



## Updated CDC Guidance: NEW ADMISSIONS AND PATIENTS/GUESTS WHO LEAVE THE SNF/TRC

### A. NEW ADMISSIONS

Patient/Guest Category	Testing	Quarantine/ Transmission-Based Precautions	Required PPE
1. <b>Confirmed</b> SARS-CoV-2 infection who have <u>not met</u> criteria to discontinue Transmission-Based Precautions (Regardless of Vaccination Status)	No testing required	Placed in Standard, Droplet, and Contact Precautions (Transmission-Based Precautions) – until criteria to discontinue Transmission-Based Precautions	HCP caring for them should use full PPE (gowns, gloves, eye protection, and N95 or higher-level respirator).
2. Those who are NOT <b>up to date</b> with all recommended COVID-19 vaccine doses and are new admissions and readmissions	Testing on Admission and, if negative, again 5-7 days after their admission	14 Day Quarantine Required Offer COVID Vaccination	HCP caring for them should use full PPE (gowns, gloves, eye protection, and N95 or higher-level respirator).
3. Those who are <b>up to date</b> with all recommended COVID-19 vaccine doses	Testing on Admission and, if negative, again 5-7 days after their admission	NO QUARANTINE required	HCP – Universal Source Control
Those who have <b>recovered</b> from SARS-CoV-2 infection in the prior 90 days	<u>Symptomatic</u> -Testing on Admission (use Antigen Test instead of NAAT)  <u>Asymptomatic</u> – <b>No</b> testing required	NO QUARANTINE required Offer COVID-19 Vaccination (as needed)  Quarantine might be considered if the resident is moderately to severely immunocompromised.	HCP – Universal Source Control



**B. PATIENTS/GUESTS WHO LEAVE THE FACILITY**

Patient/Guest Category	Testing	Quarantine/ Transmission-Based Precautions	Required PPE
1. Those who leave the facility for <b>less than 24 hours</b> (e.g. <u>for medical appointments, community outings with family or friends</u> )	No testing upon return to facility	No additional Quarantine required	Continue with current PPE strategy based on patient category
2. Those who leave the facility <b>for 24 hours or longer</b>	Testing on Readmission or return to facility; and, if negative, again 5-7 days after their readmission or return.	14 Day Quarantine required	HCP caring for them should use full PPE (gowns, gloves, eye protection, and N95 or higher-level respirator).

**“Up to Date” Definition:**

An individual is up to date with COVID-19 vaccines when he/she have followed the current recommendations listed below. The recommendations will be different depending on age, health status, and when first got vaccinated. Many people who are [immunocompromised](#) may need an additional dose as part of their primary vaccine series

Pfizer-BioNTech <sup>[1]</sup>	Moderna <sup>[1]</sup>	Johnson & Johnson’s Janssen <sup>[1,2]</sup>
<b>Ages Recommended</b> 5+ years old	<b>Ages Recommended</b> 18+ years old	<b>Ages Recommended</b> 18+ years old
<b>Primary Series</b> 2 doses <sup>[3,4]</sup> Given 3 weeks (21 days) apart <sup>[5]</sup>	<b>Primary Series</b> 2 doses <sup>[3]</sup> Given 4 weeks (28 days) apart <sup>[5]</sup>	<b>Primary Series</b> 1 dose
<b>Fully Vaccinated</b> 2 weeks after final dose in primary series	<b>Fully Vaccinated</b> 2 weeks after final dose in primary series	<b>Fully Vaccinated</b> 2 weeks after 1st dose
<b>Booster Dose</b> Everyone ages 12+ should get a booster dose at least 5 months after the last dose in their primary series. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Teens 12–17 should only get a Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine booster</li> <li>Everyone 18+ should get a booster dose of either Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna (mRNA COVID-19 vaccines)</li> </ul>	<b>Booster Dose</b> Everyone ages 18+ should get a booster dose of either Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna (mRNA COVID-19 vaccines) at least 5 months after the last dose in their primary series.	<b>Booster Dose</b> Everyone ages 18+ should get a booster dose of either Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna (mRNA COVID-19 vaccines) at least 2 months after the first dose of J&J/Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine. You may get J&J/Janssen <a href="#">in some situations</a> .