

Announcement of Mahidol University

On

The Opening of Mahidol University Premise in Salaya Campus under the Announcement on the Measures to Prevent and Control the Outbreak of the Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) in Nakhon Pathom Province

References are made to the release of the Thai government's State of Emergency Announcement and the provisions under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situation B. E. 2548 (No. 46) dated the 23rd June 2022 and the Announcement on the Relaxation of the Integrative Measures to Prevent and Control the Outbreak of the Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) of Nakhon Pathom Province (No. 8/2565) dated the 24th June 2022. Mahidol University would like all faculties/institutes/colleges to observe the following measures.

> 1) All faculties/colleges/institutes and Mahidol University International Demonstration School (MUIDS) are permitted to use the university premises in Salaya Campus to organize activities, including teaching and learning, examinations, research, trainings, conferences, other on-site activities with a large gathering. If participants <u>exceeding 2,000 people</u>, all faculties/ colleges/ institutes are advised to submit a written request to the Putthamonthon's Disease Control Committee for approval at the provincial level. The written request must be submitted <u>10 days prior to the start of the event</u>. All faculties/ colleges/institutes are to observe preventive and control measures issued by the Ministry of Higher Education, Science, Research and Innovation (MHESI) and the Ministry of Public Health, such as social distancing, preparing spaces for a proper ventilation, setting up ATK screening protocols for high-risk groups and so on in order to prevent future cluster outbreaks.

> 2) All faculties/colleges/institutes and units/divisions in the Office of the President are permitted to <u>resume usual on-site duties and recall staff to work full-time in the office</u> <u>setting</u>, provided that the measures mentioned above are properly observed.

3) To reduce the risk of the COVID-19 transmission and exposure, all students, staff members and visitors are requested to wear face masks in an enclosed space with a large crowd, whenever a social distancing cannot be properly managed or wherever a proper ventilation is limited. For those infected with the COVID-19 or classified as a high risk group, it is a mandatory to wear face masks properly at all times whenever in the crowd to reduce the risk of transmission.

Please be advised accordingly. This announcement enters into effect from the 25th June 2022 onwards.

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