## **Health and Safety Requirements for Testing**

We are following recommendations from CDC and World Health Organization for preventing the spread of Covid-19 and protecting testing candidates and our staff.

We ask all candidates comply with these Health and Safety Guidelines to keep fellow candidates and proctors safe.

## FACE MASKS ARE REQUIRED WHILE TESTING AT OUR TESTING FACILITIES.

What candidates need to know:

You will not be admitted to the testing center and should reschedule your exam if:	Unless:
You have tested positive for COVID-19	You have been symptom-free and fever-free for at least 72 hours without the use of fever reducing medicine AND At least 14 days have passed since your last exposure, or you have received two negative COVID-19 results in a row, 24 hours apart.
You are currently experiencing or have experienced one or more associated symptoms within the last fourteen (14) days: Shortness of breath Cough Fever Chills Sore throat Loss of small	You have been symptom-free and fever free for at least 72 hours without the use of fever reducing medicine
You live with or have had close contact with someone who has confirmed or suspected COVID-19  Medical and healthcare professionals- please see exception below <sup>1</sup>	At least 14 days have passed since your last exposure, or you have received two negative COVID-19 results in a row, 24 hours apart.
Have been or are under home quarantine or centralized observation by government or healthcare authorities	At least 14 days have passed since your quarantine or centralized observation has been lifted by the government or healthcare authorities

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Medical and healthcare professionals where both the medical/healthcare professional and patient were wearing the appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) are an exception.

## **Important Candidate Information**

- You will be asked to acknowledge that you meet the health requirement and that you will follow health and safety guidelines while testing.
- You must bring and wear your own face mask while you are at the testing center and throughout your exam. Any surgical or cloth face mask, including a homemade face mask, is acceptable as long as your nose and mouth are fully covered. Candidates without a face mask and/or refuse to wear one (without medical excuse) will be denied testing services.
- Stay > 6 feet away from other people in the waiting area and during the admission process.
- Candidates are allowed to wear disposable gloves during testing. Test
  administrators will inspect the gloves both before and after the exam, and
  the gloves will be disposed of in front of the proctor upon completion of
  the test.
- Some regional test centers may require candidates to provide a temperature check upon arrival.

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