GUIDELINES

Returning to Campuses
Proposed Phased Approach

Based on up-to-date data and readiness

Mitigates risk of resurgence

Protects the most vulnerable

Implementable on statewide or county-by-county basis at governors’ discretion
Guidelines for All Phases: Individuals

CONTINUE TO PRACTICE GOOD HYGIENE

✓ Wash your hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer, especially after touching frequently used items or surfaces.
✓ Avoid touching your face.
✓ Sneeze or cough into a tissue, or the inside of your elbow.
✓ Disinfect frequently used items and surfaces as much as possible.
✓ Strongly consider using face coverings while in public.

PEOPLE WHO FEEL SICK SHOULD STAY HOME

✓ Do not go to work or school.
✓ Contact and follow the advice of your medical provider.

Continue to adhere to State, local and CDC guidance, particularly with respect to face coverings.

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Phase III

Restricted Operations

Continue operations remotely with limited on-campus presence and prepare to move to Phase II based on specific conditions at each location and department.
• **Vulnerable Individuals** may request accommodation from supervisors
• Access restricted to entrance points with mandatory screening procedures
• All team members must wear protective face coverings
• Social distancing > 6 feet
• Avoid groups more than 10 people or max 25% of room capacity; whichever is less

Phase III - Restricted Operations
Vulnerable Individuals

• Over 65 years of age
• Serious underlying health conditions, including:
  • High blood pressure,
  • Chronic lung disease,
  • Diabetes,
  • Obesity (body mass index >40),
  • Asthma, and those whose
  • Immuno-compromised
• Protective face coverings mandatory
• Continue Remote work agreements and Pandemic Leave
• As guidelines and availability increases, TTUHSC Clinical Task Force will give guidance on COVID-19 and antigen and antibodies testing.

Phase III - Restricted Operations
• Continue mission-critical operations
• Minimize nonessential travel
• Recruitment for **mission-critical** positions only
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• Resume elective surgeries and procedures
• Wear appropriate PPE with patient contact
• Continue telehealth when possible
• Patient only for in-person clinical appointments
• Patients and escorts screened upon entry; and must wear protective face coverings
• Telehealth visits as appropriate

• Follow TDCJ timeline for resuming offender movement/transports
• Continue all online coursework

• Student clinical rotations may continue with adequate PPE
• Resume essential new animal experiments
• Essential personnel may return to laboratory spaces to resume important experiments
• Appropriate PPE must be worn
• Maintain social distancing > 6 feet
• Principal Investigators determine number of lab personnel
Guidelines for All Phases: Employers

Develop and implement appropriate policies, in accordance with Federal, State, and local regulations and guidance, and informed by industry best practices, regarding:

- Social distancing and protective equipment
- Temperature checks
- **Sanitation**
- **Use and disinfection of common and high-traffic areas**
- Business travel

Monitor workforce for indicative symptoms. Do not allow symptomatic people to physically return to work until cleared by a medical provider.

Develop and implement policies and procedures for workforce contact tracing following employee COVID+ test.