

## March 16 Campus Update Regarding COVID-19

Over the last 22 months, UF has provided regular, weekly COVID updates to the campus community. Given that that we are at a point in the pandemic where restrictions have been able to be relaxed, today will serve as the last weekly COVID update. For the most up-to-date information, the campus community is encouraged to review the [Oiler Start Safe & Stay Safe Plan](#). These webpages will continue to be updated on a weekly basis. Individuals may also reach out to [coronavirus@findlay.edu](mailto:coronavirus@findlay.edu) with any questions or concerns.

The University will continue to monitor developments in the COVID-19 pandemic and remain in close contact with Hancock Public Health. Any adjustments to University COVID-19 policy and protocol will be made in accordance with guidance from the CDC and Hancock Public Health, and will be communicated to the campus community in a timely manner.

We would like to share these reminders and updates regarding COVID-19:

[At-home COVID-19 Tests](#) - As a reminder, the U.S. Government launched its website for *households* to order four, free at-home COVID-19 tests. More information can be found here: <https://www.covidtests.gov/>.

*Please remember that if you test positive for COVID, you need to inform the Cosiano Health Center (419-434-4550). If you are a UF Employee, please also contact Human Resources (419-434-6964) to determine if work accommodations or leave options are needed.*

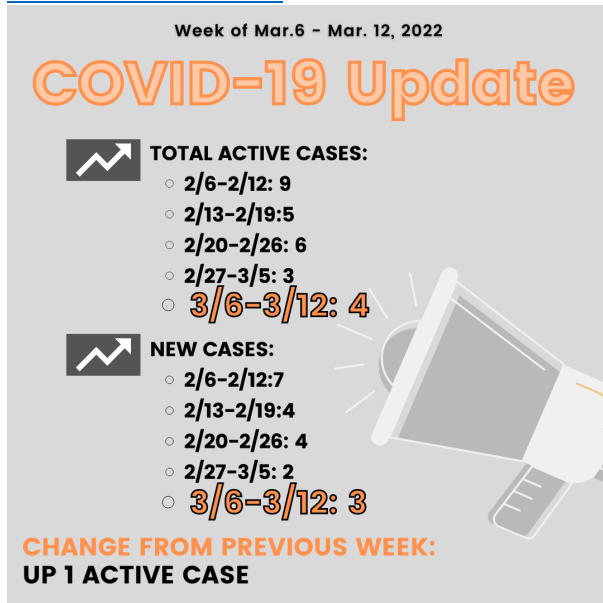
[Face Covering Guidelines](#) - Face coverings will no longer be required in campus buildings or at campus events. Individuals may choose to continue to wear face coverings if they are more comfortable doing so. Individuals that are symptomatic, test positive, or are exposed to someone with COVID-19 should wear a face covering. If individuals feel unwell, they should stay home. Please note, face coverings will remain required in Cosiano Health Center until further notice.

The University will continue to promote the following preventative measures and observe CDC/Hancock Public Health guidance:

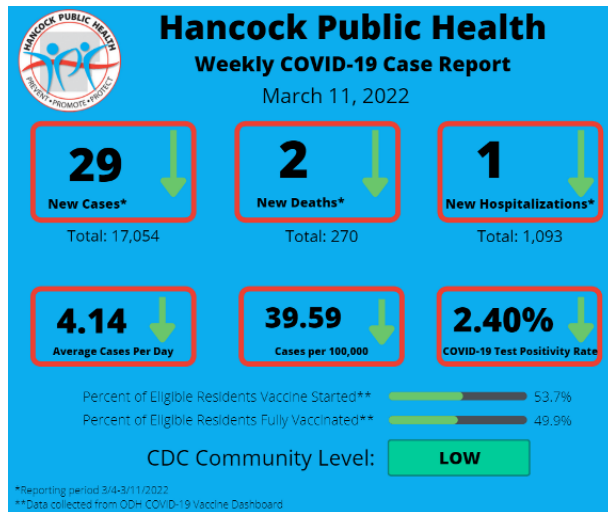
- **The University strongly encourages individuals to be fully vaccinated and to get the booster.** Hancock Public Health is offering COVID-19 Walk-in Clinics. More information can be found [here](#).
- Encourage good hygiene.
- Maintain access to testing:
  - Symptomatic individuals are encouraged to test at home or through Cosiano Health Center. Positive test results must be reported to Cosiano Health Center.
- Continue to follow [CDC isolation/quarantine guidance](#).
- Maintain other mitigation efforts:
  - COVID stations in classrooms.

- Sanitizer/masks available in each building.
- Ventilation and cleaning efforts.

[COVID-19 Dashboard](#)



**Current COVID Information for Hancock County**



Any adjustments to University COVID-19 policy and protocol will be made in accordance with guidance from the CDC and Hancock Public Health, and will be communicated to the campus community in a timely manner. Thank you for doing your part to keep Oiler Nation healthy.

Sincerely,

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