

What should I do if I think I might be infected?

First: If you feel sick, stay home and contact your health care provider *before* going in. Your provider may need to take extra precautions as to protect others in the facility. If you believe you have come in contact with someone else with COVID-19, notify your instructors and/or your supervisor of any time you will miss.

Second: Inform your instructors you will be absent and they will notify you on any missed coursework. If you are out on externship: inform your clinical supervisor and either your Career Services Advisor or your Clinical Director. They will work with you on how to make up missed time.

Third: Take care of yourself by drinking fluids and getting plenty of rest. Refer to the CDC website for more information <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

Should I be wearing a mask?

If you are not sick, you do not need to wear a mask. Masks help sick people minimize the spreading of the virus when they sneeze and cough.

How will I know if my campus is closed?

Pima Medical Institute (PMI) will send out an OmniAlert via email and text message if your campus is closed. Please make sure your contact information is correct in our system. Check your emails regularly to stay informed on the status of your campus. PMI does intend to continue instruction of courses using alternative methods. If you do not have access to a computer or smart phone, please notify your instructor as soon as possible.

What will happen if coursework is missed?

PMI's faculty have a plan to ensure students will be able to make up any missed coursework. If a campus closes as a precautionary measure, instruction will continue. Faculty will communicate the process and specific information to students.

What can I do if I am on clinical rotation (externship) and I am sick?

If you are sick, notify your clinical instructor and Career Services Advisor or Clinical Director as soon as possible. PMI will work with you to make up that that time.

What is PMI doing to ensure the health and safety of their students?

PMI is diligently monitoring our communities and campuses to protect our students. The staff and faculty are working to establish alternative plans in case of a campus closure. Communication between the student and PMI is critical and we ask that you pay attention to any emails or text messages received by PMI or your instructors.

***This FAQ guide is not intended to be all-encompassing and should not be considered to be providing medical or legal advice. In all instances, you should consult with a relevant expert for guidance specific to your circumstances.**