

MEMORANDUM DCD #2, 2022-23

To: Chairs, University of Toronto Scarborough
Cc: Chairs Assistants
Joint Chairs & Academic Directors Membership
Undergraduate Coordinators & Departmental Assistants

From: Professor Katherine R. Larson, Vice-Dean Teaching, Learning & Undergraduate Programs
Professor David Zweig, Interim Vice-Dean Recruitment, Enrolment & Student Success

Date: 14 September 2022
Re: **COVID Update**
Note: For distribution broadly

Dear Chairs,

It has been emotional and energizing to see students and colleagues returning to campus this week.

Even as we return to nearly 100% in-person instruction this term, we are continuing to respond to a shifting pandemic landscape. With this in mind, we are writing to share updated information and resources from the Provost's Office related to ongoing management of pandemic questions. Please ensure these are made available to faculty, staff, course instructors, and TAs in your units:

- [“Just in time” slides](#) to help orient students to health and safety measures at the University - that can be used in classrooms during the first few weeks of classes.
- University of Toronto's [Tri-Campus Ventilation Strategy summary slides](#)
- [University's Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning \(HVAC\) Strategy](#)
- [Environmental Health & Safety Guidelines for Individuals Who Are Symptomatic or Test Positive for COVID-19](#)

A reminder that masking continues to be strongly encouraged in indoor spaces at U of T Scarborough where physical distancing cannot easily be maintained. Please respect individual decisions, comfort levels, and health needs as we collectively care for each other. Medical masks are available at the entrance to all buildings at U of T Scarborough and in all classrooms.

We will continue to provide updates as needed in response to any changes to public health guidelines.



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Thank you for all that you are doing to support faculty, staff, and students as we return to campus. We wish you well for the coming term.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Katherine R. Larson'.

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Vice-Dean Teaching, Learning &
Undergraduate Programs

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