



## **Health and Safety Directive: Mandatory COVID-19 Training and Acknowledgments**

**Effective Date: January 13, 2021**

### **A. Requirements**

1. From time to time, AU campus community members may be notified of required COVID-19 training acknowledgements, the completion of which will be mandatory as a condition to accessing University premises. The training will relate to health and safety awareness of COVID-19 and the University's expectations regarding student, faculty, and staff conduct to reduce spread of the illness. All students, faculty, and staff are required to comply with all University mandated training on COVID-19 and are expected to affirm their commitment to meeting all University health and safety standards by completing a pledge or acknowledgment form before entering campus.
2. Specialized training, education, and documentation may be required for certain categories of students, faculty, or staff, such as those involved in research activities or participating in intercollegiate athletics. Campus community members will be notified if they are required to complete specialized training.

### **B. Enforcement**

Failure to comply with this Health and Safety Directive constitutes misconduct that is actionable under the Student Conduct Code, the Staff Personnel Manual, and the Faculty Manual. Repeated violations by students may result in disciplinary action, up to and including removal from University housing, as well as suspension or dismissal from the University. Repeated violations by faculty or staff may result in disciplinary action, up to and including suspension or termination. Any individual who fails to follow this Directive may be restricted from the premises.