

Dear Campus Community,

As of April 17th, there are no confirmed cases of COVID-19 at SCU. To date there are 11,391 confirmed cases in LA County (including Long Beach and Pasadena), and 1,501 in Orange County. The most current information regarding COVID-19 (novel coronavirus), including past emails/updates can be located on our web page <u>HERE</u>.

<u>Update #10 (4/17/2020)</u>

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Message from the COVID-19 Response Team

Our team continues to monitor the situation and will continue to issue an update at least once a week on Fridays unless more frequent communication is needed.

New Procedure for Persons Accessing Campus

While the campus remains closed, the University Health Center and other essential services remain open. Until further notice all persons needing to access campus will be required to check-in at the University Health Center's outdoor reception tent to have their temperature taken and symptoms screened prior to entering campus. If you are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 you will be given testing/care information and be asked to return home. To facilitate this process, the only open entrance to campus is parking lot #1.

Further, all persons accessing campus will be required to have a non-medical face covering. This face covering must be worn when in a public space or while interacting with others on campus. Additional instruction from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) regarding who should and should not wear cloth face coverings, including DIY instructions, can be located HERE.

Latest LA County Health Order

As a reminder, LA County Health Officials have extended the "Stay at Home" Order though May 15^{th.}

Additionally, the most recent advice directs that if you are mildly sick, please stay home for at least seven days and until 72 hours after being fever and symptom free. Call your doctor if you are concerned and/or your symptoms worsen. Individuals who are elderly, have underlying health conditions, or who are pregnant should consider contacting their providers earlier when they are sick.

The most recent Los Angeles County Health Order can be viewed <u>HERE</u> and an FAQ regarding home quarantine guidance can be found <u>HERE</u>.

FAQ

SCU's comprehensive FAQ can be found https://www.scuhs.edu/coronavirus-covid-19-information/. The FAQ contains information about Academic Instruction, Student Support, Tuition/Fees, Financial Aid, and more.

Class Registration

Graduate program registration occurred in week 15. Schedules will support maximum flexibility under current circumstances and facilitate students' continued progress towards graduation. The summer schedule will be shared with students shortly, and will also include information regarding dates, times, and scheduling priority for DC selectives.

Registration for Accelerated Science courses is open and ongoing. Students are encouraged to continue taking their classes without interruption.

Classes

Because of the campus closure, all courses in all programs are being delivered online. Reopening of campus is currently scheduled for July 13, pending any additional updates. Supporting student progress towards graduation remains a top priority for the University.

Spring/Summer Break

SCU will follow the planned April 15 – May 3 trimester break period for graduate programs. You made it!

Additional Information

Los Angeles County has announced same-day tests for all LA County residents showing COVID-19 symptoms. For more information, visit https://covid19.lacounty.gov/testing

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) COVID-19 Situation Summary as of 04/07 can be found <u>HERE</u>. The CDC also publishes information for travel, including information about countries with elevated risk, which can be found <u>HERE</u>.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please visit the SCU COVID-19 page <u>HERE</u> or email us at <u>CampusSafety@scuhs.edu</u>