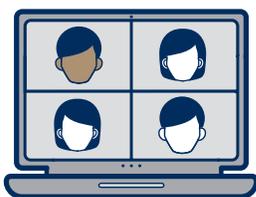


The University of Michigan has developed a comprehensive plan for Winter Term incorporating public health guidance, lessons learned from the Fall Semester and extensive feedback and engagement with the community that reflect the following:



INCREASED TESTING CAPACITY WITH MANDATORY TESTING FOR SOME

- Mandatory pre-arrival testing for all students moving into U-M residence halls.
- Mandatory weekly testing for undergraduates who live, learn or work on campus.
- Weekly asymptomatic testing for all other students, and faculty and staff on campus.
- Expansion of testing for those quarantining at off-campus locations.
- Departure testing required for undergraduate students returning to permanent residences; recommended for all other students.



MORE COURSES OFFERED REMOTELY

- Nearly 90% of classes offered remotely.
- In-person classes limited to those that are essential, as determined by the instructor, for preparing the next leaders in nursing, medicine and other fields where in-person education is required and needed for academic progress.
- Students surveyed shared they very much want to continue to be able to have some essential in-person coursework.



REDUCED DENSITY IN U-M RESIDENCE HALLS BY MORE THAN HALF

- Housing remains available to select students who meet need-based criteria.
- Less than 1,800 undergraduate residents living in 10 residence halls; down from more than 6,500 undergraduate residents and 16 residence halls.
- Our graduate students will continue to live in residence halls.



A STRICT, NO-TOLERANCE APPROACH TO ENFORCING COVID-19-RELATED POLICIES

- First warnings are final warnings.
- There will be consequences for students and student groups that do not comply with COVID-19-related policies, which could include probation, canceling housing contracts, student conduct accountability, and denied Mcard access to facilities.



ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

- 1,800 student orgs that are hosting virtual and small in-person activities.
- Student Life resource “[Find Community](#)” for students to connect over shared interests, support, leadership, volunteering and safe ways to have fun.
- New Community Matters Cohort Program, which provides a space for students to meet others and participate in regular social events.



EXPANDED MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

- Addition of two “well-being breaks.”
- Dedicated counselors now in all schools/colleges.
- Additional staffing resources to meet growing needs in U-M Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS), which serves hundreds of students each week, 24/7.
- Campus recreational sports facilities remain open with a number of organized opportunities to stay active and moving.
- Additional virtual resources to support student well-being.



ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO SUPPORT TEACHING

- New technologies and tools available to address concerns expressed by students.
- “Classedu” is a new tool to enhance teaching with Zoom and add features that are more like an in-person class, such as one-on-one conversations, playing video, linking to material on the web or running a quick assessment.
- Remote teaching orientation for GSIs (via CRLT).



PROVIDING THE COVID-19 VACCINE

- Michigan Medicine’s COVID-19 Vaccine and Therapeutics Task Force is currently developing a plan for distributing the vaccines — as they become approved — to the U-M community in a phased approach.
- Goal is to administer the initially limited supply of vaccines to those most at risk, following CDC guidelines for a phased rollout.
- [More information on the COVID-19 vaccine.](#)