

Yale University Visitor Training Checklist

This optional checklist has been created to help visitors and hosts understand Yale's COVID requirements; it is recommended that the host review this checklist with visitors. All visitors and hosts must comply with [Yale's Visitors Policy](#). The Visitor Policy applies to Yale-hosted events that occur on or off campus. As required by the policy, **all visitors and their hosts must be vaccinated and boosted, when eligible.**

A **visitor** is an individual who is coming to campus and is not a Yale student, employee, or trainee. A visitor may be deemed a "short-term" or "long-term" visitor based on the duration and/or frequency of their stay(s) on campus. See the [Visitor Policy](#) for details.

A **host** is the Yale employee of a sponsoring department, school, or organization who is responsible for overseeing the visit and assuring the visitor follows Yale's requirements during the visit. See the [Visitor Policy](#) for details. The host is responsible for:

- Providing the visitor with an individual invitation that includes the visitor's responsibilities (below).
- Ensuring the visitor complies with the visitor responsibilities in advance of, during, and after the visit.

Yale visitors must:

- Coordinate their visits with the university host.
- Make a [contingency plan](#) in case they test positive prior to arrival or while on campus.
- Self-monitor for [COVID symptoms](#) and test if symptomatic. If the test is positive, they should not come to campus. If on campus, leave immediately.
- Carry proof of identification, vaccination, and booster at all times, and present these documents if asked.
- Comply with applicable university [travel requirements, including testing if required](#).
- Follow [Yale's masking requirements](#).
- Follow university [health and safety guidelines](#) including the guidelines for [eating and drinking](#).
- Not invite others to join them on campus unless they are invited by the host.
- Only access campus spaces as required by/related to the purpose of their visit.
- Keep their host informed of any change of plans regarding their time or activities on campus.
- Show results of COVID testing if required.
- Notify the university host if they become ill or test positive for COVID-19 while on campus or within 72 hours following the visit.

See [Yale Visitors Policy](#) for more information on visitors and hosts. In some cases, visitors will be instructed to have a negative test prior to arriving on campus and to have a second arrival negative test. If you have any questions, contact the [COVID Review Team](#).

Laboratory Visitors. This checklist should also be used by Principal Investigators and other sponsors of minors and visiting undergraduates to facilitate their understanding of Yale's COVID requirements. Contact the [Office of Environmental Health and Safety \(EHS\)](#) for additional requirements for minors and visiting undergraduates who work in laboratories.