

Notice of

King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi: The surveillance of COVID-19 outbreak No. 40 on June 16, 2021

On June 15, 2021, the University was reported that a female undergraduate student from Department of Printing and Packaging Technology, Faculty of Industrial Education and Technology (the 41st case of KMUTT) tested positive for COVID-19. Currently, the patient is in a private hospital for treatment. The student reported that she hasn't entered the University premises (KMUTT Bangmod Campus) since March.

The second case is a male undergraduate student from Industrial Technology Program, Faculty of Industrial Education and Technology (the 42nd case of KMUTT) tested positive for COVID-19. Currently, the patient is in a government hospital for treatment. In addition, the student reported that he lived in Ban Suan Thon Condo on Phuttha Bucha Road with his brother who is a KMUTT's staff member. The staff member reported that he entered the University premises (KMUTT Bangmod Campus) on June 8, 2021. However, during May 23, 2021 to June 8, 2021, the infected student and the staff did not meet each other. The University asked the staff to undergo 14-day quarantine. The related units are currently investigating to identify people whom the infected student and the staff might be in close contact with to assess the level of risk and continue to operate the relevant practices according to the measures of the Department of Disease Control.

Announced on June 16, 2021 at 10.00 hrs.

The University has given order that all related units shall investigate and identify people whom the infected student might be in close contact with such as classmates and students whom the infected student did activities with. Even if being considered as a Low-Risk Close Contacts, those people must undergo self-quarantine to monitor their symptoms for at least 14 days.

The Department/Office shall submit the name list to the Welfare and Coordination Unit of the COVID-19 Emergency Operation and Assistance Center of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi (KMUTT COVID-19 Center). Should any symptoms of illness such as fever, dry cough, sore throat, runny nose, shortness of breath have developed, please urgently contact the Welfare and Coordination Unit of KMUTT COVID-19 Center.

The University strictly followed the procedures of COVID-19 surveillance measures as announced in the Announcement of the COVID-19 Emergency Operation Assistance Center No.1/2021 after the Covid 19 case was reported.

In case that students or staff have done a self-assessment at http://bkkcovid19.bangkok.go.th/, and may be considered high-risk of being exposed to COVID-19, please contact your faculty or office and undergo self-quarantine for 14 days to monitor your symptoms. Should any symptoms of illness have developed, please urgently contact the Health Department of Bangkok Metropolitan Administration (BMA) or your nearest hospital(s), then report to the Welfare and Coordination Unit of KMUTT COVID-19 Center via 24-hours hotline number at 02 4709090 or email at qanda@mail.kmutt.ac.th.

The University is highly concerned about the current situation and urges all students and staff to strictly comply with the preventive measures and avoid going to risk areas, crowded places such as markets. In case that you or people you are close to are infected or at high risk from coronavirus, please help report to the University at http://bit.ly/Wereport. This will help the University to coordinate with the related person/offices such as the management of Coronavirus (2019–nCoV) insurance coverage.

Should there be any update on the situation, the University will further announce the update via https://covid-19.kmutt.ac.th/

