



Studio COVID/Other Illness Policy Update (as of 8.1.23)

1. Stay Home if Sick in Any Contagious Way

2. Negative COVID-19 Test Required to Return to Studio After Feeling Sick (or after testing positive/having COVID-19)

- COVID-19 Tests are not required if you specifically have another diagnosis from a physician.
- **A negative COVID-19 test is required to return to the studio, even if you do not think/feel you or your dancer has COVID. These tests are only NOT required when you are certain you/your dancer does not have COVID. Rapid tests are acceptable. The only other option is a 14-day quarantine away from the studio.**
- We also prefer that students sick with the flu, RSV, strep or other contagious illnesses not attend classes until they are well.
- It does not matter if symptoms are mild or severe. We have a small space, vulnerable community members associated with our studio's families and are engaging in a high-risk activity in an enclosed area.

3. 48 hr Wait Period

- After last day of active symptoms for any contagious illness
- This applies only if you have symptoms beyond your 14-day quarantine, (if you were COVID-positive).
- **This 48 hr wait period is not an option in place of the negative test or 14-day quarantine, if you were COVID-positive.**

4. Acceptable Test if NOT COVID-Positive

- Proof of/photo of 1 rapid negative test result will suffice.

5. Acceptable Test if COVID-Positive

- **Must provide proof of/photo of 1 full PCR negative test result OR proof of/photo of 2 negative rapid test results, (within 24-48 hours of one another, per rapid test accuracy guidelines), before returning to the studio.**