May 17 COVID Case Data Update

Here are the COVID updates for this week.

- On May 12th, Governor DeWine initially announced plans for the Expiration of Health Orders scheduled for June 2nd, and the CDC also released new guidelines for fully vaccinated individuals. On May 14th, Governor DeWine issued a Statement on New CDC Mask Guidance. In this statement Governor DeWine indicated that: "Ohio will be amending our remaining health orders to comply with the new CDC guidance, which says that those who have been vaccinated no longer need to wear masks, while those who have not been vaccinated should still wear a mask and socially distance." Given this amendment to the Governor's order, if you have been vaccinated, UF is no longer requiring you to wear a face covering. The Emergency Operations Team will be meeting Tuesday to discuss the process that we will use to have individuals submit their proof of vaccination. Unvaccinated individuals must continue to wear face coverings.
- For the week of 5/9-5/15 we administered 39 tests; there were 0 active positive cases; and 0 people were in quarantine (see COVID-19 Dashboard for more detail).

If you would like to access any of the other campus updates that have been sent out over the past months, please visit the COVID-19) Information web page. Links to all updates are located in the Campus Communications section. If you have suggestions or questions, please email them to coronavirus@findlay.edu. 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.

Regards,

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