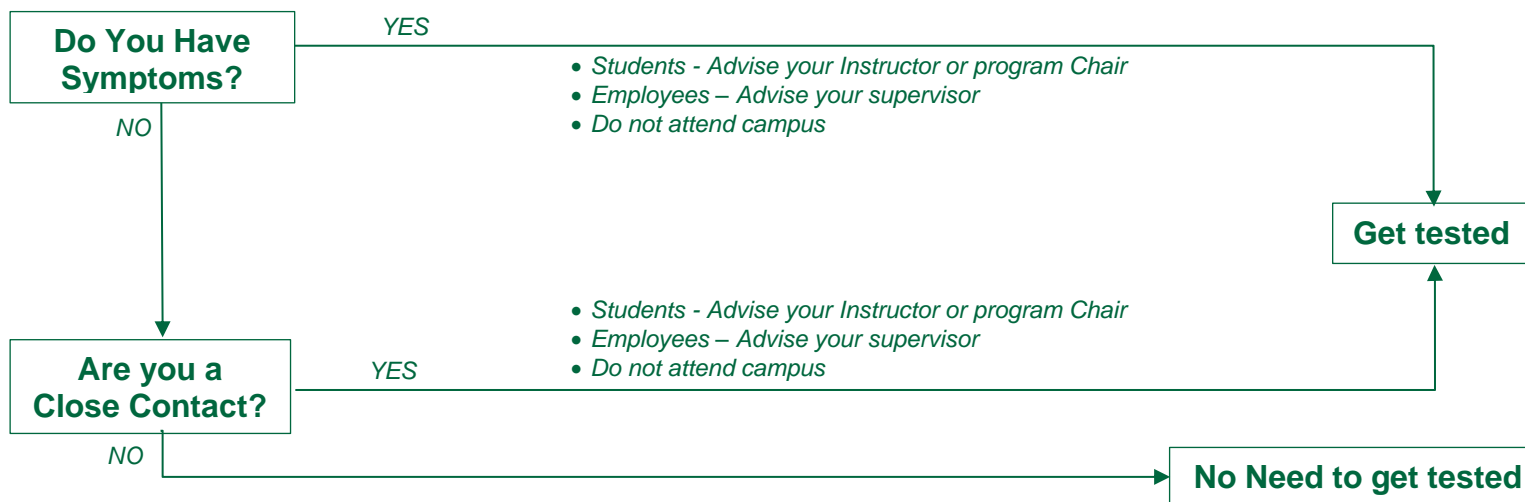


## COVID-19 Testing & Attending Campus

This has been compiled as a summary reference for College community members for information surrounding COVID-19 testing and College procedures that need to be followed. Ottawa Public Health references are linked throughout the text and should be referenced for full context.

**COVID-19 Symptoms:** Classic symptoms include feeling feverish, new or worsening cough and/or difficulty breathing. Other symptoms may include sore throat, difficulty swallowing, new olfactory (smell) or taste disorder(s), nausea/vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal pain, pneumonia, runny nose\*, or nasal congestion (in the absence of underlying reason for these symptoms such as seasonal allergies and post-nasal drip).

**Close Contacts:** A "close contact" is a person who has been in near physical proximity to a person who has tested positive for COVID-19. The close nature of the interaction and the duration of the interaction are important factors. Interactions where people briefly come within 2 metres (6 feet) of each other, such as walking by someone on the sidewalk, are generally not considered close contacts.



### If You Have Been Tested for COVID-19

**If Positive:** Advise your instructor or program Chair / Supervisor, [follow Ottawa Public Health directions regarding self-isolation](#) AND any other specific directions you were given by your public health contact

**If Negative:** Advise your instructor or program Chair / Supervisor, [follow Ottawa Public Health directions regarding self-isolation](#) AND any other specific directions you were given by your public health contact

Instructors / program Chairs / Supervisors will advise Occupational Health & Safety who will investigate and consult with Ottawa Public Health