March 10, 2020 at 3:45 p.m.

Dear Rutgers School of Public Health,

With the approval of Chancellor Brian L. Strom, beginning Thursday morning, March 12, 2020, through Friday, April 3, 2020, all Rutgers School of Public Health course instruction will be delivered remotely at their regularly scheduled time. All face-to-face instruction is suspended - this includes any class meetings. In-person classes will be held as regularly scheduled tomorrow, Wednesday, March 11, 2020. There will be no classes during the week of spring break (March 16-20).

Other than remote course delivery, the Rutgers School of Public Health is operating as usual, with faculty and staff on-site.

Students in APE or Capstone should reach out to Sarah Kelly (kellysw@sph.rutgers.edu), Practice Coordinator, and Laura Laing (hemminlb@sph.rutgers.edu), Associate Dean for Academic Affairs.

The Rutgers School of Public Health’s locations will remain open and can be accessed as usual by students. Other University offices, labs, and services will also continue to remain open during this time period as well.

All School-sponsored, in-person events, are also canceled/will be moved to WebEx through April 15. For those planning events after April 15, please consider alternative plans in case future events will need to be cancelled or postponed. If you have questions about events please contact Michelle Edelstein (mse46@sph.rutgers.edu), Manager of Marketing and Communications.

The Rutgers University COVID-19 Task Force continues to monitor this situation and is updating guidance daily. Further details will be coming from each chancellor. Expansive guidance for the University community can be found at coronavirus.rutgers.edu. I ask that every make it point to regularly visit the website to stay current on Rutgers-related advisories.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the Office of the Dean at the deansoffice@sph.rutgers.edu.

Sincerely,

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