* A person who had severe/critical illness or is severely immunocompromised should:

If symptomatic, stay home away from others or under isolation precautions until:

- At least **20 days** have passed since symptoms first appeared
  
  AND
  
- At least 24 hours have passed since last fever without the use of fever reducing medication
  
  AND
  
- Other symptoms have improved.

If asymptomatic, stay home away from others or under isolation precautions until:

- At least **20 days** have passed since specimen collection of the first positive COVID-19 PCR/antigen testing while asymptomatic. If symptoms develop, follow guidance for symptomatic and tested positive for COVID-19.

Outside of these criteria above, **extension of isolation is not routinely** recommended if an individual is retested **within 3 months** of onset of symptoms or date of first positive test while asymptomatic.