

What does quarantine mean? What does isolation mean?

Quarantine is for individuals who may have been exposed to a person who has tested positive. It means you have to stay in your room. You can't go to the grocery store. The laundromat. Nowhere. Isolation is likewise for an individual who tested positive.

How long do we have to quarantine?

Quarantine is from today, October 16, through October 30. You will be released from quarantine on October 31. If you chose to go home today, you will quarantine off campus until October 30. You will need to obtain a negative PCR test, obtained no earlier than October 31 and have those results uploaded to UHC before you can return to the residence hall.

Will we be testing students at Dannat Hall?

Testing is underway now for all residents of Dannat Hall. We will test once again on Tuesday, October 20. We will send you a link to register for the test on Monday, and we will follow the same procedure as today for testing.

Do I get to stay in my room or do I need to move to a temporary location?

Individuals who have tested positive have been moved into dedicated isolation spaces. All other residents are asked by the Westchester County Department of Health to remain in their assigned spaces. Of course, you will be able to use the restrooms. Wipes have been placed outside the restroom, and you should use them upon entering and leaving the facility.

Since I'm quarantined in my room, how can I get food?

Meals will be delivered to your door. You'll need to order your meals in advance using our online ordering system, www.pace.edu/lawmeals. All meals must be ordered no later than 3:00 p. m. each day for the following day. Breakfast and lunch will be delivered between 10:00 am and 11:00 am, and dinner will be delivered between 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. every day. If you order outside of the dining hall, you must have those deliveries received in Dannat Hall by a member of the staff working with us Monday through Friday, between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Those meals will be delivered to your room when received. **Your current room number MUST be on the delivery.**

Can I leave?

The Department of Health wants you to stay in the residence hall. That's the responsible thing to do. If you choose to leave the residence hall, we require notice, an address for where you are going and a preferred phone number.

Why does the whole building need to be quarantined?

This is at the direction of the Department of Health. We all need to do our part to stop the spread.

I have class next week, does this mean I can't go? I was supposed to be at a trial advocacy or moot court competition this weekend, what about that?

Your faculty will accommodate the fact that you have to quarantine and you should take all classes remotely. Those will be moved to virtual.

What do I do about missing my in-person class?

Students should reach out to their academic advisor and faculty members to let them know they are in quarantine or isolation. Students are encouraged to update their faculty members and academic advisor on their situation should they need any flexibility with assignments and coursework due to limited access to resources, technology challenges, and/or health complications.

I was planning on going home for the weekend, does this mean I can't?

Correct. We prefer that you remain in quarantine. However, if you choose to leave after your test today, as I noted before, we will need your preferred phone number and your address where you will be quarantining.

If I live in Dannat Hall but went home before all of this happened, should I get tested? Should I be isolating?

For now, yes. If you're at home, you should stay there until you're cleared to return. Please let me know where you are quarantining and a preferred phone number.

NYS and Westchester County include several hotline numbers to call:

- New York State Department of Health Hotline for questions regarding COVID-19: (888) 364-3065
- People under self-quarantine and medical providers seeking information: (866) 588-0195 (Westchester)
- People inquiring about testing: (888) 364-3065
- General Information: call 211

How close are we to suspending in-person activities?

New York State requires that a campus be closed if 100 people test positive, or if 5 percent of the campus population (not just students) does, whichever is smaller. The Haub Law Campus population is much smaller than that of Pleasantville and New York City.

If I'm not feeling well—what should I do?

Contact University Health Care at (914) 773-3760 or your health care provider. You can make an appointment for telehealth using the secure patient portal at www.pace.edu/patientportal.

What cleaning and disinfecting measures will be happening?

There will be more frequent disinfecting of the bathrooms and common areas.

While everyone is probably going to feel stressed about this information, what should I do if I feel overwhelmingly anxious?

Please reach out to Patrick O'Connor or Angie D'Agostino. In addition, during the COVID-19 pandemic, all Student Accessibility Services and Counseling Center services are available remotely between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays. All phone messages received during weekday business hours will be responded to within the day.

We remain on-call after hours and on weekends. Please contact Security at (212) 346-1800 in NYC, (914) 422-4300 in White Plains and (914) 773-3400 in Pleasantville to reach the counselor-on-call.

I'm running out of clean clothes, but I know we can't go do our own laundry. What do I do?

If you need laundry done, we have a few local vendors we can call to get that done for you. You will need to pay them directly. If you are interested, please contact us at lawstudentservices@law.pace.edu and we will be in touch.

When is mail delivery?

Between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. every day, Residential Life and Housing staff are delivering mail and packages directly to students' rooms. If family members or friends wish to drop off supplies or packages for delivery to rooms, they can do so between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. in the Dannat Hall Lobby. Residential Life and Housing staff or Athletics staff will be available to take items up to student rooms.

What do I do with my garbage?

Students can place garbage outside of their rooms daily before 11:00 a.m. and after 7:00 p.m. for Facilities staff to remove on a daily basis.

I'm in quarantine or isolation, but my room needs some repairs. What do I do?

Any repairs or issues within student rooms under quarantine and isolation can be reported using the [online work order system](#). Access to this system requires a Pace internet connection and a Pace log-in. Facilities staff will complete the work order in full PPE for rooms with a positive case or direct contacts of a positive case.

I'm in quarantine or isolation, so what do I do about work?

If you work off campus, you should reach out to your supervisor to ask them about the benefits they provide for employees under a department of health quarantine that prevents you from going to work. If you need any help navigating that, Pace's Human Resources team is willing to help support you. You can contact them by email employeerelations@pace.edu