# April 29 Campus Update Regarding Coronavirus

## To the UF Community:

Good morning Oiler Nation. Given the Governor's press conference Monday regarding the Restart Ohio plan (attached), we would like to share some important information as we enter into summer.

### **Campus Events**

- Given the Governor's guidelines, we are extending the cancelation of all events scheduled to take place on University-owned property through June 30. This applies to events scheduled by both internal and external entities. Should the situation improve and the state begins to permit gatherings of more than ten people, the University will re-assess this.
- By June 8, a decision regarding the status of events scheduled for the month of July will be communicated.

#### **Summer Classes**

- With the cancelation of events being extended until June 30, summer courses will be
  offered remotely through the end of June. The only exception to this may be for
  experiential health profession cohort programs. A decision regarding those programs
  will be made by May 15.
- By June 8, a decision regarding the status of classes scheduled for the month of July will be communicated.

## **Summer On-Campus Housing**

• Since no live classes or events may take place on University-owned property through the end of June, on-campus housing will not be available over the summer.

## Offices and Employees

- Offices are permitted to re-open on May 4, but with restrictions. In order to phase office openings in, each Cabinet member will work with the offices in their Division to determine staffing and hours. Some of the guidelines that will be considered are:
  - o Employees who are able to work from home should continue to do so.
  - o Employees who need to be present on campus to perform their jobs may do so.
  - Employees who will be working on campus must take their temperature prior to arriving on campus. If an employee has a temperature of 100.0 F or higher, they must remain home. Additionally, they must notify their supervisor and contact Cosiano Health Center.
  - Employees must wear a face mask at all times while on campus. The University has ordered face masks for employee use, but they are on backorder due to the high demand. In the meantime, on-campus employees will be required to bring with them and wear a personal face mask.

• Once staffing and hours are finalized, an email sharing updated building/office hours and campus operations will be sent.

#### **Fall Semester**

- While the University is planning to hold live classes in the fall, we have established a sub-committee to plan for the following contingencies:
  - Having to offer classes fully online.
  - o Having to offer a hybrid model of online and live classes.
  - Having alternative start/stop dates.
- This sub-committee will develop plans for each of these scenarios so UF can be prepared to deliver courses and services in light of potential COVID-19 impacts. A decision regarding the fall semester format will be shared by the end of June.

If you have suggestions or questions, please email them to <u>coronavirus@findlay.edu</u>. Also, please visit the <u>Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Information</u> web page for current status reports. Additionally, we would encourage you to download the Oiler Mobile App (available at App Store and Google Play), and enable push notifications.

As always, thank you for your understanding and thoughtful feedback. Most importantly, congratulations to all our graduates!

Regards, Dave

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