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## Process and Guidelines for Preventing and Managing Infections and Transmission of COVID-19

Please note that this is an evolving situation. This process and the guidelines are subject to updating as new information and protocols are received.

The purpose of these guidelines are to:

- Provide directions to Michener for preventing and managing infections amongst Michener student, faculty, staff and patients;
- Prevent the transmission of COVID-19 at Michener

Please refer to policies and processes listed at the following links that continue to be updated regularly.

- [Michener Campus Safety Measures](#)
- [UHN Occupational Health \(OH\) Toolkit for COVID-19](#)

### MICHENER FACULTY AND STAFF

Michener faculty and staff follow the UHN staff guidelines, and can use the UHN COVID Hotline available on the intranet or call 416.340.3556 as per the UHN Occupational Health toolkit for COVID19 listed above.

To contact HS COVID-19 Team, [Click here](#)

For information about COVID-19, [visit UHN Occupational Health and Safety intranet page.](#)

### STUDENTS ON-SITE or SCHEDULED FOR ON-SITE activity at St. Patrick St. Campus

Michener students should direct any questions or concerns immediately to both their Academic Chair and [Healthservices@michener.ca](mailto:Healthservices@michener.ca)

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The Academic Chair and Health Services will collaborate to complete the following steps regarding the Student Person Under Investigation (PUI) and or positive exposure

- Inform the student they must contact
  - Toronto Public Health (TPH) who in turn will contact the Chair/ RO for further dissemination of student information if required
- Contact Facilities [facilities@michener.ca](mailto:facilities@michener.ca) to identify
  - Tap-in/tap-out access on site
  - Cleaning needs/barriers etc
- Inform the Head of Academic Affairs and Operations Fiona Cherryman [fcherryman@michener.ca](mailto:fcherryman@michener.ca) to
  - Determine staff/faculty exposures in consultation with Occupational Health
  - Manager Tamara Dus [tamara.dus@UHN](mailto:tamara.dus@UHN)
- Contact Director, Student Success Network and Clinical Education, Ray Nielsen at [rnielsen@michener.ca](mailto:rnielsen@michener.ca) copying Dean of Student Affairs, Melanie Spence-Ariemma at [m-spenceariemma@michener.ca](mailto:m-spenceariemma@michener.ca)
  - Check on impact to student residence/student wellness
  - Inform Registrar for liaison with Toronto Public Health (TPH) for secure student contacts for tracing requests if required

## STUDENTS OFF-SITE WHILE ON CLINICAL PLACEMENT

Michener students out on clinical placement should direct any questions or concerns immediately to the Occupational Health Department at the site where they are located if they are under investigation and/or have positive exposure to COVID 19 following the specific protocol at that site. The student should also contact their program Academic Chair and [Healthservices@michener.ca](mailto:Healthservices@michener.ca) to confirm this process has been followed.

If the clinical site does not have its own Occupational Health department, the student should follow the protocol identified for students at the St. Patrick Campus. In addition to contacting Toronto Public Health, the Academic Chair and [Healthservices@michener.ca](mailto:Healthservices@michener.ca), the student shall indicate to the program Academic Chair whether the clinical site needs to be informed.

## USEFUL CONTACTS

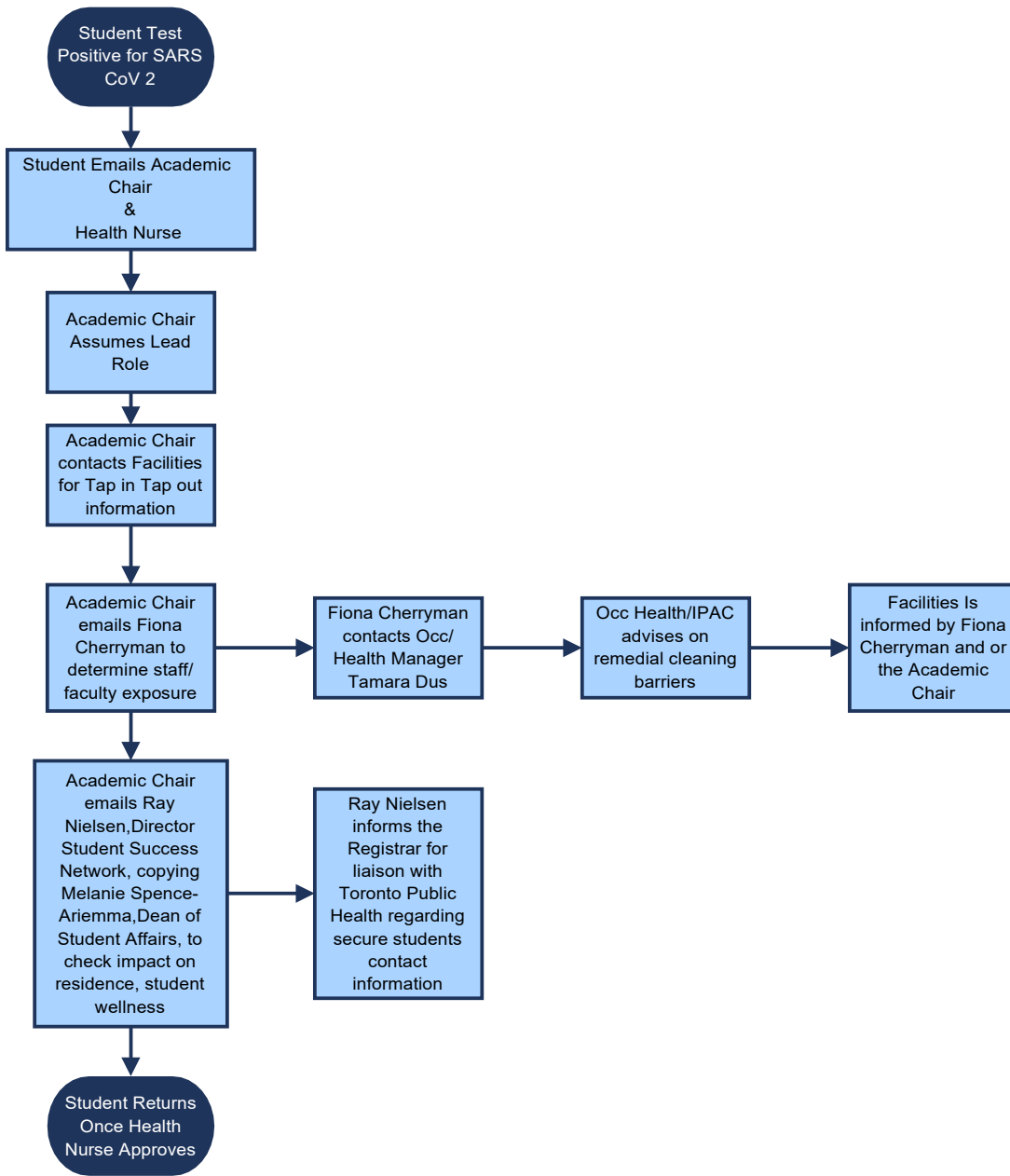
### Telehealth Ontario

Call if you develop symptoms.  
Telephone: 1-866-797-0000

### Toronto Public Health Hotline

Call if you have questions about COVID-19. Translation is available in multiple languages.  
Telephone: 416-338-7600  
TTY: 416-392-0658  
Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
Email: [PublicHealth@toronto.ca](mailto:PublicHealth@toronto.ca)

Call if you're having difficulty breathing or experiencing other severe symptoms.  
Telephone: 911



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