My Employee Has Informed Me They Have Been Exposed or Have COVID-19. What Steps Do I Need To Take?

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3. Advise employee to send results to benefits@palmbeachstate.edu
   a. This includes both the positive test and the negative test needed to return
4. Advise relevant team members or others that may have been in contact with or exposed
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How does an employee get paid while isolating or sick with COVID?

1. Isolation is not paid.
2. If an employee can and is approved to work from home, pay will continue as if they were on campus
3. If an employee cannot work from home due to severity of symptoms, they can apply for COVID Sick Leave in Workday (qualifying criteria must be met), otherwise; accrued paid time off must be used.
4. If employee has not been approved to work from home or position does not allow employee to work from home, employee must utilize accrued paid time off

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