



Gondwana University Gadchiroli

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To

1. All Head of the Department
2. All Principal of University's Conducted and Affiliated Colleges.
3. University's All Officers.

Sub:- Advisory for Universities and Colleges – Novel Coronavirus (COVID19)

Ref.:- No. D.O.No. F. No. 1-14/2020(Website), dated 5th march 2020

Sir/Madam,

We have received a letter from University Grant Commission (UGC) regarding preventive measures to be taken by the University as far as Novel Coronavirus (COVID19), In this regard, it is requested to you to take necessary action and follow the advisory mentioned below issued by UGC in your Department/Institute/Colleges.

- Avoid large gatherings on campus.
- Any student/staff with travel history to any COVID-19 affected country or in contact with such persons in last 28 days, should be monitored and home quarantined for 14 days.
- Faculty should be alert towards any student with signs and symptoms i.e. fever, Cough and difficulty in breathing, and should immediately have the student tested.
- Till advised by the treating doctor the student should not join campus.
- Faculty staff and students should also be advised about simple public health measures of hand and respiratory hygiene.

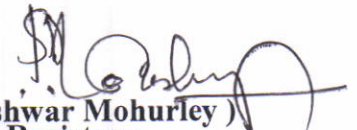
Hand hygiene : Wash hand frequently and thoroughly with soap & water or use alcohol based hand sanitizer, even when hands are visibly clean.

Respiratory hygiene:

1. Everyone should cover their mouth with a tissue/ handkerchief (or their sleeve if there are no tissues available) when they cough or sneeze and wash their hands afterwards.
 2. Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth.
 3. Everyone should throw away used tissues in a bin and wash their hands after contact with coughing/sneezing.
- Frequently touched surfaces- door knobs, switches, desk tops, hand railings etc, should be disinfected.
 - Provide alcohol based hand cleaners/sanitizers in frequented spots of the Universities/Colleges.
 - Ensure availability of soap and water in rest rooms at all times.
 - Foot operated pedal bins lined with plastic bag should be provided in each classroom & rest room.
 - In hostels, health status of students as well as the other ancillary staff should be monitored on regular basis, In case, there are suspected cases, the authorized local medical authority should be called for examination.
 - Anybody with signs & symptoms (cough, fever or difficulty in breathing) should called State/UT helpline number or Ministry of Health & Family Welfare's 24 X 7 helpline at 011 2397846 or visit public health facility with a mask or mouth covered.

In view of the above you are requested to postpone Seminar/Conference/Workshop/ Social gathering and other activities wherein outside participants are involved till further orders.

Thanking you!


(Dr. Ishwar Mohurley)
Registrar

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