If you have been exposed...

Have you spent 15 minutes in a 24-hour period — regardless of masking — with someone who has tested positive?

YES

• Continue to work/attend classes as usual.
• Wear a mask around others for 10 days.
• Self-monitor for any symptoms.
• Self-test at home on day 5 after the exposure.

NO

• Continue to work/attend classes as usual.

Did you test positive?

YES

• If you attested as symptomatic in Covid Pass, report the negative test in Covid Pass to restore your campus access.
• Continue to mask and self-monitor as you normally would.
• If you continue to experience any cold or flu symptoms on day seven, or if your symptoms worsen at all, attest to your symptoms in Covid Pass again and take another test.

NO

• There’s no need to report your positive test result, as it is already in MIT’s system.
• Report the positive test in Covid Pass.

IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY COLD OR FLU SYMPTOMS
• Attest to your symptoms in Covid Pass
• Take a Covid test (either at MIT or an over-the-counter rapid test)
• Stay home until you receive your results.

Was it an MIT campus-issued test?

YES

• Complete MIT Medical’s Case Information Form. The form will give you more detailed instructions on your isolation period.
• Notify your close contacts. They should continue to work/attend classes as usual but they should wear a mask around others for 10 days, self-monitor for any symptoms, and self-test at home on day 5 after the exposure.
• Isolate for 5 full days after your positive test result or after the onset of symptoms, whichever is later. Start counting on the first full day after your positive test or after symptom onset. NOTE: Covid Pass will automatically restore your campus access five full days after your positive test. However, if you develop symptoms for the first time after testing positive, you should continue isolating, and you should not access campus until five full days have passed since your symptoms began.
• If you have been fever-free for at least 24 hours and any other remaining symptoms are mild and improving, you may leave isolation after five full days.
• Continue to wear a mask around others in all settings for an additional 5 days after leaving isolation.
• Do not test with MIT’s symptomatic testing program for 90 days.

NO

• Continue to work/attend classes as usual.
• Wear a mask around others for 10 days.
• Self-monitor for any symptoms.
• Self-test at home on day 5 after the exposure.