



Re-Entry Testing – Post Spring Break

Policy Statement

All faculty, staff, and students must have re-entry testing after Spring Break 2022.

Note: student athletes should follow the student athlete Spring Break Testing Protocol

Testing Options

Faculty, staff, and students will have two options for meeting their testing requirements; a PCR test or a Rapid Home Test.

PCR Test

- **One (1)** SARS-CoV-2 conducted by Health Services or by an outside facility taken 72 hours (3 days) before your return to campus.

Rapid Home Test Kit

- **Two (2)** rapid antigen home (self) tests
 - Test one must be completed 72 hours (3 days) before your return to campus.
 - Test two must be completed 12-24 hours before your return to campus.

Documentation of Compliance with Testing Requirements

PCR Test

- Upload results to covidvac@wne.edu.

Rapid Home Test Kit

- Take a photo of **both** test results, make sure each photo is date stamped and upload them to covidvac@wne.edu.

PCR Testing Hours in Health Services

Health Services will be open for walk-in re-entry PCR testing on:

- Friday, March 18, 2022, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Saturday, March 19, 2022, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Working on Campus During Spring Break

Faculty, staff, or students that will be working during Spring Break are still required to have re-entry testing and are encouraged to use the PCR testing availability on March 18, 2022, or March 19, 2022. Testing conducted during that period will receive the results prior to Monday's re-opening on March 21, 2022.

If you use the Home Test Option, tests must be completed by Sunday, March 20, 2022.



Distribution of Rapid Home Test Kits

For community members that would like to use the Home Test option, WNE will provide the rapid antigen kits (which will contain two tests), free of charge.

Testing kits may be picked up outside the Center for Health and Wellness on the following dates and times:

- March 7- 11, 2022 between the hours of 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Previous Illness and Spring Break Testing

Faculty, staff, or students that have a history of previous illness with COVID-19 are not exempt from re-entry testing.

Faculty, staff, or students with a history of previous illness with COVID-19 within the last 90 days are advised NOT to use the PCR testing option, due to the sensitivity of the PCR test.

However, rapid antigen tests can be used to determine current infections and are the recommended testing option for individuals with a history or previous COVID-19 illness.

Documentation of prior illness must be on file with Health Services.

Documentation must be submitted to covidvac@wne.edu.

Please feel free to reach out to Health Services at 413-782-1211 if you have any questions about re-entry testing requirements.

Deadline to submit all reentry testing results is Sunday, March 20, 2022