

## For visitors coming into DC:

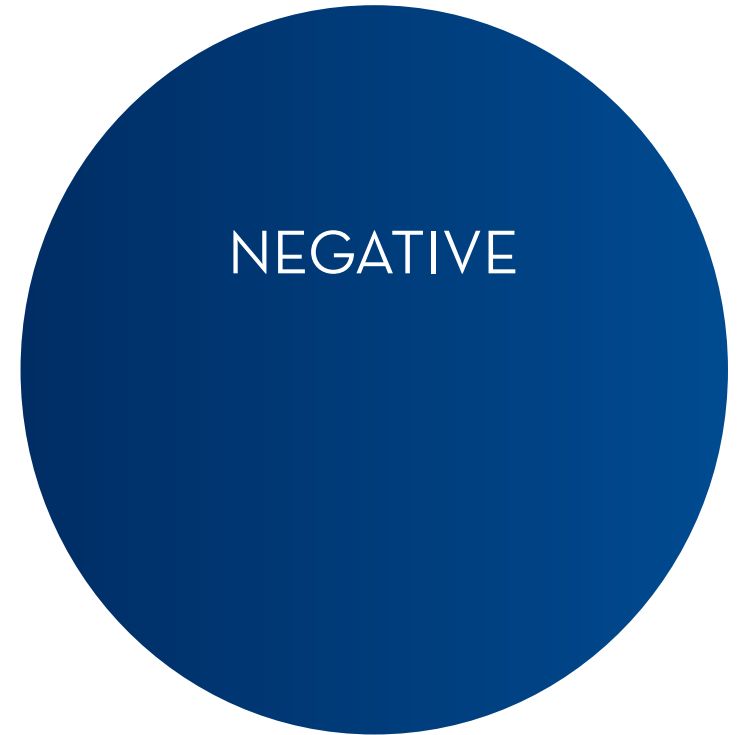
- ✔ **Before you travel, get a test** and if you test positive, don't travel.
  - Get tested within 72 hours of traveling
- ✔ If you are a close contact of a confirmed positive case, don't travel.
- ✔ If you are visitor to DC for more than three days, **get tested within 3-5 days of arrival.**

These requirements apply to anyone traveling into Washington, DC from a jurisdiction with more than 10 cases per 100,000 people.

Traveling increases the risk of contracting COVID-19.  
If you must travel, limit your activities and get tested to understand your exposure.

- **Remember:** A negative test today could be a positive test tomorrow.
- Just because a person tests negative **does not mean they will remain virus free** or that they cannot infect another person.
- Testing must be used carefully and **in conjunction with other strategies** for stopping the spread of COVID-19.

Private institutions such as universities, employers, hotels, hospitals, congregate care facilities, and houses of worship may ask visitors about their recent travel and may require a record of a negative COVID-19 test before allowing admittance to their facility.



- Visitors from Maryland and Virginia
- People coming to DC for essential work may carry out those duties prior to receiving the results of their second test in DC (as long as they do not have symptoms or were not a close contact of a positive case within the past 14 days)
- Visitors who are coming into DC for less than 24 hours
- People travelling to DC for a family emergency or a funeral do not need to obtain a negative test prior to coming if obtaining such a test would be impractical, but must restrict their activities to those related to the emergency