

- I. BYM Young Friends Covid Procedures:
 - A. Vaccinations are highly encouraged for young friends wishing to attend conferences. If they are eligible, we strongly recommend YFs are as vaccinated as possible.
 - B. Our testing policy
 - 1. YFs are required to have a negative covid test to attend con.
 - 2. We recommend an antigen test the night before con, and will provide antigen tests on arrival for YFs who have not tested.
 - 3. Consider the well-being of the young friends community when coming to con. If you have any COVID related symptoms (cough, nausea, fever, ect.) please evaluate the risk involved in coming to con.
 - 4. YFs may not come to con if they have tested positive for COVID-19 in the ten days leading up to the con.
 - C. Conferences will be mask-optional.
 - 1. We ask that young friends weigh their own risks when coming to con and support everyone's masking decisions.
 - D. In the instance that a YF contracts Covid-19 in the ten days after con, they will send an email to the Youth Programs Manager. The Youth Programs Manager will send out an email informing the community of their potential exposure and the original YF will stay anonymous. The email will be sent out to all Young Friends and Friendly Adult Mentors who were at the conference.
 - E. In the instance of a spike:
 - 1. A spike should be defined as a noticeable increase in COVID numbers in BYM or BYM adjacent communities
 - a) COVID committee will meet in order to determine the presence of a spike in the week before con if concerns are raised with the d-fam or youth programs manager.
 - 2. Two negative antigen test results are required at least 12 hours apart in order to attend con
 - a) Tests should occur either the night before and upon arrival, or upon arrival and the first morning of con
 - b) YFs who did not test prior to arrival should stay masked at all times until their second negative test result
 - 3. Masking policy: 1 out of 3, YFs should at any given time be either masked, distanced, or outdoors
 - a) At Friday night Business Meeting concerns about the masking policy may be brought up and discussed
 - 4. YFs will eat in color groups
 - 5. A space for distanced sleeping should be provided if at all possible