

## जवाहरलाल नेहरू विश्वविद्यालय JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY डीन (छात्र) कार्यालय

## OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS

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## **CIRCULAR**

This has reference to the recent circulars issued by the office of the Registrar, JNU regarding curfew imposed by the Delhi Govt and the current situation of the COVID-19 pandemic in the University.

This is to underline that the Government of India updates daily about the COVID-19 pandemic situation in India. At present, the number of cases in Delhi are increasing swiftly day by day. Further, there has been a steep spike in the number of COVID-19 cases in JNU also. The University is taking all possible measures to contain the same. The situation warrants taking stringent measures to arrest the spread of COVID-19 in the University.

- 1. All hostel residents of the University shall strictly adhere to the SOP/guidelines/preventive measures issued by the Government of India/MoHFW/Delhi Government and University Administration.
- 2. The hostel level COVID Response Committee, comprising of Wardens and students representatives, at each hostel should actively work to deal with the COVID pandemic situation at hostel level.
- 3. If hostel staff, Warden and their family members, or students, are tested COVID-positive or under home isolation/quarantine, they must inform with supporting document immediately to the Hostel Administration/Security.
- 4. The Hostel Administration may contact Sanitary Inspector (IHA) for sanitization of the Room/s of COVID-positive student/s and concerned washroom/s.
- 5. Appropriate steps, at once, should be taken by the Hostel Administration to help the affected residents in coordination with COVID Response Team.
- 6. The movement of COVID-19 positive patients or those having similar symptoms and waiting for their test results, is strictly prohibited and they are instructed to adhere to COVID appropriate behaviour.
- 7. Those who have inter-state travel history in recent time and coming from other states shall strictly adhere to the prevailing Guidelines/SOPs issued by Gol/MoHFW/Delhi Government and University administration.
- 8. Mass gathering/congregation in the hostel premises is prohibited.
- 9. Walking/running/jogging in the stadium or road is strictly prohibited.
- 10. Spitting in hostel premises is strictly prohibited.
- 11. Movement from one hostel to another hostel is strictly prohibited.

- 12. All hostel residents of the University shall strictly adhere to the SOP/guidelines/preventive measures issued by the Government of India/MoHFW/Delhi Government and University Administration.
- 13. Wearing of face masks is compulsory at all workplaces including Mess/public places inside the University campus. Proper disposal of used face covers/masks must be ensured.
- 14. Utmost care should be taken in the hostel messes. Health should be the top priority for all of us, particularly in the face of highly infectious virus with evolving mutants. Therefore, social distancing guidelines i.e. maintain a minimum distance of 6 feet shall be adhered to. The Hostel Administration may staggered the timing or take appropriate measures as deems fit.
- 15. Wearing of face mask is mandatory in the hostel premises. The Hostel Administration is authorized to take photograph, if anyone is not wearing the face mask and to impose appropriate fine and/or take disciplinary action in this regard.
- 16. The hostel residents are strongly discouraged for going out of the hostel/campus or to School/Centre, unless it is absolutely essential.
- 17. Installation and use of Aarogya Setu App shall be advised to all.
- 18. The Security Branch of the University is instructed to ensure strict compliance of this order and direct the Security Guard deputed at each hostel gate to check temperature of commuters at the entrance and report to Hostel Administration if temperature of any commuter is higher than prescribed marks. The Security Branch shall also adequately inform and sensitize the Guards about the COVID guidelines.
- 19. Students are advised to leave for their native places in order to stay safe, and also help curb the virulent spread of COVID-19 virus.

Any person violating these measures is liable to be proceeded against as per the provisions of Section 51 to 60 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, besides legal action under 188 of the IPC, and other legal provisions as applicable.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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## Circular to:

- 1. All concerned
- 2. PS to VC/Rector/Registrar/DOS/OSD/CP
- 3. Associate Dean of Students
- 4. Provosts of all Khands
- 5. Senior Wardens of all hostels
- 6. CSO
- 7. Office file