Masking Requirement Ends

The requirement for employees, residents, students and volunteers who have not been vaccinated against the flu to wear masks has been lifted as of today, March 18.

Sacramento County’s Public Health Officer, Olivia Kasirye, has issued an advisory announcing the lifting of the county’s masking requirement for all health-care employees declining influenza vaccine and working in health-care institutions. Kasirye stated that she was ending the masking requirement as a result of a decline in influenza activity in the county.

J. Douglas Kirk, Chief Medical Officer for UC Davis Medical Center, and Stuart Cohen Infection Prevention Officer, decided to lift UC Davis’ masking requirement in response to the action by Sacramento County.