sample tube; note that an error message will result if numbers are in the incorrect fields and they will need to be reentered
- Click “Submit” at the bottom of the page to receive a “Success” confirmation
- Drop off your sample at Estabrooke Hall at the times listed above

For assistance in using [PointnClick](#), including accessing your test results, please visit the [UMS PointnClick Web App User Guide](#) or contact the [US:IT Help Desk](#).

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