

# MEMORANDUM

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**TO:** FNUUniv University Community  
**CC:** Jason Wong, VP Finance & Administration

**FROM:** FNUUniv Crisis Response Team  
**DATE:** Tuesday, November 29, 2022

**RE: COVID-19, Influenza and Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Safety Precautions**

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The First Nations University of Canada has communicated that the health and safety of our students, Elders, faculty, and staff is our priority.

With variants of COVID-19, Influenza, and the Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) currently at a high prevalence in Saskatchewan, we need to remain cautious, and we encourage everyone to take the necessary safety precautions while on campus.

- Individuals who are sick, not feeling well or who experience respiratory or COVID-related symptoms should not come to campus.
  - Please do not bring others onto campus, such as friends or family members, who are currently sick or experiencing respiratory or COVID-related symptoms.
  - Please stay home, self-manage, and advise the FNUUniv Crisis Response Team immediately.
- We continue to encourage and welcome masking on any of the three campus locations. **Masks and hand sanitizer are available upon entering campus, in addition to every classroom, lab and library.**
- We encourage regular self-testing: rapid antigen test kits are available for all campus community members.
- Regular testing is recommended when we are asymptomatic to ensure the safety of ourselves and those around us daily.

Please visit the Saskatchewan COVID-19 website for requirements on self-testing, self-management, and rapid test locations at [www.saskatchewan.ca/COVID-19](http://www.saskatchewan.ca/COVID-19).

The Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) is similar to a bad cold and is very common and very contagious. Read more about the causes, symptoms, and treatment on the website <https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca/your-health/conditions-diseases-services/healthline-online/hw176517>

If you have questions or concerns, don't hesitate to get in touch with the Crisis Response Team Lead at [COVID19@firstnationsuniversity.ca](mailto:COVID19@firstnationsuniversity.ca)

Sincerely,

FNUniv Crisis Response Team