

In order to slow the spread of COVID-19, LCC has adopted new safety expectations for Spring Quarter 2020

What is expected of you while you are on campus Spring Quarter 2020?

- 1. Stay home if you are sick.** Work with your instructor or supervisor for necessary accommodations.
- 2. Wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds.** Slow down and be thorough. This is your opportunity to protect yourself and others.
- 3. Practice social distancing of six feet or more everywhere you go.** Be respectful of others. When sitting in meeting or classroom spaces, or when standing in line, be sure to leave six feet between you and others. Faculty, staff and students should facilitate this in their spaces. Safety is everyone's responsibility.
- 4. Wear a cloth face covering.** LCC will require everyone on campus to wear a cloth face covering starting April 15th. If you are not wearing a face covering, you may be asked to leave. This is to prevent you from unknowingly spreading the virus to others. You may be carrying the virus and not even know it. For more information on homemade cloth face covering visit the [CDC's webpage](#).
- 5. Check your campus emails and the LCC webpage regularly for updates!** This situation is changing rapidly and updates to campus operations and/or procedures may be made at anytime.

Guidance for on-campus instruction

- Access to open buildings will begin on May 5th.
- Spring Quarter will run April 20 – June 18, and instruction will be delivered **online as much as possible.**
- Each course hosted on campus will have procedures in place that you must follow to reduce the spread of illness. **These procedures must cover three main categories:**
 - 1. Sufficient Hygiene**
 - 2. Social Distancing**
 - 3. Cleaning/ Disinfecting**

LCC is taking these additional precautionary measures to reduce the spread of illness:

- Custodial crews are continually cleaning frequently touched surfaces throughout campus with disinfectants specifically approved by the EPA for use against COVID-19.
- LCC is working closely with Cowlitz County Department of Health and Human Services (DOH) to identify cases of COVID-19 that may be connected to our campus.

In the event an employee and/or student is confirmed to have COVID-19:

- An email notification will be sent by the College to all employees and students.
- Individuals believed to be potentially exposed will be contacted directly by DOH.
- The College will identify areas of campus the person may have visited and those spaces will be temporarily closed for extensive cleaning.

Reliable Resources for Information about COVID-19

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\) \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[World Health Organization \(WHO\) \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[Cowlitz County Department of Health and Human Services \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[John Hopkins Case Map \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[Lower Columbia College Main Webpage](#)

[Lower Columbia College: COVID-19 Safety \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[Lower Columbia College: Resources for Students \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[Lower Columbia College: Resources for Supervisors](#)

[Lower Columbia College: Resources for Employees \(Links to an external site.\)](#)

[EPA Cleaning Product Information](#)

For more detailed information, complete our [COVID-19 Canvas Training!!](#)

Stay safe and have a great quarter!

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