

Dear students and colleagues,

Update on confirmed COVID-19 student infection case

Further to my email earlier today, here are further updates on the health protection measures following a student's COVID-19 infection.

Based on the advice by the Centre for Health Protection (CHP), the following actions have been taken:

- Thorough disinfection for all the classrooms and venues visited by the infected student has been completed. They are: LT1 and LT2 at Cha Chi-ming Science Tower, AAB614, AAB705 and the Learning Commons at Academic and Administration Building, DLB721 at David C Lam Building, and Main Hall at Wai Hang Sports Centre.
- An email was sent to those students and colleagues who attended classes together, or were in the same venue with the infected student from 28 to 30 September, informing them that they are required to conduct COVID-19 tests arranged by CHP, with details of the tests provided.
- For students or colleagues who are required to conduct COVID-19 tests, according to our existing campus health control policy, they should not return to campus until they obtain negative test results. For those who are hall residents, they may choose to return home or stay at isolated rooms arranged by the halls for quarantine until they are tested negative.

According to CHP's advice, the classrooms and venues concerned can be opened again for normal operation once disinfection is completed. As precautionary measures, those classrooms and venues will reopen on 12 October, and classes scheduled for the affected classrooms and some other classes will be conducted online. Students will be notified by their teachers individually for related arrangements. Except for those classrooms and venues mentioned above, the University campus remains open.

If you have not received our email asking you to conduct COVID-19 test, but yet you have special concern about your own health risk associated with the case, please contact us at 3411 7997.

The University will continue to monitor the situation, and take necessary actions if required. In the meantime, you are again reminded to strictly observe all the recommended health protection measures on campus, including keeping appropriate social distance and wearing face mask at all times on campus. You **MUST NOT** come to the campus if you have any respiratory symptoms or are in close contact with a

confirmed case. If you develop a fever or other flu-like symptoms, please seek medical treatment immediately.

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