
ZSFG COVID-19 Standards for Students, Trainees, Instructors, and Faculty

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To uphold our commitment to our academic partners while ensuring the health and safety of our patients, staff, and community, ZSFG has adopted additional standards for students, trainees, instructors, and faculty assigned to our campus. Failure to comply with these standards may result in the termination of placement. Academic partners can contact their DPH student placement coordinator or ZSFG department representative with questions or for more information. ZSFG and SFDPH staff with questions about these standards may contact Justin Dauterman directly (6-4171).

General

1. These ZSFG COVID-19 standards are applicable to all non-UCSF students, trainees, instructors, and faculty placed on the ZSFG campus, regardless of their employment.
 - ZSFG and UCSF have alignment in standards and have processes for reporting between campuses.
 - Current ZSFG/DPH staff who are completing a placement at ZSFG as a student/trainee or who serve as an academic instructor on the ZSFG campus will be required to adhere to the same standards as other students and instructors.
2. ZSFG will continue to have decreased availability for student placements. Please contact the student placement coordinator for your discipline for more details. Nursing will update CCPS to reflect capacities.
3. Students will not be assigned in the designated inpatient COVID-19 unit (H66/68). We recognize that students and trainees may be assigned to patients with an unknown or known COVID-19 status at the discretion of their instructor or preceptor.
4. Students, trainees, faculty, and instructors on our campus must comply with all ZSFG infection control policies and procedures, including the standards for personal protective equipment, symptoms and illness reporting, procedures related to exposures, testing, and vaccination.

Symptom screening

1. Schools are responsible for implementing a process by which students, trainees, instructors, and faculty are screened for symptoms associated with COVID-19 infection daily when scheduled to be on the ZSFG campus.

2. Any persons with symptoms are not to report to campus and must be tested for COVID-19 within 24 hours of symptom onset. Testing is the responsibility of the person having symptoms.

Testing

Students, trainees, instructors, and faculty assigned to 4A SNF will be tested for COVID-19 weekly. This is to maintain compliance with regulatory requirements specific to SNFs.

Positive Results

1. Within 24 hours of notification of a positive test result, the school will complete the “ZSFG Academic Partner Preliminary Contact Investigation Worksheet.” Completed worksheets are emailed to ZSFG.student-contact-tracing@sfdph.org.
2. The person with a positive test result must call Occupational Health Services (OHS) at 628-206-4100 to be triaged.
 - Identify Justin Dauterman as the person’s ZSFG “manager.”
 - OHS will send instructions by email.

Vaccination

1. All students, trainees, instructors, and faculty placed on the ZSFG campus must be up to date with COVID-19 vaccination.
 - No exceptions will be granted.
 - The primary vaccination series must be completed at least 2 weeks prior to reporting for placement.
 - Booster vaccinations are required when vaccination series were completed more than five (5) months ago.
 - The booster vaccine must be completed at least 1 week prior to reporting for placement.
 - Requests by ZSFG for vaccination documentation shall be fulfilled within 48 hours.
2. Persons that have not been vaccinated may receive their vaccination at ZSFG.
 - For more information on how to receive vaccination at ZSFG, contact Justin Dauterman (justin.dauterman@sfdph.org 628-206-4171).