Academic skills counseling is also available, along with educational workshops related to successful study habits. Eligible students that have paid the counseling segregated fee are eligible for services provided by our licensed clinicians or trainees. Our licensed staff includes Licensed Professional Counselors, Social Workers, and Psychologists. Students are encouraged to contact their instructors and/or the Counseling & Testing Center for more information. Counseling is free, confidential, and available to all UWL students, faculty, and/or staff members.

For more information about Violence Prevention services, please visit the UWL's Violence Prevention Center (VPC) website. The VPC offers a variety of programs and resources to help prevent and respond to incidents of violence. For the most up-to-date information about COVID-19 and its impact on campus life, please visit the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse (UWL) website.

Greetings from a masked Dean of Students!

As you might imagine, the COVID-19 crisis continues to change daily as do the decisions we need to make. Rest assured, we are working diligently on your behalf to prepare for your safe return and for a successful semester. We're eager to welcome students back, but we're not ready to give up on our health and safety precautions just yet.

Please take the time to read this edition thoroughly. In it, you will find useful information about our Wellness and Health Advocacy offices, as well as important updates related to our Violence Prevention office and our Counseling & Testing Center, both of which provide important services to our students.

In this edition, you'll find information about:

- Required Online Training Course
- AlcoholEdu and Sexual Assault Prevention
- Physical health and wellness
- Mental health and counseling
- Violence Prevention
- Health Advocacy
- Prescription Pick Up
- Physical Exams with required paperwork
- Same day Acute Care
- Restraining order information and assistance
- Free sexual health supplies, such as condoms.

Check out these videos for some advice from your Eagle Guides:

If you are experiencing a life-threatening emergency, please call 9-1-1. For more information, visit the UWL's website dedicated to COVID-19 updates.

Lastly, I encourage you to report to someone on campus if you show any symptoms or learn about someone else's symptoms. This is important for the health and safety of our entire community. Whether you encounter someone coughing or sneezing, or notice someone who appears to be unwell, please do not hesitate to report it. By taking these steps, we can work together to keep our patients safe.

We are also expecting students to properly physical distance, both inside and outside campus buildings. This includes maintaining a six-foot distance from others. While I know students want to socialize and engage with each other, we must be mindful of the risks associated with close contact. We are excited and ready to welcome you back to campus, but we must prioritize the safety and well-being of our community.

We are also making adjustments to our campus life to ensure that we can provide the best possible experience for our students. Despite COVID, we will still have many options for you to choose from, both in and outside the classroom. We look forward to seeing you soon and want you to remember that UWL students are known for being hard-working, dedicated, and passionate.

classroom. We look forward to seeing you soon and want you to remember that UWL students are known for being hard-working, dedicated, and passionate. Keep these things in mind as you plan your classes and decide which courses to take. Remember to stay focused and make the most of your time during the fall semester.

We are working hard to provide important services to our students, including academic support, counseling, and wellness resources. Please do not hesitate to reach out if you need assistance or have any questions. We are here to support you in any way we can.

As you continue to plan for your academic and personal success, please remember to take care of yourself. Make sure to get enough rest, eat well, and exercise regularly. Take advantage of the resources available to you, including counseling services and online support groups.

We are also excited to announce that we will be offering a variety of new student activities this year. From sports to music to theater, there is something for everyone. We are also working hard to ensure that these activities are safe and enjoyable for all participants.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. We are here to support you in any way we can.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to welcoming you back to campus soon.

Sincerely,

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Dean of Students