



Epidemic Prevention Measures in Student Hostels starting 2020

Take Preventive Measures to Safeguard Health

Arrangement on Hostel Room and Access Control

1. One or two rooms will be reserved in each hostel. Individual residents of the hostel with special need will be required to stay in the room for temporary isolation as instructed.
2. No overnight visitor is allowed.
3. No “special resident” (referred as “long term snake”) will be arranged this year.
4. The visiting hours will be restricted to 9 am to 9 pm daily at most (while individual hostels may vary within this time frame).

Restrictions and Rules on Use of Communal Areas and Shared facilities

5. Apart from maintaining good personal hygiene such as regular and thorough hand washing, avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth and cover the mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing, residents are also required to cooperate in taking the infection control measures including, but not limited to, temperature check upon each entry as well as proper mask wearing at all communal areas etc.
6. Good ventilation shall be ensured at lobby, study room, pantry, laundry room, piano room and other communal areas at hostel. Residents must wear masks properly at communal areas, and keep a social distance of at least 1-meter.
7. Residents should wear masks properly during cooking or any other time when staying in the pantry. No eating at the pantry is allowed at the moment. After cooking, the resident should bring back all cleaned utensils and covered food to his/her room for consumption.
8. Public properties such as books and games in the lobby would be available for borrow with registration, residents who borrow them are responsible for sterilization and cleaning before and after use.

Restrictions and Rules on Hostel Activities

9. To safeguard residents and enforce infection control measures, all hostel activities requiring physical attendance are prohibited. Student Residents' Association (SRA) intends to organize small-scale activities has to discuss and seek prior approval from respective Warden.
10. Hence, SRA is encouraged to make good use of the internet and carry out activities via online communication platform.
11. SRA should also follow the University guidelines on such.

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Measures for Residents Feeling Unwell or Suspected Case of Coronavirus

12. If not feeling well, the resident should have the surgical mask on and inform the Warden or Resident Tutor immediately, and seek medical care as soon as possible to prevent spread of viruses and other infections.
13. Even it is not a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19, the resident should take more rest and self-isolate, stay inside the room and avoid staying at public areas (except access to toilet facilities). To reduce the risk of infection, the resident should ask someone to bring the supplies and avoid contact with others.
14. Once a resident is suspected to have contracted COVID-19, residents of the same floor sharing the same bathroom are considered close contact and shall follow the instructions including being confined at their rooms until the suspected case is confirmed negative, or 14 days after the suspected case is confirmed, or follow the instruction from Government on quarantine arrangement.

Besides, all residents have to **inform your Warden in advance if you have to take any trip outside Hong Kong**, and have to finish the quarantine requirement off campus before re-entering our student hostels. **Reporting to hostel counter and completion of *Health Declare Form* are also required** upon returning to the hostel.

Thanks for your cooperation!



Chung Chi College
CC Student Hostels Committee
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