**COVID TESTING DETAILS**

- All University affiliates who are authorized to be on campus regularly must be tested based on their assigned cadence. For more information on the testing requirements, please visit the University's Testing and Tracing webpage.

  *You must begin your testing cadence during the first week you return to campus.*

**PREPARING FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION**

Harvard has contracted with Color, a health testing company, to administer the University’s testing procedures, including providing testing kits, managing alerts for regular testing, and delivering test results to individuals.

- Vaccinated staff, faculty, and researchers will test once per week
- Unvaccinated staff, faculty, and researchers will test twice per week

A critical first step in this process is for you to create your Color account here, if you do not already have one. You will need to use your Harvard University ID (HUID) to create your Color account. If you have questions about creating your Color account, please contact: support@color.com.

Each testing kit contains information on how to administer the self-test and there is also a self-paced training module in the Harvard Training Portal.

**TESTING KIT AND DEPOSIT INFORMATION**

Testing Kits will be delivered via internal mail to departments & faculty offices on a monthly basis. They can also be picked up at any of the following locations:

- **WCC Concourse, weekdays between 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM**
- **HR Suite in Hauser Hall, weekdays between 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

After you have collected your sample, deposit it as soon as possible in one of the collection bins

  - **Hark Concourse in WCC**
  - **Langdell-Areeda Link**

Signage will direct you to the bin's location.

**Please note:** Tests are collected from the bins on weekdays until 3:00 p.m.

You will receive both text and email notifications reminding you of your day to test and when you are behind on your testing cadence. These notifications will begin after your first test is completed.

The University's COVID-19 pandemic response measures, including our testing protocols, are designed to protect the health and wellbeing of every member our community.

For additional information, visit our [Return to Campus page](#) or review our [FAQs](#)!