

A REMINDER TO STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES ABOUT OUT OF STATE TRAVEL

With the Fall 2020 semester underway, please remember that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts [Travel Order](#) is still in effect. If you plan to leave the state and enter a higher-risk state you must register your intent to travel with both the Commonwealth and the University (FSU needs to know so that we can properly plan accommodations for quarantining). This requirement includes going home for a weekend or holiday. It requires anyone arriving from a higher risk state to have proof of a negative COVID test taken on a date within 72 hours of arrival in Massachusetts OR undertake a 14 day quarantine.

Please click on this link for the [Commonwealth of Massachusetts Travel Form](#); here is the [Fitchburg State Student Travel Form](#). Employees and faculty please use the [Fitchburg State Employee Travel Form](#). The current map of low-risk/higher-risk travel states can be seen [here](#).

In addition to randomized COVID surveillance testing Fitchburg State offers free convenience testing to all students and employees weekly on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM in the Miller Oval. This offers an opportunity to be tested but you'll still need a quarantine period until your result is received.

As always, if students or employees exhibit symptoms of COVID-19, they should remain where they are. If you develop symptoms of a respiratory infection (such as fever, cough, shortness of breath), contact your primary care provider. DO NOT COME TO CAMPUS WITH SYMPTOMS. Please remember to check the daily [Symptom Monitoring Checklist](#).

Please click [here](#) for a full outline of the process for students; faculty and staff can see the Symptom Monitoring Checklist [here](#).