HCCS has implemented a travel policy covering all HCCS Faculty, Staff, and students. HCCS’s travel policy follows the State of New York’s mandatory travel restrictions and additional guidance issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Accordingly, if you have traveled outside of New York (both domestically and internationally), you must comply with the following requirements:

- **OPTION 1:**
  - Quarantine for 14 days before you return to HCCS.

- **OPTION 2:**
  - If you have traveled outside of New York for **24 hours or more:**
    - Pursuant to New York’s travel guidelines, you must obtain a COVID-19 test within three days **prior** to your departure from the out-of-state destination.
    - Upon returning to New York, you must quarantine for three days.
    - On the fourth day, you must obtain another COVID-19 test.
    - If both tests are negative, you may return to HCCS upon receipt of the second negative COVID-19 diagnostic test result.
  - If you have traveled outside of New York for **less than 24 hours:**
    - On the fourth day after returning to New York, you must obtain a COVID-19 test.
    - If the COVID-19 test is negative, you may return to HCCS upon receipt of such negative COVID-19 diagnostic test result.

If you have any questions or concerns please email HCCS’s Chief of Operations, Joy.Petrakos@hccs-nys.org, and copy our Superintendent CTettonis@hccs-nys.org and HCCS-PS Principal: NCaban@hccs-nys.org and/or HCCS-SI Principal: CKakleas@hccs-nys.org.