



**SUBJECT: UNIVERSITY NOTIFICATION**

**DATE: July 24, 2020**

Dear NDNU Community,

**Shelter-in-Place Status**

San Mateo County Health Officer, Scott Morrow, released a statement regarding the current COVID-19 status in the county. [Read the statement here](#). The statewide order to close some indoor business operations and additional indoor operations in counties on the Monitoring List is still in effect. [Read the order here](#). [Follow these CDC guidelines to further protect yourself](#). [Keep up to date with the "Shelter-in-Place" order](#).

We urge you to please follow [national, world health organization, state](#) and [regional news](#) to stay updated on most recent updates.

**NDNU to Provide Instruction Remotely for Fall 2020 and Spring 2021**

After thoughtful consideration, we have decided to provide instruction and student support services remotely and online in fall 2020 and spring 2021, with the exception of some courses with in-person meetings. [Read the full statement here](#). Given that there will be minimal in-person instruction, NDNU will not offer campus housing for fall or spring and will not be accepting housing applications.

**CARES Act Emergency Financial Aid Grant Report**

First and foremost is the health and well-being of Notre Dame de Namur University (NDNU) students, employees (faculty and staff), and our extended community. NDNU is supporting eligible graduate and undergraduate students by providing emergency financial aid grants from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund established by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. [Learn more about the CARES ACT here](#). Corresponding [CARES Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)](#), can be found [here](#).

## Summer Academic Resources

Tutoring - Students taking summer courses, [learn](#) about the resources available to assist you.

Gellert library has many resources available online through the library's homepage. Please refer to our [Remote Access Guide](#) to learn more about our remote services. [Learn more about summer support services here.](#)

## Current on-campus Access Protocol

The Ralston entrance to campus has been adjusted to reduce and deter unnecessary traffic into campus. Public Safety needs you to check-in upon your arrival to campus by calling /texting 650-504- 0656 or emailing at [secutrity@ndnu.edu](mailto:secutrity@ndnu.edu).

You can also email Public Safety at [security@ndnu.edu](mailto:security@ndnu.edu). This check-in procedure is required for Public Safety to track all on campus activity to keep our campus community safe.

Remember, we continue to house on-campus residents. We ask for your utmost collaboration for your safety and the safety of others.

Reminder for employees of the protocols in place for when you are on campus.

- **Only come to campus if you are feeling well.**
- Immediately notify Public Safety by email, phone, or in person when you arrive.
- **Wear a face mask**, unless you are in your office and there is no one else with you.
- **Wear a face mask** when outside your office and/or outside.
- **Wear a face mask** when meeting with others.
- Request others e.g. visitors, vendors, guests, bring a face mask and wear it.
- Social distancing protocols of at least six feet should be observed.
- Hand sanitizers and disposable wipes are located in most offices and communal areas. Make sure to use them.