

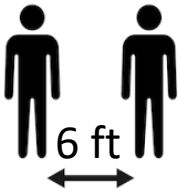
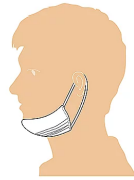
Reduce the Spread of COVID-19



Monitor **COVID-19** symptoms



Always **wear a face mask** or **face cover**



Maintain **physical distance** (at least 6 ft)



Wash hands frequently or use hand sanitizer



Stay home if you feel sick



COVID-19: Return to Campus Guidelines

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Disclaimer: The School of Biological Sciences is continuously evaluating recommendations from public health officials (county, state and federal), and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The guidelines presented here are fluid and likely will continue to evolve.

Have you Been Exposed?



Have you been in contact with...

- Someone who has **tested positive** for the coronavirus?
- Someone who **developed COVID-19** symptoms after your contact?

If so, do these things:

1. Self-quarantine and contact your health care provider
2. Refer to [COVID-19 Symptoms & Testing](#) to inform the university
3. If you test negative, thank you for being safe
4. If you test positive for COVID-19, self-quarantine for two weeks
5. Remember: the virus can be transmitted to others even if you don't have symptoms



Have you done your daily self-check?

No

yes

Do daily self-check before coming to campus

Do you show any symptoms¹?

No

Yes, severe

Yes, mild

Where are you going?

Contact your healthcare provider and ask about getting tested

Research lab

Stairway

Teaching lab

Elevator

Classroom

Other

Core facility

Quarantine

Negative

Back to campus

Positive

Contact tracing

Follow the safety guidelines provided below for each space

¹Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus



Safety Procedures in Large Classrooms



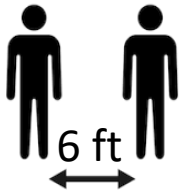
Always **wear** a **face mask** or **face cover**



Open doors **with your foot** or **elbow** if possible



Sanitize the desk and seat before seating and leaving



Maintain **physical distance** (at least 6 ft)



Wait inside of classroom



Don't come if ...

- If you are not registered with this class
- You forgot your mask or forgot to check body temperature
- You are sick or suspect being sick
- It is not your group's turn
- The room has reached its capacity



Safety Procedures in Teaching Laboratories



Stay home if you feel sick



Always **wear** a **face mask** or **face cover**



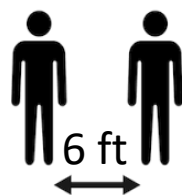
Wash hands frequently or use hand sanitizer



Avoid touching **your face**



Clean and **disinfect** frequently touched surfaces



Maintain **physical distance** (at least 6 ft)



No more than 12 students and 1 instructor in a lab at one time



Safety Procedures in Research Laboratories



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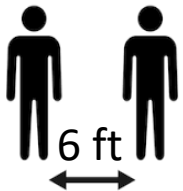
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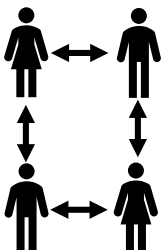
Clean and **disinfect** frequently touched surfaces



Maintain **physical distance** (at least 6 ft)



Avoid touching **your face**



No more than 4 people should be in a lab at one time



Safety Procedures in Rooms with Shared Equipment



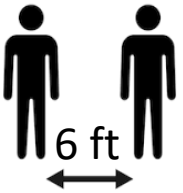
Sign in and out for use of equipment



Wear a face mask and gloves



Sanitize the area before and after using shared equipment



Maintain physical distance (at least 6 ft)



Wash hands after leaving the room



Don't...

- Use ungloved hands to touch surfaces and touch face
- Enter the room if it has reached its modified COVID-19 occupancy
- Wait in the hallway



Safety Procedures in Student, Faculty, and Main Offices



Stay home if you feel sick



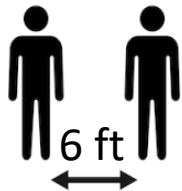
Always **wear a face mask** or **face cover** in shared offices



Wash hands frequently or use hand sanitizer



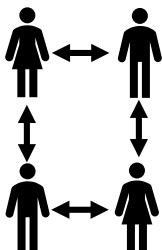
Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces



Maintain **physical distance** (at least 6 ft)



Avoid touching **your face**



Don't enter if room has reached its modified COVID-19 occupancy



Stairways

Hallways



-- Stay at least 6 ft. apart --

Do...

- ✓ Wear mask
- ✓ Stay to the right
- ✓ Keep moving
- ✓ Open doors with your foot or elbow if possible

Don't...



- Linger or gather in groups

Do...

- ✓ Wear mask
- ✓ Stay to the right
- ✓ Keep moving
- ✓ Open doors with your foot or elbow if possible

Don't...



- Linger or gather in groups
- Gather outside labs; Instead, arrive on time, or wait in designated areas



Elevators

Conference Rooms



-- Stay at least 6 ft. apart --

Do...

- ✓ Use the stairs if at all possible
- ✓ Wear mask
- ✓ Wait against the nearest wall until the door opens
- ✓ Check the occupancy limit before entering the car
- ✓ Exit before others get on
- ✓ Wash or sanitize hands after touching buttons



Unless you have specific authorization, conference rooms, offices and other small rooms are **off limits**

Conferences should be held virtually whenever possible