UICOMP SALIVA TESTING FOR COVID-19

Surveillance saliva testing is required for all students and all paid faculty and staff whose primary work location is 1 Illini Drive or Positive Health Solutions. Those who are fully vaccinated and who attest to full vaccination through the UIC Healthcheck app are exempt from this requirement.

- Open to all UICOMP paid faculty and staff, and students
- A surveillance test, not intended for those currently experiencing symptoms of COVID-19
- The testing site is located at: 1 Illini Drive, Room B325A. (Follow signs on elevator and the 3rd floor that lead to the site.)

**Saliva Testing Times (Note: See Page 2 for holiday and 2022 updated hours)**

Mondays and Wednesdays – 1 – 4 pm (Appointments must be made prior to 11 am the day of testing.)
Tuesdays and Thursdays – 8 – 11 am (Appointments must be made prior to 6 am on the day of testing)

**You are not eligible to test if:**

- You are in quarantine
- You have had confirmed exposure to COVID-19.
- You are showing symptoms.
- You have had a positive COVID-19 test in the last 90 days.

**If you are eligible and need to satisfy the requirement, or just wish to be tested:**

1. Register for your UIC MyChart account (If for some reason you do not get the activation code, you can still come to the testing site, and the staff there will assist with MyChart activation.)
2. Check contact information (especially phone number) is up-to-date in the University system.
3. Schedule your own saliva testing appointment.

**The morning of your saliva test:**

- Fill out the online screening before entering the test site.
- Do NOT eat, drink, smoke, vape, chew gum, or brush your teeth within 30 minutes of your test.
- Bring your I-card.

**After the test:**

- Answer calls from unknown numbers since it may be University Health Services (UHS) or the UICOMP contact tracer.
- Check MyChart for your test results.
- If your results are positive, notify your supervisor immediately. Do NOT return to work. Work with UHS on instructions and for return-to-work clearance. Also, notify UICOMP Human Resources (Civil Service employees) or the Dean’s Office (faculty and Academic Professional employees) for leave information.
UICOMP ON-CAMPUS SALIVA TESTING DATE CHANGES

Effective January 4, 2022, all on-campus Saliva Testing at 1 Illini Drive will be walk-in only; no appointments will be accepted. Additionally, hours for testing will be on a reduced basis. Operational hours subject to change based on use.

The testing site, located in Room B325A, has special holiday hours:

**Thanksgiving Break**
- Monday, November 22 & Tuesday, November 23: regular hours
- Wednesday, November 24 & Thursday, November 25: closed, no testing

**Winter Break**
- Monday, December 27: closed/no testing
- Tuesday, December 28: closed/no testing
- Wednesday, December 29: 8 am - 4 pm
- Thursday, December 30: closed/no testing
- Monday, January 3: closed/no testing
- Tuesday, January 4-6: reduced hours

**Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
- Monday, January 17: closed/no testing

**January 4: New Hours***
- Monday & Wednesday: 3-5 pm
- Tuesday & Thursday: 8-10 am

*No appointments, first come, first serve

**UICOMP Saliva Testing Lab: Phone (309) 671-8471**

*This number is only answered during regular lab hours.*