



Pandemic Prevention Measures in Student Hostels in 2021/22

Detail Arrangement for Admission & Regular COVID-19 Tests

A. Students who are FULLY vaccinated (took the last dose AT LEAST 14 days) before the check-in date on 5/9 or later

Resident Tutor (RT) will check the original vaccination certificate (finished 14 days before, i.e. students who took the last dose on 22/8 can check-in on 5/9, students who took the last does on 23/8 can check-in on 6/9 etc.). Only formal document with full name, identification number and dates of vaccination is accepted, digital version is accepted. RT shall sign on the copy after checking. **These students are not required to do the regular COVID-19 tests during the residence.**

B. Students who are not vaccinated

1. They shall present a negative report of COVID-19 (RT-PCR) nucleic acid test dated within 96 hours with their full name and identification number, either from the government community testing centres or testing institutions recognised by government, in order to check-in, digital version is accepted.
2. Then, during residence, they shall do the regular COVID-19 tests at the supervision of RT at the followings EIGHT periods: **15-17/9; 29/9-1/10; 13-15/10; 27-29/10; 10-12/11; 24-26/11; 8-10/12 & 22-24/12**, if not, the hostel place will be forfeited and the access right to the hostel will be removed. Residents expelled from hostel due to violation of hostel regulation will not have any hostel fee refund.
3. RT will send the link to online meeting before the required test and arrange timeslots for the tests. During the online meeting, concerned students shall do all procedures in front of the camera, including opening a new test-kit, finish the test, read the result within the specified time (20-25 min), etc. The result will then be recorded and signed by RT. **The process will be recorded in case future checking is needed**, the test device shall be able to be seen via the camera throughout the whole testing process. Students can use the sterilizing material at hostel to clean the room used before and after the test.
4. Demo video on how to do the test: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AcHE1Ibi9Os>
5. Test result: **NEGATIVE-** test finished.
POSITIVE- shall inform the Warden and UHS immediately, so to send the concerned resident to A&E for further test and follow up; and contact the respective Government unit for further arrangement.
INVALID- need to do the test again with a new test-kit.

C. Students who are NOT FULLY vaccinated (took the last dose LESS THAN 14 days) before the check-in date on 5/9 or later

They are still required to present a negative report of COVID-19 (RT-PCR) nucleic acid test dated within 96 hours AND do the regular COVID-19 tests at the supervision of RT at the specified periods **until 14 days after the last dose is taken**. They shall present the vaccination certificate to the RT to confirm that the regular tests are no longer required and **send the copy to the Student Hostels Committee for record**.

D. Purchase of test-kits

1. The University has helped to order the INDICAID COVID-19 Rapid Antigen Test-kits at discount rate and will sell at HK\$60 per test to residents who need to take the tests.
2. Students not vaccinated will need to take 8 tests in the first term, so HK\$480 will be charged at the miscellaneous fee for these residents, and the test-kits will be dispatched before 15/9.
3. Students who have made appointment for the last dose before 15/10/2021 can purchase the test-kits at hostel reception. The HK\$480 will not be charged for these students.
4. Due to limited manpower, no refund for test-kits will be arranged. Thanks a lot for your understanding!

