

Accessing Temporary Lodging for persons requiring isolation due to COVID-19 (San Diego County Program):

FAQ:

1. Is San Diego County providing temporary lodging for people needing to isolate due to COVID-19?

Yes. The County of San Diego has secured private rooms and meal plans at hotels around the County for pre-screened individuals requiring isolation. If needed, transportation can also be provided from your facility to the lodging site.

To reduce transmission of COVID-19, the individual must be transported DIRECTLY to the hotel as they are required by the County Public Health Officer order to remain in their room until further notice.

2. What do you need in order to access this resource (steps & requirements)?

A medical professional must evaluate the individual and determine if they are medically stable, can independently conduct acts of daily living, and need temporary lodging due to lack of permanent lodging or ability to isolate apart from others at their permanent lodging.

If a person requires temporary lodging for isolation, please have a medical professional call (858) 715-2350 between 7:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M., 7 days a week to speak with Care & Shelter staff as soon as possible.

3. What is the duration of the San Diego County program?

If test results are pending you will need to stay until the negative result returns. If the result is positive you will be in isolation at a hotel for a minimum of 10 days. If after 10 days you have been symptom/fever free for 3 days you can return home. If you are asymptomatic or have very mild symptoms you can return 10 days from a positive test.

4. Who should you contact?

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5. Who can make a referral call?

A LCSW, RN, NP, PA or MD can make referrals to the program by calling (858) 715-2350 (7 days a week from 7 AM to 9 PM). Please work with the medical professionals providing you support to make the referral for you.

6. This service is a San Diego County service and not a UC San Diego service

If you live off campus and need temporary lodging for isolation please contact your primary medical provider to be evaluated for a referral to the San Diego County temporary lodging for people needing to isolate due to COVID-19.