If you test positive and you live with other people, you must follow the advice below



Self-isolate for 10 days

from when your symptoms started.



All other household members must stay at home for

14 days

from the day the first person became ill or their test was taken.



Stay in a
well-ventilated room
with a window that can
open, separate from other
people in your home
if possible. Keep the
door closed.

Use a separate
bathroom from the rest
of the household, if available.
If this is not possible,
consider having a bathroom
rota for washing or bathing.
You should use the facilities
last, before thoroughly
cleaning the bathroom.

Use separate towels from other household members, both for bathing or showering and for hand hygiene purposes.



Avoid using shared spaces such as kitchens whilst others are present. Take your meals back to your room to eat.

Use a dishwasher (if available) to clean and dry your used crockery and cutlery. If this is not possible, wash them by hand using detergent and warm water and dry them thoroughly, using a separate tea towel.

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