

# Quarantine Guidance for People Who are Vaccinated



Public Health Madison & Dane County follows the [Wisconsin Department of Health Services' guidance](#) for isolation and quarantine.

## I'm vaccinated. Do I need to quarantine if I'm a close contact to someone with COVID?

Vaccinated individuals do not need to quarantine if they meet the following criteria:

- Completed their vaccine series at least 2 weeks prior to the exposure
- Have remained asymptomatic since the exposure

You do need to quarantine if you are receiving inpatient care or are a resident of a long-term care facility (see questions that follow).

## I'm vaccinated. Do I need to monitor myself for symptoms?

Yes. You should monitor yourself for symptoms for 14 days after the exposure.

## I'm receiving inpatient care but have been vaccinated. Do I have to quarantine?

Yes. The above criteria do not apply to individuals who are receiving inpatient care in a health care setting. You must quarantine regardless of your vaccination status.

## I'm a resident of a long-term care facility and have been vaccinated. Do I have to quarantine?

Yes. Residents of long-term care facilities must quarantine, regardless of vaccination status.

## I'm a healthcare worker and have been vaccinated. Do I have to quarantine?

No. Healthcare workers do not need to quarantine and do not need to undergo serial testing if you are working after an exposure. You should still self-monitor for symptoms for 14 days after exposure.