COVID-19 Update
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What You Need to Know

This week, the University of Oregon, in coordination with the Oregon Health Authority, has implemented the following changes:

- The COVID-19 Community Level for COVID-19 in Lane County moved to High. Due to the elevated risk level, the UO recommends individuals wear masks indoors when around other people, per CDC guidance. In addition, it is recommended that you get tested if you’ve tested or know someone tested positive for COVID-19.

- KN95 masks are available on campus to UO students and employees through www.health.uoregon.edu. More information about wearing and caring for KN95 masks can be found on the same page.

We want to remind you of the personal preventative strategies you can take to reduce your risk of COVID-19 and the campus resources that are available:

- Wear a mask, even in COVID-19-safe areas.
- Wash your hands frequently.
- Cover your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze.
- Don’t share personal items like masks or water bottles.
- Get tested. Free COVID-19 testing is available on campus through the UO Monitoring and Assessment Program (MAP). Free at-home tests are available through the CDC.

The UO is continuing to provide the following COVID-19 resources:

- KN95 masks on campus for UO students and staff.
- MAP Testing for UO and Lane County community members.
- Coronavirus: Resources, support, and guidance for students affected by COVID-19.
- COVID-19 testing and tracking guidance for students and employees about how to get tested if they have symptoms that are positive, or have been exposed to COVID-19.
- ResourceFind: Resources for employees such as the Employee Assistance Program, leave options, and flexible and remote work guidance.
- For employees: The COVID-19 Leave Program will be extended through June 30, 2023. Eligible employees will have their full balance restored on July 1, 2023.

The UO continues to monitor the situation on our campus and in our community. We are working with local public health authorities to inform future decisions and policies.

Find additional information and resources on the Coronavirus Resources website or COVID.gov.

COVID-19 Testing Summer Schedule: As of June 26, MAP is moving from McArthur Court to Chiles Hall and will have a new schedule. Tests will be capped at 350/day including walk-in and symptomatic patients. Make your appointment early to ensure your appointment time and location is available. If there are no walk-in lanes, there will be a walk-in option for symptomatic testers. Masks continue to be required at MAP testing sites, including in-lining rooms.

Starting June 26, Summer Hours:
- Monday/Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
- Tuesday/Thursday: 10:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Friday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- Symptomatic and walk-in testing ends 30 minutes prior to closing or when the daily cap is reached. Arrive as early in the day as possible.

MAP will remain open to UO students and employees and Lane County community members during the World Athletics Championships Oregon22. For more information about COVID-19 testing including how to register for a test, visit the Coronavirus Resources website.

Remember to check with the testing site to make sure it meets your test needs and timelines.

COVID-19 Data

Community Level: Current COVID-19 Community Levels can be found on COVID.gov and are updated on Thursday evenings. Community levels consider a combination of metrics including new cases and hospital data.

Reminders

- Students: Log in to the MyHealth Portal. Visit the “Immunizations” tab. This is the same process used to upload your original vaccination information.
- Employees: Fill out the same form used to upload your original vaccination information.
- Students and employees: Get vaccinated and stay up to date on COVID-19 vaccines.
- Students: Log in to the MyHealth Portal and upload a copy of your vaccine card. This is the same form used to verify your vaccine status.
- Exemption process: For information on the exemption process visit the “Immunizations” tab. This is the same form used to verify your vaccine status.
- Prevention: The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to the virus. The CDC outlines some general precautions for personal prevention.

Resources

UO Resources

- Health and Prevention
  - Testing
  - Internal Resources
  - Faculty and Staff resources
  - Safety
  - Health and Prevention

Additional Resources

- COVID.gov
- Oregon Health Authority (en Español)
- Lane County Public Health (en Español)
- University of Oregon Health (en Español)
- Faculty and Staff Resources (en Español)
- Coronavirus (en Español)
- Corona Corps
- UO COVID-19 leave program
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- PeopleSoft
- COVID.gov

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