## **COVID-19 Retesting and Deisolation Criteria**

COVID-19 POSITIVE PATIENT REQUIRING AMBULATORY VISIT				
	Restrictions	Retesting Criteria	Criteria for Infection Update de-flagging	
Immunocompetent patient or a patient without severe illness	<ul> <li>If possible, schedule ambulatory visit for 10 days from day of positive test through usual outpatient clinic</li> <li>If visit required within 10 days of positive test, can proceed through usual outpatient clinic if able to do so with appropriate isolation precautions (immediate rooming, PPE for providers, room cleaning). Follow Ambulatory COVID-19 algorithm</li> <li>If unable to schedule in usual outpatient clinic within 10 days of positive test, schedule through HCID staff office (Ambulatory and COVID Testing Joint Appointment) at 312-227-0933</li> </ul>	No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	"COVID-19 confirmed" Infection Update flag removed by IP & C 10 days from positive test  No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	
Immunocompromised* patient or a patient with severe illness**  *Immunocompromised: Oncology diagnosis, Organ or Stem Cell Transplantation, Immunosuppressive therapy, High dose steroids  **severe illness: requiring oxygen therapy	<ul> <li>Appointments can be scheduled through usual outpatient clinic if able to do so with appropriate isolation precautions (immediate rooming, PPE for providers, room cleaning). Follow Ambulatory COVID-19 algorithm</li> <li>If unable to schedule in usual outpatient clinic within 20 days of positive test, schedule appointments through HCID staff office (Ambulatory and COVID Testing Joint Appointment) at 312-227-0933 until meets criteria for negative testing</li> </ul>	No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	"COVID-19 confirmed" Infection Update flag removed by IP & C 20 days from positive test  No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	

COVID-19 POSITIVE PATIENT DURING INPATIENT ADMISSION				
	Transmission based precautions	Retesting criteria	Criteria for Infection Update de-flagging	
Immunocompetent patient or a patient without severe illness	<ul> <li>Isolation: for a minimum of 10 days</li> <li>Deisolation:         <ul> <li>At least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared and</li> <li>At least 24 hours have passed since last fever without the use of fever-reducing medications and</li> <li>Symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath) have improved</li> </ul> </li> <li>Deisolation will be determined based on the symptom-based strategy above. Repeat testing will not be required.</li> </ul>	No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	"COVID-19 confirmed" Infection Update flag removed by IP & C after 10 days from positive test and all symptom-based criteria have been met  No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	
Immunocompromised* patient or a patient with severe illness**  *Immunocompromised: Oncology diagnosis, Organ or Stem Cell Transplantation, Immunosuppressive therapy, High dose steroids  **severe illness: requiring oxygen therapy	<ul> <li>Isolation: for a minimum of 20 days</li> <li>Deisolation:         <ul> <li>At least 20 days have passed since symptoms first appeared and</li> <li>At least 24 hours have passed since last fever without the use of fever-reducing medications and</li> <li>Symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath) have improved</li> <li>Consider consultation with IP &amp;C</li> </ul> </li> <li>Deisolation will be determined based on the symptom-based strategy above. Repeat testing will not be required.</li> </ul>	No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	"COVID-19 confirmed" Infection Update flag removed by IP & C 20 days from positive test and all symptom-based criteria have been met  No repeat tests required for deisolation purposes	