

COVID-19 CONDUCT EXPECTATIONS, STUDENTS

Conduct Statement

The University of Colorado Anschutz Medical campus is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy environment for its students, faculty, and staff. Accordingly, campus community members are expected to follow all public health orders and comply with campus requirements implemented for the purpose of reducing the spread of COVID-19. Current campus requirements include mask wearing, physical distancing, daily health checks when on-campus, self-reporting, participation in contact tracing, and complying with quarantine directives. Failure to comply with University COVID-19 requirements may lead to discipline including separation from the University.

Prohibited Student Behavior

Prohibited behavior includes, but is not limited to:

- Failure to follow mask wearing protocol on campus as defined on the [University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus COVID-19 page](#)
- Failure to follow physical distancing protocol on campus the [University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus COVID-19 page](#)
- Failure to comply with a University official providing instruction for COVID-19 requirements
- Sharing a badge or credentials to access campus or unauthorized space on campus with another student or a community member
- Using another person's badge or credentials to access campus or unauthorized space on campus
- Failure to report an on-campus student COVID-19 protocol violation
- Failure to follow local and state public health orders
- Failure to participate in the University contact tracing process
- Providing false information on the campus attestation form or during the contact tracing process
- Participating in campus activities while knowingly infected or while waiting for COVID-19 test results
- Failure to follow appropriate vaccine protocols, including but not limited to providing your vaccine to someone else, falsifying information to receive a vaccine, etc.

This list is not inclusive. Students are responsible for understanding all University COVID-19 requirements and public health orders. Students will be held responsible for behavior in violation of those requirement both on and off campus. Students should refer to the [University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus COVID-19 page](#) for all up to date requirements.

Reporting

Any individual with knowledge that a student may have engaged in Prohibited Student Behavior should submit a report to the Campus Student Services Office using the online reporting form.

Prohibited Student Behavior Review Committee (BRC) and Process

The BRC will be comprised of a designate of the Associate Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs, a dean of the student's school or college, and a second school administrator. The BRC will consider repeated, serious, or flagrant engagement in Prohibited Student Behaviors that are brought to its attention for any instance of noncompliance that poses a serious risk to the health and safety of the student or other community members.

The designate of the Associate Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs will email the student and the BRC a written description of the alleged Prohibited Student Behavior(s). The student will have 1 working day to provide the BRC with any relevant information. The BRC will review the matter and decide whether the student's conduct poses a risk to the health and safety of the student or other community members. During the period of review, the BRC may require a student to quarantine.

The BRC may issue the student an administrative warning; require additional counseling on the importance of the commitments to the health and safety of the student or other community members; deny the student participation in on-campus and in-person activities including classroom instruction and extracurricular activities; and rescind the student's permission to be on campus. All student decisions will copy the student's school or college, and the school or college may take additional action.

A student may appeal the BRC decision within 5 working days of the decision with the appropriate appellate officer. The appellate officer will have 3 days to respond. The decision of the appellate officer is final.

COVID-19 AMNESTY PROCEDURE

Amnesty for COVID-19 related incidents may be extended to students, staff, and faculty under the following circumstances:

- Self-reporting symptoms or the symptoms of others
- Participating in good faith and providing accurate and reliable information during the contact tracing process¹
- Following self-isolation or quarantine directives

Amnesty will **not** be provided to students, staff, and faculty, in the following circumstances:

- Failing to participate in the university contact tracing process
- Providing false information on the campus attestation form or during the contract tracing process
- Participating in campus activities while knowingly infected or while waiting for COVID-19 test results
- Previously received amnesty for a COVID-19 violation

Amnesty in the COVID-19 student conduct process will not provide amnesty from other conduct, professionalism, student promotions, or employment processes.

The University will offer support and resources to those individuals who self-report and are required to self-isolate or quarantine. A list of campus resources may be found on the CU Anschutz [COVID-19 webpage](#).

¹ Information shared during the contact tracing process will be kept private and shared only on a need to know basis with limited individuals.