Student Expectations and Standards: Our COVID-19 Approach



Cura Commitment

Minimizing the risk of COVID-19 infection is a shared responsibility. Behavior incongruent with expectations outlined in the Student Code of Conduct, including COVID-19 guidelines, will not be tolerated. Demonstrate your commitment and stay informed by reviewing these resources:

Read Information about Gonzaga's COVID-19 Response

University COVID-19 guidelines are subject to change. Frequently review these resources:

- Student Arrival and Return to Campus Guides
- Student Risk Acknowledgement
- Gonzaga's ZagOn website

Understand Student Code of Conduct COVID-19 Expectations

Review the Student Code of Conduct to ensure understanding of COVID-19 Expectations.

- Read the Student Code of Conduct
 - Read the University Disease Prevention Policy statement in the <u>General Standards of Conduct</u>: Failure to comply with university disease prevention policies, including but not limited to: physical distancing requirements; use of masks, or cloth face coverings and/or other personal protective equipment when required; and/or, not following isolation, quarantine, or other University or public health authority issued directives; hosting unauthorized visitors/guests on university owned, leased, or managed property; hosting or attending social gatherings on or off campus exceeding participant limits established by state and local government and public health authorities.
- Review <u>Housing and Residence Life COVID-19 Mitigation Policies</u> regarding Guests and Visitors, Face Coverings, and Signs in University owned, leased, or managed properties.
- Review state and local guidelines. Guidelines are subject to change and students are responsible for abiding by state and local guidelines.
 - Washington State Coronavirus Response
 - o Governor's COVID-19 Resources
 - Spokane Regional Health District

Review Conduct Outcomes for Violations of COVID-19 Expectations

The University will have limited tolerance for actions that do not demonstrate commitment to interpersonal care, personal accountability, and community values during the COVID-19 pandemic. Violations of the Student Code of Conduct will be taken seriously. Incidents involving public health-related concerns will also result in more significant conduct outcomes than standard responses.

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- Examples of behaviors incongruent with COVID-19 expectations, as well as University responses for first-time violations: Resolution Center's COVID-19 Expectations and Conduct Outcomes
- Information about how the Resolution Center resolves alleged violations of University policy: Administration of the Student Code of Conduct

Review Information about Parties and Gatherings

Parties and gatherings during the COVID-19 pandemic pose significant risk to the health of individual students, the health of Spokane community members, and Gonzaga's ability to continue providing access to educational resources. When gathering with others in a social setting, understand expectations by reviewing the following resources:

- Watch President McCulloh's video about <u>Parties and Gatherings.</u>
- <u>State of Washington Higher Education Guidelines</u> highlight specific requirements for colleges and universities.
- Housing and Residence Life COVID-19 Mitigation Policies outline guest and visitor expectations in University owned, leased, or managed properties.
- Washington State Coronavirus Response explains current State of Washington indoor and outdoor gathering guidelines. Students residing in off-campus residences are responsible for following these guidelines.

Large parties and gatherings, or gatherings in which additional policy violations occur, will not be tolerated. Generally, individuals who host parties and gatherings will be held to a higher level of accountability and should expect significant outcomes.

How to Respond to Non-Compliance Concerns

All community members should assume best intentions and engage and address issues with care and concern. Additional resources available include:

- Meet with a conflict coach for tools to help manage difficult conversations. Contact the <u>Resolution</u> Center for more information.
- For incidents occurring in real-time:
 - On-Campus: Contact Campus Security and Public Safety at (509) 313-2222.
 - Off-Campus: Contact SPD Crime Check at (509) 456-2233. Follow up with Campus Security and Public Safety at (509) 313-2222.
- Formally report non-compliance

Ask Questions and Access Resources

- Call the COVID-19 Hotline at (509) 313-7070
- Gonzaga University <u>COVID-19 website</u>
- Call the Resolution Center at (509) 313-4009