



**Announcement of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi  
Measure and Surveillance of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Outbreak  
No. 41  
On-Site Work and Instruction**

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Considering that the outbreak of COVID-19 is in decline and that the National Communicable Disease Committee is considering downscaling the classification of COVID-19 to an endemic;

In order to ensure that the work of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi ("KMUTT") is carried out in an orderly and efficient manner, and so as to prevent the outbreak of COVID-19 among the faculty, students, and staff of KMUTT, by virtue of Section 24 and Section 27 of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi Act B.E. 2541, KMUTT hereby issues this Announcement such that the faculty, students, staff, and visitors of KMUTT, including the various work units within KMUTT, acknowledge and adhere to the safety measures for on-site work performance and carrying out of instruction as follows:

**1. Surveillance guidelines for on-site work and instruction**

Use the principle of "reduce risks, increase immunity" with **3T1V**

**T: Thai Stop Covid Plus (TSC+)** – KMUTT work units shall conduct a self-assessment in order to complete preparations before KMUTT premises are open for work and instruction in the relevant area on KMUTT campus which that unit is in charge of overseeing;

**T: Thai Save Thai (TST)** – students, professors and staff shall conduct a self-assessment as appropriate;

**T: Test** – there shall be appropriate screening and monitoring measures in place, such as ATK testing, upon the discovery of a risk or development of symptoms;

**V: Vaccine** – students, professors and staff should at least receive two dosages, as the case may be, or as required for that particular activity.

**2. Safety guidelines for preventing COVID-19 within KMUTT campus** – the **DMHT-RC** measures shall be strictly complied with in the interests of preventing COVID-19 infections:

**2.1 Distancing** – keeping at least a 1-2 m distance between others;

**2.2 Mask wearing** – wearing a mask at all times when on-campus;

**2.3 Hand washing** – washing hands with soap or alcohol gel frequently;

**2.4 Testing** – High-risk groups or individuals with symptoms should be tested;

**2.5 Reducing** – reducing the crowdedness of the workspace, avoiding high-risk areas or those with many people;

**2.6 Cleaning** – clean all surfaces where people all touch, such as door levers, door knobs, staircase railings, elevator buttons;



### **3. Guidelines in the case of a risk of infection or individuals who tested positive for COVID-19**

#### **3.1 Low-risk students, faculty, and staff**

Areas will be prepared for conducting on-site work or instruction as per the ordinary course of business. The Universal Prevention measures must be followed and self-assessments must be conducted as per the Thai Save Thai (TST) principle, whereby individuals must keep at least a 1m distance from others.

#### **3.2 Students, faculty, and staff who are close contacts**

3.2.1 Areas will be prepared for conducting on-site work or instruction as appropriate, whereby high-risk individuals must perform work or carry out activities in the quarantine zone for a period of five days, and monitor symptoms for another five days.

3.2.2 Close contacts must undergo screening procedures. Testing must be administered immediately upon there being symptoms. For individuals with no symptoms, they must be re-tested on the third, fifth, and seventh day after contact, and for the last time on the tenth day after close contact. For individuals who have received full recommended doses of the vaccine, the said group of individuals will likely show symptoms but their test results may be negative. In such case, the same testing procedures and timeframe must also be followed.

3.2.3 Close contacts should isolate themselves from others during classes or activities by keeping at least a 2m distance from other individuals and strictly following the COVID-19 prevention measures.

#### **3.3 Students, faculty, and staff who tested positive for COVID-19**

Those who tested positive must report their test results on Wereport in order to allow for monitoring of treatment at [bit.ly/Wereport](https://bit.ly/Wereport) and must also follow the steps below:

3.3.1 Quarantine themselves, refrain from leaving their home, notify close contacts, and wear a mask at all times;

3.3.2 Receive treatment at a hospital or proceed with home isolation as per the physician's recommendations while strictly following the guidelines of the Ministry of Public Health;

3.3.3 Contact the National Health Security Office (NHSO) hotline by dialing 1330, via their LINE account at @nhso, the KMUTT Health Care Unit or local public healthcare center for guidance on treatment;

3.3.4 Foreign students and staff must contact the KMUTT Health Care Unit for guidance on treatment.

#### **3.4 Preparing exam locations for close contacts and individuals who tested positive for COVID-19**

3.4.1 Coordinate with the public healthcare center or responsible agency to conduct screening and to provide public health recommendations to maximize safety;

3.4.2 Procure that areas are set up for exam takers who are close contacts separate from areas set up for exam takers who tested positive for COVID-19. These areas must be well-ventilated and desks shall be placed at least 2 meters apart;

3.4.3 For low- to no-risk individuals, exams shall be held by following the existing measures, whereby exam takers must wear masks and wash their hands. Exam desks shall be placed at least 1 meter apart;

3.4.4 Individuals who have tested positive for COVID-19 but have little to no symptoms, and close contacts must wear a mask at all times, wash their hands before and after the exam, refrain from talking, and keep a distance of at least 2 meters.

In the case of any difference between the provisions of this Announcement and any other preceding announcement, the provisions hereunder shall prevail. Any problem or difficulty in complying with this Announcement shall be notified to the Senior Vice President for Administrative Affairs as Director of the COVID-19 Emergency Operation and Assistance Center, who shall have the authority to decide on and execute instructions on the matter as they deem appropriate and reporting to the President accordingly.

Effective from June 15, 2022 until further notice.

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COVID-19 Incident Reporting form