



# Red Cliff Community Health Center

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## Red Cliff Updates Quarantine Guidelines Effective March 1, 2022

On January 4, 2022, the CDC updated its Covid-19 isolation and quarantine recommendations with shorter isolation/quarantine for asymptomatic and mildly ill persons.

### Why the change?

The recommendations reflect the societal impact (e.g., critical infrastructure and staffing shortages) and the latest science on disease severity and when and for how long a person is maximally infectious.

### Red Cliff Decision

At the time of the CDC update, the Red Cliff community was experiencing a surge in Covid-19 cases. The decision was to maintain the ten-day isolation/quarantine to manage the surge and protect the community. However, cases of Covid-19 have decreased dramatically in the past several weeks.

Effective March 1, 2022, the Red Cliff Community Health center will align its policy for isolation and quarantine with that of the CDC.

### Updated Protocol for Persons Unvaccinated or Not Up-to-Date on Vaccines

- 5-day isolation and/or quarantine period
- Continued precautions such as monitoring symptoms and mask wearing days 6-10
- Covid test at day one and five for close contacts exposed to Covid-19

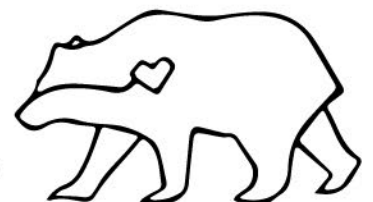
### Protocol for Close Contacts that are Up-to-Date on Vaccines

Individuals that are up-to-date on vaccines, and show no symptoms, are not required to test or quarantine following an exposure to someone infected with Covid-19.

Up-to-date means a person has received all recommended Covid-19 vaccines, **including any booster dose(s)** when eligible.

Please continue to do your part in protecting our community.

Questions can be directed to the Red Cliff Community Health Center at 715-779-3707.



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