

**PROCEDURE OF THE MANAGEMENT MEASURES OF
COVID-19 DISEASE (CORONAVIRUS INFECTION) AT THE DORMITORIES OF
KAUNAS UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY**

Procedure of the Management Measures of COVID-19 Disease (Coronavirus Infection) at the Dormitories of Kaunas University of Technology (hereinafter- Procedure) stipulate the management measures of COVID-19 disease at the dormitories of University and procedure for their application. Following Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania No. 207 “On the Declaration of Quarantine in the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania” of 14 March 2020, the provisions of the Law on Prevention and Control of Communicable Diseases of the Republic of Lithuania and the Law on Civil Protection of the Republic of Lithuania, Decision No. V-1246 of the Minister of Health – the head of the state-level emergency situations – “On the Necessary Conditions for the Provision of Higher Education Studies, Professional Training and Non-Formal Adult Education” of 21 May 2020, the residents of the dormitories of Kaunas University of Technology (hereinafter – University) have to comply with the publicly available recommendations and instructions of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania (hereinafter – Government) and the University’s (dormitory) administration for the prevention and control of COVID-19 at the dormitories; in case at least one resident of the dormitory’s room notices the symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, coughing, sore throat or difficulty breathing (hereinafter referred to as symptoms)), all the residents of that room have to preserve 14 days (or another period instructed by a qualified and competent medical specialist) of mandatory self-isolation under the following procedure and conditions specified by the dormitory administration:

1. A resident, who experiences the symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, coughing, sore throat or difficulty breathing), has to do the following:

1.1. Inform the specialists about his/her health status by telephone 1808 and follow their instructions;

1.2. Contact the administrator of his/her dormitory using the contact information provided at bendrabuciai.ktu.edu;

1.3. Preserve mandatory self-isolation for 14 days or until the diagnosis is clarified in the room and under the conditions specified by the dormitory administration;

1.4. If COVID-19 diagnosis is confirmed, follow the instructions of the specialists of the National Public Health Centre, including a possible instruction to continue self-isolation in the room allocated by the dormitory administration following the requirements of paragraph 3 of this Procedure.

2. Other residents of the room in which one resident has noticed the symptoms of COVID-19 have to do the following:

2.1. Immediately notify the dormitory administration if the resident mentioned in Paragraph 1 of this Procedure failed to notify about his/her symptoms by telephone 1808 and the dormitory's administrator;

2.2. Preserve mandatory self-isolation in the room allocated (if needed) and under the conditions specified by the dormitory administration for 14 days or until the diagnosis of the resident who has noticed the symptoms is clarified or the resident, after the confirmation of the diagnosis, has been instructed by the specialists of the National Public Health Centre to self-isolate at his/her place of residence.

3. During the isolation, the resident mentioned in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of this Procedure has to do the following:

3.1. Follow the instructions of the dormitory administration, follow the relevant information;

3.2. Do not leave the assigned dormitory room within 14 days from the date specified by the dormitory administration:

3.2.1. Not to visit the dormitory's common areas (kitchens, smoking areas, reading rooms, leisure areas);

3.2.2. Not to have guests in the room and not to visit others;

3.2.3. Not to visit public places, for example, work, university, places of mass gatherings, etc.;

3.2.4. Order food online to be delivered to the room, if possible, request other persons, who are not isolated, to take care of the food, medicine and other essential needs; however, avoid direct contact with them. If the person does not have such possibilities, notify the dormitory administrator remotely (by telephone, email, etc.) using the contact information provided at bendrabuciai.ktu.edu;

3.3. If the person notices at least one of the symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, coughing, sore throat or difficulty breathing) during the isolation period, perform the actions specified in Paragraph 1 of this Procedure.

4. If the person notices the symptoms of COVID-19 but does not contact the specialists, the dormitory administration has the right to initiate the notification of the medical institutions and law enforcement authorities, providing the information about the resident available to the University that the above-mentioned institutions require for the purposes of the protection of public health and the prevention of the occurrence and spreading of COVID-19.

5. During the period of quarantine, the residents have to follow the publicly available recommendations and instructions of the Government and the University's (dormitory) administration; after the period of quarantine, the residents have to follow the instructions of the University's (dormitory) administration regarding the prevention and management of COVID-19 at the dormitory.

6. If the resident violates the mandatory conditions of self-isolation or the publicly available quarantine conditions of the Government or the University's (dormitory) administration, the University has the right to apply the disciplinary measures, terminate the accommodation agreement with the resident and has to notify the National Public Health Centre and law enforcement authorities to give rise to administrative or criminal proceedings.

7. The University has the right to refuse to accommodate the residents who gave a positive answer to at least one of the questions of their declaration filled during the accommodation.