



Prince of Songkla University Announcement

Subject: Measures for monitoring and control of a new wave of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak among staff and students at Prince of Songkla University

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In accordance with the dynamic situation, and to follow the measures specified by each province, Prince of Songkla University cancels the PSU Announcement Subject: Measures for monitoring and control of a new wave of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak among staff and students at Prince of Songkla University, Issue no. 4 and Issue no. 5, and specifies the following measures and guidelines:

1. Staff and students are requested to refrain from traveling to provinces and areas specified by the relevant measures of the province where the particular campus is located.*
2. In case staff and students need to travel to any area referred to in Clause 1:
 - 2.1 Permission needs to be obtained from the Dean or head of the relevant department;
 - 2.2 Staff and students returning to the area where the campus is located must comply with the measures of the relevant province. Any 14-day mandatory home quarantine is considered Work from Home if the travel was carried out in official capacity; for any other travel reason, vacation or business leave must be used for the duration of the quarantine.
 - 2.3 For self-quarantine measures carried out in accordance with the disease control guidelines strictly specified by the Ministry of Public Health, taking days off is not necessary. The following measures should be taken instead: after returning, always wear a medical mask or regular mask; practice social distancing; avoid any contact with others; avoid traveling to crowded areas, and refrain from participating in public activities for 14 days.
3. Visitors who come for contact or work at Prince of Songkla University can enter university premises, except those who travel from any area referred to in Clause 1.
4. Staff and students are allowed to travel to provinces other than those referred to in Clause 1.
5. Adhere to DMHTT principles: Distancing, Mask wearing, Hand washing, Testing and Thaichana application usage.
6. Staff and students are requested to refrain from visiting crowded areas, especially entertainment venues, pubs and bars, and any event with close contact.

7. Departments consider measures for practicing Work from Home or work outside the office's location, to reduce traveling and exposure to infection, by authorizing the Vice President, Dean, Director, and Director of the Division to consider the level of operational risk in accordance with the situation.

*Province categorization into zones is subject to change according to the relevant announcement of the province where the particular campus is located.

In case of contradictions with any other announcement and order, this announcement prevails.

Please be informed and act accordingly.

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