

Infection Control Measures in Hostels under Pandemic

According to the latest pandemic situation and the regulation Cap.599 implemented by the Hong Kong Government, the following measures are required in the Postgraduate Halls in order to combat the spread of COVID-19 until further notice. The PGH General Office will update the arrangement from time to time according to the latest situation.

1. Residents returned from outside Hong Kong are required to conduct body temperature measurement for 14 days consecutively and recorded in a form provided by PGH. They should pay attention and inform the office if there are symptoms of fever ($>37.5C$), cough, sore throat or other respiratory symptoms.
2. Residents **MUST** wear masks in public areas except while eating.
3. Visitors (including residents who are not residential students of that particular hostel) will not be allowed. Visiting within the same hostel is not encouraged.
4. Group gathering of more than **2 persons** at public areas is **NOT** allowed.
5. Residents should keep a minimum distance at least 6 feet from each other.
6. Residents should avoid dining or using pantry with others at the same time.
7. Dining in own room is highly recommended.
8. Non-residents who wish to apply “Overnight Visitor Ticket” will not be entertained.
9. **IMPORTANT:** All student **MUST** only use the bathroom and kitchen of their own floor. This is extremely important for identifying close contacts should a confirmed case be detected.

Other than the measures above, the most important things we should do to avoid infection is to practice strict personal hygiene. Therefore, please be reminded to wash hand more often, always wear a mask when going out of your room, avoid touching one’s face/nose/mouth, etc. It is because the virus is transmitted by droplets stick on surfaces.

You may wish to visit the [website of the government](#) for more information and tips on precautions regarding the coronavirus.

In case of any respiratory symptoms developed, student must seek medical advice from [University Clinic \(UHS\)](#) promptly and wear a surgical mask. Please also inform the office at once when feeling sick or having a fever. Seek help from Security Office at 3943 7999 if counter staff is away in case of emergency.

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The above measures may cause inconvenience to residents but they are necessary to reduce the risk of infection at the critical moment. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



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