Message from Caroline Pukall, COVID Space Committee Chair:

Signage announcement

A reminder that the university remains closed, which means that all buildings are also closed. The only exceptions are:

1. If you are conducting approved Priority 1 or 2 research; and

2. If you are entering the building for less than 15 minutes to pick up items needed to work from home.

If you plan to enter the building for more than 15 minutes, please email Wendy (before July 1) or Cynthia (as of July 1), Theresa, and myself (Caroline) so that we are aware and can ensure that there will be no overlap in terms of people in the same location.

Please note that the process of putting up the signage in the Craine and Humphrey buildings has been completed. There are signs regarding appropriate entrances and exits as well as symptom screening reminders, directional arrows on the floors, and signs on outer and inner doors of offices and labs regarding maximum occupancy. A huge thank you to Eric for all of the signage work!

Please note that most rooms have a maximum occupancy of 1 to respect physical distancing guidelines.

We have completed a walk-through following the directional arrows, and although they may lead to interesting paths to get to where you need to go (you may need to go outside and then come back in), they are in compliance with the public health guidelines regarding physical distancing (note that some of our hallways are just too narrow to allow bidirectional traffic, and others lead to dead ends, so we have signs up saying to please limit hallway occupancy to one person at a time in these areas).

In cases of emergency (fire alarm, etc.), however, please proceed to the nearest exit without following the COVID related signage. And of course, use your best judgment when navigating through the buildings.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns, thanks!

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COVID Space Committee Chair