

COVID-19 Screening Questionnaire for Senior Centers

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The services you provide to our vulnerable seniors is so important, and we are providing additional guidance for providing services at a Senior Center. To protect vulnerable seniors and their caregivers, the Illinois Department on Aging (IDOA) is requiring staff to ask the following questions of staff, participants and visitors prior to entering a Senior Center. **The screening tool should be used for the following:**

- To screen staff, daily prior to entry into the center, before a face-to-face contact with an older/vulnerable adult.
- To screen visitors, prior to entry into the center.
- To screen the older/vulnerable adult, daily prior to entry into the center, before a face-to-face contact.

Within the past 14 days:

1) Have you or someone you live with been experiencing new shortness of breath, or cough or at least two of the following:

- *Fever
- *Muscle pain
- *New loss of taste or smell
- *Chills or repeated shaking with chills
- *Headache

Yes No

2) Have you or someone you live with been exposed to an individual with a positive COVID-19 diagnosis?

Yes No

3) Have you or someone you live with been tested positive for COVID-19?

Yes No

If participant, visitor or staff member responds “yes,” to any of the above questions the staff member must contact their supervisor for further direction.

*•*This screening tool is based on the latest guidance from the Centers for Disease Control & IDPH. IDoA reserves the right to modify the tool in the event of updates from either agency.*

***Replaces all previous versions of the screening tool.*