COVID-19
Procedure for Sick Students

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In support of the University’s COVID-19 Rapid Response Plan, this document provides guidance to students on steps they should follow when feeling unwell to assist in preventing the spread of COVID-19.

General Procedure

If you have had any of these symptoms during the past ten days, stay home and do not go to campus. If you develop any of these symptoms while on campus, go to your home right away (travel safely: avoid public transit; wear your mask; wash your hands; practice proper distancing):

- Fever
- New onset of cough or worsening of chronic cough
- New or worsening shortness of breath
- New or worsening difficulty breathing
- Sore throat
- Runny nose
- Loss of sense of smell or taste

As soon as you can, do the COVID-19 Self-Assessment for Albertans. If:

- You have been on campus in the past 14 days and
- The self-assessment directs you to take an AHS COVID-19 test and
- Your AHS COVID-19 test result is positive

Please contact the U of A PHRT Triage Team directly by email at phrt.triage@ualberta.ca providing your name and a call back phone number.

Someone will contact you privately to ask you a few questions and offer advice and guidance. This process will be conducted in accordance with privacy laws, and your identity will not be disclosed except to members of the special team charged with managing this information.

If you have concerns about your symptoms or questions about your online COVID-19 self-assessment, contact Alberta Health Link by dialing 811 on your phone.