

COVID-19 hygiene rules and rules of conduct



Keep a distance

Keep a distance of at least 2 metres from others.

Face masks

Wearing a face mask is mandatory in all public areas of the University of Vienna. In addition, wearing a face mask is mandatory in all indoor rooms that are being used by more than one person at the same time. The use of FFP2 face masks is strongly recommended.



Wash your hands

Wash your hands regularly and thoroughly with soap and water or with alcohol hand sanitiser.



Respiratory hygiene

Cover your mouth and nose with a disposable tissue or the crook of your arm when coughing or sneezing.



Open the windows regularly and sanitise work areas

Open the windows regularly and use disinfectant to clean workstations or equipment that are being used by more than one person.



Avoid using the lifts

Do not use lifts, if possible, or use them alone.



In the event of a suspected COVID-19 infection

Call the hotline 1450, go home and/or stay at home. Notify the University in case of a suspected or confirmed COVID-19 infection:

- Students can use the service desk to report a suspected or confirmed COVID-19 infection at studieren.univie.ac.at/en/studying-exams/studying-on-site.
- Affected employees notify their superior and/or the crisis management team (rektorat@univie.ac.at).

In general, adhere to the principle of staying at home when sick.