

Advisory for Students on the Updates of Safe Management Measures (SMMs) with Effect from 26 April 2022

Dear Students,

Please refer to the following summary of Safe Management Measures (SMMs) updates with effect from 26 April 2022:

(A) Entry requirement into SUSS

- Vaccination-Differentiated Safe Management Measures (VDS), entry checks for vaccination status and TraceTogether (TT)/SafeEntry(SE) are no longer in force for entry into campus
- **All students are allowed to return to campus to attend classes, regardless of vaccination status**
- Please show full-time concession card/part-time student card/course timetable at campus entrance points for access

(B) General Safe Management Measures (SMMs) on Campus

- **Continue to wear your mask in indoor settings on campus. It is optional for outdoor settings**
- VDS is still required for on-campus events with more than 500 participants at any one time, including Food & Beverage (F&B) establishments on campus
- **All unvaccinated and partially vaccinated students, including those who are medically ineligible must perform a self-administered Antigen-Rapid Test (ART) once every 7 days and submit their results [here](#) to take part in activities* with VDS on campus.** Test results will be valid for 7 days from the date of test. However, those who have recovered from COVID-19 in the last 180 days will be exempted from the weekly ART

***Activities with VDS include events with more than 500 persons, as well as dining in at F&B establishments.**

(C) Facilities – F&B outlets

- **No limit to the number of individuals and group size** for dine-in at F&B establishments.
- Only **fully vaccinated individuals** are allowed to dine in together
- **Unvaccinated and partially vaccinated individuals** who do not meet VDS requirements will only be allowed to take away food
- VDS will not be in force, but dining-in individuals are responsible for abiding to the rules
- Random spot-checks will be conducted to ensure only fully vaccinated and unvaccinated/partially vaccinated students with valid negative ART results are allowed to dine in

(D) Teaching and Learning:

- **All mask-on or mask-off classes** can be conducted without zoning or VDS requirements
- No capacity limit for classes, 100% of the venue capacity may be utilised
- Students on internships should continue to follow prevailing SMMs and vaccination requirements in their workplaces
- Safe distancing is encouraged, but not required between individuals and groups

(E) Safe Management Measures for Student Activities:

On-campus events

With less than 500 individuals:

- Can resume fully without any VDS or zoning requirements

With more than 500 individuals:

- **Safe distancing is encouraged, but not required between individuals and groups**
- Can resume without zoning requirements with the following conditions:

- VDS **not applicable** for activities/events involving only attendees from within SUSS (i.e. staff and enrolled students)
- VDS **applies** for activities/events involving external attendees (e.g. parents for convocations, non-enrolled students from other institutions, prospective students for open house)

Sports activities

- Continue to adhere to the other SMMs in [SportSG's prevailing advisory](#)
- Teams can resume all team sports activities
- No capacity limit and restrictions on group size
- Safe distancing and VDS not required

Voice training, speech and drama, singing and playing of wind and brass instruments

- No restrictions on group sizes and participants, activities should continue to adhere to [NAC's prevailing advisory](#)

Live performances

- VDS required for performances with more than 500 participants
- No capacity limit and safe distancing for live performances with masked audiences. Please refer [here](#) for more information
- No capacity limit on the number of individuals allowed to unmask for live performances

(F) Taking Vaccination and Booster Shots

In view of subsequent changes to VDS requirements for students returning to campus, and to better protect against infection and severe illness, we strongly encourage all medically eligible students to be vaccinated and take the booster shots as soon as possible.

*Students who are medically ineligible to take the vaccination/booster shots are strongly encouraged to obtain a doctor's memo should there be any further changes to the VDS requirements.

(G) Students who are COVID-19 positive

Students who are COVID-19 positive can only return to campus after officially completing the isolation period required by MOH.

If you have recently recovered from COVID-19, you are **required to perform a self-administered ART less than 24hrs before the start of a physical lesson, and show your lecturer your negative result** upon return to campus.

(H) Antigen Rapid Test (ART) Self-Test Kit Vending Machines on Campus

There are currently two Antigen Rapid Test (ART) Self-Test Kit vending machines on campus located at:

1. Blk A, Level 1 (Outside SIM Student Gym)
2. Blk B, Level 1 (Between Student Study Area and SIM – UOL Regional Centre)

Please click [here](#) for a detailed map of the 2 machines.

Test kits are available at \$8 each and payment is accepted via SGQR.

Please click [here](#) for a detailed guide on how to use SGQR to make payment.

Please check your email and the student portal regularly for more updates on COVID-19, or refer to our [website](#) for more information. Do keep well and stay safe!

Best regards,
Student Support Department