COVID-19 Update

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What You Need to Know
This message is sent by the University of Oregon in response to 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 been in close contact with someone who has COVID-19.

KN95 masks are available on campus to UO students and employees. More information about wearing and caring for KN95 masks can be found on the CDC website.

We went 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:

- Wash your hands frequently and for 20 seconds or more.
- Consider wearing a mask while indoors and around others.
- Wash your hands fully and frequently.
- Get tested: Free COVID-19 testing is available on campus through the UO's Monitoring and Assessment Program (MAP).
- Free 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.
- COVID Change: Testing for UO and Lane County community members.
- COVID-19 Data: Information and support for students affected by COVID-19.
- Reminders and testing guidelines for students and employees about new testing requirements. If you have symptoms that are new, or have been exposed to COVID-19.
- Reminders for employees such as the Employee Assistance Program, leave options, and flexible and remote work guidelines.

For employees the COVID-19 leave program will be extended through June 30, 2022. Eligible employees will have their Summer Break extended on July 1, 2022.

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.

COVID-19 Data
Community Level: Current COVID-19 Community Levels can be found on the Coronavirus Resources website for current community levels. The CDC COVID-19 Data website provides a list of additional testing sites in our community.

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

COVID-19 Testing Summer Schedule: As of June 21, MAP is moving from McArthur Court to 1585 E 13th Avenue 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 date preference. There will be a tent outside for symptomatic testers. Masks continue to be required at MAP testing sites, including inside the testing building.

- 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.

Reminders
Before Reporting: After becoming eligible and receiving your COVID-19 booster shot, remember to update your vaccine status with the UO. To submit your booster shot, visit the MyUOHealth Portal online form to verify your initial vaccine status. Employees: Fill out this online form and upload a copy of your vaccine card. This is the same form used to upload your original vaccination information. Students: Log in to the MyUOHealth Portal and upload a copy of your vaccine card. This is the same process used to verify your initial vaccine status. Fill out the same form used to verify your vaccine status.

Exemption process: For information on the exemption process visit the Employee Assistance Program for employees such as the Employee Assistance Program, leave options, and flexible and remote work guidelines.

Prevention: The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to the virus. The CDC outlines some general guidelines for personal prevention.

Resources
UO Resources
- Health and Prevention
  - Flu
  - COVID-19 Resources Site
  - Faculty and Instructor Info
  - Student Health
- Safety
  - COVID-19 Resources Site
  - Student Life
  - Faculty and Instructor Info
  - Student Health
  - Health and Safety
Additional Resources
- COVID-19 Resources Site
- Oregon Health Authority (in Spanish)
- Lane County Public Health (in Spanish)
- Deschutes County Public Health (in Spanish)
- Coos County Public Health (in Spanish)
- Multnomah County Public Health (in Spanish)
- Oregon Health Authority
- Coronavirus.gov

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