

COVID-19 TESTING OPPORTUNITY FOR WESTERN SUFFOLK BOCES EMPLOYEES

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Mandated weekly COVID-19 testing for employees who have not voluntarily submitted proof of vaccination began October 27, 2021. To comply with the first week of testing, employees must submit proof of COVID-19 testing via email to covidtesting@wsboces.org by 9 a.m. Nov. 3, 2021.

Staff may test wherever they wish during each weekly testing period, including at the numerous pharmacy-based testing centers, walk-in medical centers, and the Suffolk County Department of Health testing sites. Information about all of these options can be found at wsboces.org/covidtesting.

To provide employees with an additional option, Western Suffolk BOCES has arranged for an independent testing entity to conduct COVID-19 testing for Western Suffolk BOCES employees at the Wheatley Conference Center (also known as Taukomas), 31 Lee Avenue, Wheatley Heights, NY. The first testing session at this location will be Monday, November 1, 2021, from 2:30-5:30 p.m.

Included with this letter is a flyer from the testing entity, AcclaiMED, with information about the weekly testing.

To schedule your appointment, scan the QR code on the attached flyer. When the page appears, enter the following information:

Zip Code: **11798** *(do not enter your own zip code)*

Show results within: **5 miles** *(do not change)*

Union/Organization *(select from list)*: **BOCES**

Start Date: *(do not change)*

End Date: *(no information required)*

CLICK SUBMIT.

On the next screen, scroll down to:

1. Wheatley Heights

Click **SCHEDULE ONLINE**

On the next screen, you will see **Monday, November 1, 2021.**

Select the appointment time preferred (scroll to see additional times)

NOTE: If all times are RESERVED on 1. Wheatley Heights, scroll down to 2. Wheatley Heights or 3. Wheatley Heights for more options.

Click the circle next to APPOINTMENT STATUS

Click CONTINUE

On the next screen, complete only those fields marked with *

Click SUBMIT

Please be advised that if you have trouble scheduling an appointment online, walk-ins will be accommodated, although the wait time may be longer.