Our Resilient Clemson Family

As federal and state leaders today announce new restrictions on travel, please know you are always encouraged to continue to visit Clemson. This is why we are leveraging our digital platforms to connect with you and with the Clemson community.

Although not understood fully, we do know that the coronavirus is a virus transmitted through respiratory droplets when an infected person coughs, sneezes, or speaks. It has proven to be more contagious than the flu, and while the symptoms are similar to the flu (fever, cough, and malaise), they are severe in some cases. The virus generally affects the lungs, but those suffering from diabetes, COPD, heart disease, and other chronic medical conditions are more susceptible to severe complications.

We continue to encourage you to practice good hygiene and to stay home if you are feeling ill. Our concern for your health and safety is paramount. Clemson is also planning to conduct regular assessment of the situation and to adjust its operations as required.

Thank you for all you do to support our students, staff and faculty. Please continue to stay safe for yourselves, your families, and the Clemson community. That’s the Clemson way.

Sincerely,

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