



Update on COVID-19 Preparedness at EMU at Lancaster

On Wed, Mar 11, 2020 at 12:55 PM Mary Jensen <mary.jensen@emu.edu> wrote:

Dear EMU at Lancaster campus community,

As the COVID-19 (coronavirus) situation continues to evolve we know there are likely many questions. EMU is taking all necessary steps to protect the health and well-being of our students, faculty, and staff.

Currently there are 13 presumptive positive cases and only 2 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Pennsylvania. There are no reported cases in the EMU@Lancaster community or in Lancaster County. At this time, while we are monitoring the situation and taking prudent steps to minimize risk. We are open for business as usual, continuing to hold classes and operating according to our normal schedules and policies.

Custodial Services at the Lancaster site have increased attention to disinfecting public areas and especially commonly touched surfaces **after every class**. We are closely monitoring updates and recommendations from the [Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#) and the [Pennsylvania Department of Health](#).

You can visit www.emu.edu/coronavirus as a hub for updates, information, resources and answers to frequently asked questions. We'll also be providing more information via email as the situation changes. With leadership from our Crisis Management Preparedness Team (cmptinfo@emu.edu), EMU is committed to take all appropriate actions to support and protect our community.

Sincerely,

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