

Notification of Mae Fah Luang University

Operational Guidelines for Monitoring the Spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

According to the three COVID-19 cases in Chiang Rai Province and one COVID-19 case in Phayao Province reported by the Department of Disease Control, the Ministry of Public Health on 2 December 2020 and with intention to ensure smooth surveillance, precautionary and control measures, Mae Fah Luang University hereby invokes the authority under Article 26 of the Mae Fah Luang University Act B.E. 2541 and declares the operational guidelines Monitoring the Spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) as follows:

- 1. Lecturers are required to apply Blended Learning to their teaching and assessment methods in accordance with the Operational Guidelines for Academic Year 2020 according to the Protective Measures against the Spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) issued on 29 May 2020.
- 2. All students, faculty and staff members shall strictly follow the Ministry of Public Health's measures against the spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) including always wearing a protective mask, frequently washing hands, avoiding crowded places, eating well-cooked food, not sharing dishes and utensils with other people, and avoiding close contact with older people and people with chronic disease.
- 3. Any students, faculty and staff members who travelled to the same locations and time as the new COVID-19 cases, must self-monitor for the following close contacts: being in close contact within one metre for more than five minutes with an infected person, living with, sharing items with, and travelling by the same public transport or aircraft within two rows in front and two rows behind of an infected person without wearing a protective mask. If there is one of above close contacts, the said student, faculty and staff member is considered being a high risk for COVID-19 and must contact the Mae Fah Luang University Medical Centre Hospital for diagnosis.

4. In the case of being at a high risk for COVID-19 as stated in No.3, the said students, faculty and staff members shall strictly do the 24-hour home quarantine for 14 days. If the said students, faculty and staff members have fever or one of respiratory symptoms such as cough, runny nose, sore throat, shortness of breath and loss of smell, they must contact the Mae Fah Luang University Medical Centre Hospital immediately.

If the epidemic of COVID-19 is in the higher level or there are any further announcements, Mae Fah Luang University shall declare a measure immediately.

Please be informed and comply with this Notification accordingly.

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