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# Get Tested or Vaccinated

All on-campus PPCC students and employees must undergo weekly testing or be fully vaccinated. This system-wide COVID-19 testing protocol announced Thursday by Joe Garcia, chancellor of the Colorado Community College System, is being implemented for the safety of our campus community.

PPCC President Lance Bolton said he believes it could save lives.

“As we head into winter, when the Delta variant could reach its peak, the choices we make will have profound consequences, in some cases life or death consequences,” he said. “We do this to protect the health of our community as well as our ability to teach in person.”

Compliance deadline will be Dec. 16 for employees and Jan. 17 for students.

Students and employees will continue to get \$100 gift cards for getting fully vaccinated. The mask requirement for all public indoor spaces will continue to be in effect.

Registration for the spring semester begins Oct. 25, and students have choices of taking classes in person, online, hybrid or hyflex (which give flexibility to be in class or remote.)

Details about how the new protocols will be managed are still taking shape, but you can find additional information at [ppcc.edu/covid](https://ppcc.edu/covid). As always, those who are experiencing Covid symptoms must remain off campus and fill out the form on that web page.

### Have questions?

Please join PPCC President Bolton and your Student Government President Jalen Johnson 4 pm Monday, October 11 for a Facebook Live Student Town Hall at [Facebook/PPCCedu](https://Facebook/PPCCedu).

## EVENTS

**Now–Thurs/Nov. 18**

### FACULTY ART EXHIBITION

Experience original artwork by PPCC faculty and instructors in a variety of media.

Info: [benjy.davies@ppcc.edu](mailto:benjy.davies@ppcc.edu)

Studio West Art Gallery | 8–5 pm M–F, closed 12–1

**Tues/Oct. 12**

### FACEBOOK LIVE: CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS MONTH

Learn about PPCC’s Cyber Security degree program, Cyber Club, and important tips for keeping you secure.

Facebook Live | 3 pm

**Wed/Oct. 13**

### CHANGING THE NARRATIVE: MENTAL HEALTH SERIES

The Counseling Center will host the Colorado Spirit Team at Diversus Health for a four-part series on mental health topics including COVID-19 and grief, stress management, gratitude, and resilience.

Continues on Nov. 10, Dec. 8 and Jan. 26.

Facebook Live | 11 am–12 pm

**Oct. 13 & 20**

### FEAR NO FAFSA WEDNESDAYS

Get help paying for your classes. We’ll assist you with completing your current and upcoming FAFSA. Every Wednesday.

Info [online](#). 8–5 pm

CC Room A110 | Rampart Room S102

**Thurs/Oct. 14**

### LUNCH WITH LEADERSHIP

Enjoy some free Jersey Mikes and ask campus leaders your burning questions.

11:30 am–12:30 pm

Centennial Theater or [Zoom](#)

**Fri/Oct. 15**

### TRIO OCTOBER WORKSHOP

Get help completing your FAFSA.

Visit [ppcc.edu/sss](https://ppcc.edu/sss) or email [Ash.Owen@ppcc.edu](mailto:Ash.Owen@ppcc.edu)

CC, Room A313 | 10–11:30 am

**Fri/Oct. 15**

### PTK INFO MEETING

Learn about PPCC’s Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, and what it can do for you.

Info: [ppcc.edu/ptk-aga](https://ppcc.edu/ptk-aga)

Zoom | 10:30 am

**Sat/Oct. 16**

### PTK EDGE WORKSHOP INTRO

Learn what workshops will be available, and tell us what you’d like to see.

Info: [ppcc.edu/ptk-aga](https://ppcc.edu/ptk-aga)

Centennial Computer Lab | 12–3 pm

**Sat/Oct. 16**

### MIND OF A SUSPECT

Track down some of history’s trickiest serial killers before the time runs out.

Centennial Grove | 6–8 pm

Learn more: [ppcc.edu/sab](https://ppcc.edu/sab)

**Mon/Oct. 18 & Tues/Oct. 19**

### MOBILE FOOD MARKET

Free perishable food for all PPCC students, employees, and the public.

Volunteers email [aylen.trejo@ppcc.edu](mailto:aylen.trejo@ppcc.edu)

CC Atrium | Monday | 11 am

RRC, 2nd floor lounge | Tuesday | 10 am

**Oct. 19–21**

### CANDY AROUND THE WORLD

Join Student Activities, and try and guess the candy and where it comes from.

Info: [ppcc.edu/sab](https://ppcc.edu/sab) 11 am–1 pm all locations.

10/19 | DT Front Lobby • 10/20 | RRC Atrium

10/21 | CC Rotunda

**Wed/Oct. 20**

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS

The Counseling Center will host members of TESSA who will raise awareness and discuss resources available through their organization. Info: [Jennifer.Grubb@ppcc.edu](mailto:Jennifer.Grubb@ppcc.edu)

CC, Room TBD | 1–2:30 pm

**Fri/Oct. 22**

### TRIO OCTOBER WORKSHOP

RN, EMT, CNA, OT, PT, RRT, DMS:

The Alphabet Soup of Healthcare Careers.

Info: [ppcc.edu/sss](https://ppcc.edu/sss) or email [Ash.Owen@ppcc.edu](mailto:Ash.Owen@ppcc.edu)

CC, Room A313 | 10–11:30am

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS MONTH

October is Cyber Security Awareness Month. Do your part. #BeCyberSmart

### PPRLEA APPLICATIONS

Apply now through October 31 for the spring 2022 Law Enforcement Academy.

Visit [ppcc.edu/pprlea](https://ppcc.edu/pprlea) for the application and information on the process. Questions? Contact [catherine.labrecque@ppcc.edu](mailto:catherine.labrecque@ppcc.edu) or 719-502-3528.

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Child Development Center spring 2022 waitlist application is now open. [Add your child to the waitlist online](#). Students must be enrolled for a minimum of 6 credit hours in spring 2022 to utilize the Child Development Center.

### VACCINE CLINICS

There will be free Pfizer vaccination clinics at Centennial and Rampart Campuses throughout October.

Learn more and sign up at: [ppcc.edu/vaccine](https://ppcc.edu/vaccine)

### VOTING

PPCC encourages all students to participate in elections and have their voices heard. Register before Oct. 24 using this [online voter registration form](#) or after Oct. 24 at a voter service and polling service centers on campus. Ballot drop-off boxes are located at the Centennial and Rampart Range campuses. [Details available online](#).

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Apply now for Foundation scholarships for the spring 2022 semester. Deadline is October 15. [Learn more: PPCC.edu/Scholarships](https://PPCC.edu/Scholarships)

The Foundation of the National Student Nurses’ Association Inc. (FNSNA) is now accepting scholarship applications for the 2022–2023 school year. Awards up to \$10,000 per academic year to currently enrolled nursing students across the country. [Learn more](#).



Registration for spring 2022 classes will begin on October 25.