



July 2021

Because of the troubling rise in cases related to the Delta Variant and the low rates of vaccination in the state of Missouri and neighboring states, we are revising our COVID-19 test policy prior to campers arriving on campus. **This policy applies to non-vaccinated campers only:**

**All non-vaccinated campers of any age will be required to show proof of a negative polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test that is administered no more than 72 hours (3 days) before the camper's arrival at their designated departure location. Families must bring a copy of the PCR test results to their designated departure location for the Camp Nurse to keep in the camper's file.**

- Stallion campers: test should be administered no earlier than Thursday, July 29th, 2021
- Pony/Mustang campers: test should be administered no earlier than Wednesday, August 4th, 2021

MCBC has been working in partnership with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to identify locations that offer free PCR tests across the Midwest. Here is a spreadsheet of free testing sites in Missouri and here is one of free testing sites in Kansas. Families can also visit the following websites to identify a location within their area:

- eTrueNorth-sponsored locations - click on any state and you can see options, or you can complete a registration and then search by Zip Code
- Walgreens testing options - you can plug in your zip code to see availability

Please call the Burns Recovered office at (314) 939-1550 or call Maddog directly at (314) 399-8516 with any questions or concerns regarding this new policy. We can answer your questions and also assist in locating a testing site.