



香港城市大學
City University of Hong Kong

University Announcement

Confirmed Covid-19 case Notification from the Emergency Response Unit (ERU) (93)

The University was informed today (15 July) that a laboratory staff member was confirmed to have been infected with Covid-19. The individual is currently at home and is waiting to be taken to hospital for treatment. After learning that the staff member had visited one of the identified clusters of Covid-19 cases, the staff member immediately notified the relevant department though this individual did not have any symptom. Immediate arrangements were made for the staff member to work from home while waiting for the coronavirus test result. Affected staff and students have been contacted and instructed to work or study from home.

Today, the staff member was confirmed to have been infected. The staff member last worked on the CityU campus in the morning of 8 July. The University has comprehensively disinfected and cleaned the relevant areas of the campus, following the guidelines of the Center for Health Protection.

In view of the latest pandemic developments, back on 12 July, the University announced that department heads are given flexibility for their staff to work from home during the week of 13 July, while at the same time making the necessary arrangement according to the notice titled “Contingency Plan for Outbreak of Coronavirus” (English only), issued by the Facilities Management Office on 10 February.

Despite the volatility of the pandemic situation, we should face it calmly. The University will continue to pay close attention to the pandemic developments, take all necessary steps and handle the situation carefully.

For the benefit of both you and those around you, we once again strongly advise staff and students to maintain good personal hygiene and social distancing, no matter whether you are working from home or on campus.

In case of emergency, staff and students may call our 24-hour emergency hotline: 3442 8888.

Emergency Response Unit
15 July 2020