COVID-19 and Campus Life FAQ
“Easing back into Campus life; not diving in”

Q1: Will I need to wear a mask on campus?
A1: Yes, all individuals on campus, whether residents or otherwise, will be required to wear masks in all buildings including the chapel. You are encouraged to wear your masks when outdoors in close proximity to one another. While you are in class, please remember to keep your mask on.

Q2: Will I need to be tested during the semester?
A2: Yes, testing will occur on a weekly basis. Testing times/day will be forthcoming. If you cannot make this time, you may be responsible to be tested on your own at an off site testing facility without compensation. If you miss more than three weeks of testing (3 times all together), you will be withdrawn for the semester. Off campus testing can be found here for Boston and Brookline.

Q3: Will all amenities and facilities be open this semester?
A3: Yes, but with modified hours. The chapel will be open, but you will need to contact Fr. Michael Kouremetis for weekly hours. The library will be open daily, but will have modified working hours to keep students, staff and faculty safe. The administration building will be open, however, some staff will be working remotely to keep the traffic of people to a minimum on campus. You will be able to have full access to faculty and staff, but may need to arrange meeting times (often virtual) on an individual basis. Many faculty members will be having office hours remotely. Please check with your professors.

Q4: Will there be a residence life presence on campus?
A4: Yes, we are planning to have many opportunities for students and families to engage in this semester. We will follow all local, regional, and federal guidelines for safety. Our Dean of Students and assisting staff will be on campus, and will be accessible to students and families.
Please remember that we are easing into campus life and not diving in. Please stay tuned for further details.

**Q5: Will I be able to have visitors on campus?**

**A5:** Yes, but only within the guidelines set forth. We will need 72hrs notice of any individuals that will be staying on campus. They must be fully vaccinated, or provide a medical exemption from a licensed medical provider. Any individuals coming for a day visit, are only permitted either outdoors, or within the respective apartments/rooms of their host. These individuals must follow the aforementioned guidelines for vaccination or medical exemption.

All students wishing to have guests need to submit the following form:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1b1Wza8rDcSt_-VM7wTDVN7Z2ux3AL3JJybmdNMLGuEM/viewform?ts=611ad2a8&edit_requested=true

**Q6: What if I have symptoms or test positive for Covid-19?**

**A6:** If you have any symptoms, even if you perceive that it is a common cold, please refrain from attending class, chapel, or entering any building but your dorm room/apartment. You will need to; notify your doctor's office, email Fr. Philip Halikias at compliance@hchc.edu, and Marcie Moline at mmoline@hchc.edu for possible quarantining accommodations, and get tested at an off campus site. You will not be penalized for missing class, but will receive accommodations from your professor to work remotely as needed. Please be sure to communicate with every professor. You must receive clearance from Fr. Philip to resume normal activities.

**Q7: Are guests permitted to attend chapel?**

**A7:** Guests will be permitted to attend chapel only by adhering to the following guidelines:

1) Facial coverings must be worn at all times, covering both one’s nose and mouth. The only exception is during reception of Holy Communion.

2) Guests must display their Covid-19 vaccination proof to the appointed altar team member within the Narthex.

3) Guests must write their full name and contact information within the guest log that will be maintained in the Narthex. This will assist with necessary contact tracing, should any positive cases be reported.
4) For further information about chapel participation, please contact Fr. Kouremetis at mkouremetis@hchc.edu

**Q8: Will the library be open this semester?**

**A8:** Yes, but with modified hours. The hours will be M-5: 9am-3pm; 7pm-10pm, Saturdays 10am-3pm, Sundays 7-10pm. Seating in the Library will be reduced in order to maintain safe distancing between Library patrons-there will be just one chair per reading table. In addition, masks must be worn at all times!