

Quarantine Information for Suitemates/Housemates

Fall 2020

What are the expectations of the person quarantining?

- These students should avoid contact with others as much as possible. If they need to be in common areas to access food or use the bathroom, they should wear a mask (unless showering) and sanitize after themselves.
- It is OK for them to take a walk outside each day as long as they wear a mask and maintain distance from others. It is also OK that they move their car if necessary to adhere to parking regulations.

Should I be tested?

- The CDC does not recommend testing for those identified as contacts (the person quarantining) nor for their contacts. If you develop symptoms, contact Bailey Health Center right away (610-330-5001).

What are the expectations of me?

- Please do what you can, within reason, to support your suitemate/housemate.
- If they have a meal plan, help them get food by being their [meal buddy](#) or setting up a meal buddy rotation.
- Discuss your comfort level and expectations. Some suggestions include what times of day you can each access the kitchen to prepare food, times for bathroom access, what level of support you can provide in terms of meals, etc.
- You are not expected to be a full-time caregiver, but rather to act as a good community member and suitemate/housemate. If you need help supporting your suitemate, or if you have questions, contact Jennifer Dize (dizej@lafayette.edu).