# **CAMPUS REOPENING GUIDELINES** – For Concordia University, St. Paul –

# CLASSROOMS

- We will follow Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) guidelines for reducing COVID-19 at higher education institutions.
- Faculty, students and staff must wear face coverings in classrooms, labs, hallways, restrooms and indoor public spaces.
- Instructors, positioned six feet or more from students, may teach without a cloth face covering and/or use a face shield.
- To the extent possible seating will be at least 6 feet apart. Where this is not feasible, the university's requirement of assigned seating and mandated face coverings will assist with risk mitigation.
- Instructors will require that students have consistent, assigned seats and lab partners as well as limited rotation in labs (this aids in contact tracing).
- Faculty, students and staff are responsible for providing their own face coverings and hand sanitizer. CSP has numerous hand sanitizer stations located around campus.
- Instructors, using classroom disinfectant supplies, will spray disinfectant on classroom surfaces when their class leaves and before the next class enters. When students from the next class enter, they will use a paper towel to clean off their tabletop. See CSP's Classroom Cleaning Guidelines for additional information.
- Ill faculty, students, and staff should stay home.
- Students should contact instructors to notify them of class absence(s) and/or concerns about meeting course deadlines.
- Students are encouraged to have multiple masks with them to change throughout the day. Limited numbers of disposable masks will be available from college offices and from the security office. Students may not remain in class without a mask.

- Instructors may initially modify the delivery of in-person course to incorporate hybrid and online learning activities.
- Instructors are prepared, if required by governmental or university requirements, to teach their courses online.

#### LABS

- CSP follows CDC MDH guidelines noted in the classroom section. Labs may have additional Personal Protective Equipment requirements.
- In addition to face coverings, departments will determine PPE lab needs as well as lab cleaning and disinfecting procedures.

#### PERFORMING ARTS

- In addition to CDC and MDH guidelines, instructors will follow guidance from professional organizations and their program's accreditation requirements.
- Instructors will scale rehearsals and performances to conform to guidelines.
- COVID-19 mitigation protocols and safety education will be part of all performing arts student experiences.

## FACULTY AND FACULTY OFFICES

- Faculty will share with students a schedule of times when they are available to meet. Faculty may conduct these office hours virtually or in-person. Unless otherwise directed, students and faculty are to wear face coverings during in-person office meetings.
- Faculty may not move courses online without permission from their department chair and dean.

## INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

• The university will announce the reopening of university-related international travel.

