Los Angeles Community College District
COVID-19 Emergency Response & Recovery Update
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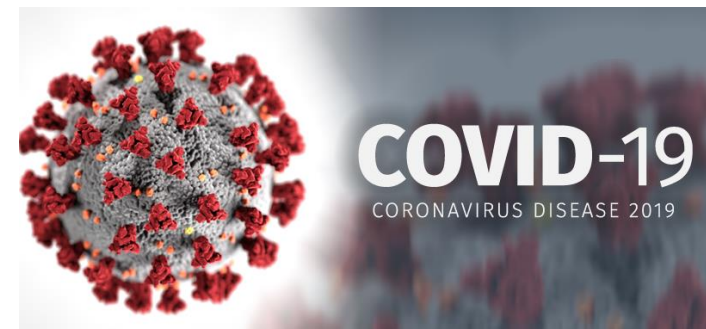**July 8, 2020**

LACCD marked several significant milestones in June 2020 during the COVID-19 public health emergency:

- Continued to remain opened, never closed

- Surpassed 100 days of continuous emergency operations-- longest in District's history

- Successfully completed first-ever, all remote semester for about 10,000 classes; now into first remote Summer Session

- Hosted nine first-ever virtual recognition ceremonies for Class of 2020 plus special online Black Graduation and Lavender Graduation celebrations totaling more than 10,000 students, faculty, families and friends attending all

- Developed recovery planning documents for return to in-person activities

COVID-19
CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019

L.A. County & California COVID-19 cases have spiked, nearly doubling in just 30 days. Numbers as July 7, 2020:
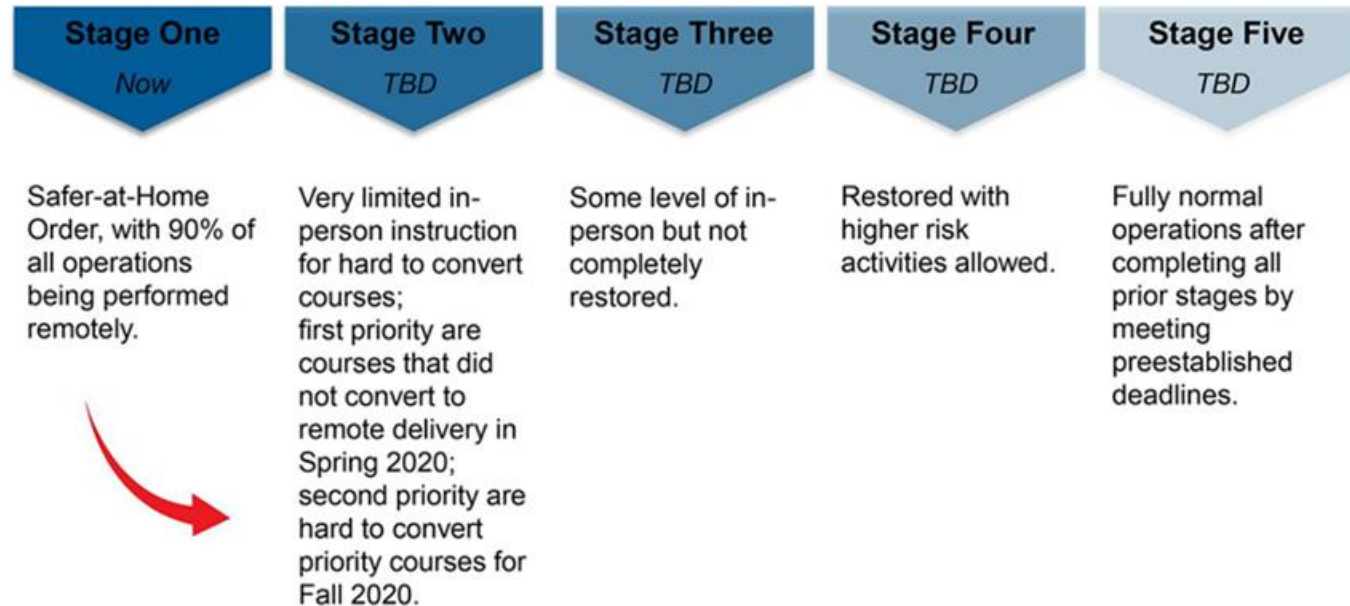
- Los Angeles County with 120,539 positive cases and 3,579 deaths — up from June 7 numbers of 63,844 cases and 2,645 deaths

- California with 277,774 positive cases and 6,448 deaths — up from June 7 numbers of 128,812 cases and 4,626 deaths

- LACCD numbers as of July 7 show 91 reported positive; 1 fatality; 32 suspected & 56 possible exposures

- LACCD preparing to move into its Stage 2 for recovery that allows very limited, on-campus instruction per L.A. County Dept. of Public Health for essential services workforce

- <u>Earliest</u> estimated timeframe would be mid- to late-July, but recent surge in cases and hospitalizations may stall recovery plans for Los Angeles County

LACCD REOPENING PLANS

Stage One	Stage Two	Stage Three	Stage Four	Stage Five
Now	*TBD*	*TBD*	*TBD*	*TBD*
Safer-at-Home Order, with 90% of all operations being performed remotely.	Very limited in-person instruction for hard to convert courses; first priority are courses that did not convert to remote delivery in Spring 2020; second priority are hard to convert priority courses for Fall 2020.	Some level of in-person but not completely restored.	Restored with higher risk activities allowed.	Fully normal operations after completing all prior stages by meeting preestablished deadlines.

RECOVERY UPDATE

- California meanwhile remains in its Stage 2
- Many counties, including L.A., are seeing new or renewed closures

STAGE 1:
Safety and preparedness
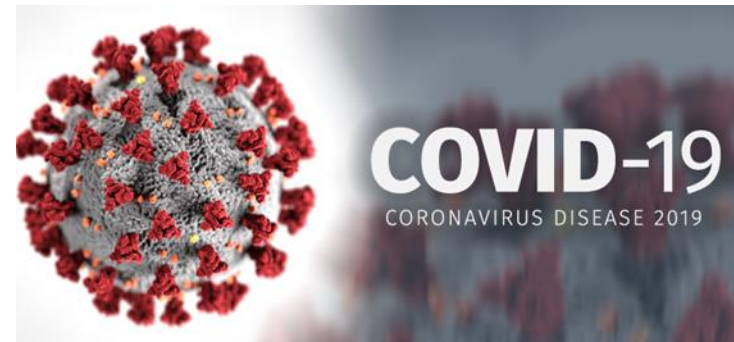
STAGE 2:
Lower-risk workplaces

STAGE 3:
Higher-risk workplaces

STAGE 4:
End of Stay Home Order

https://covid19.ca.gov/roadmap/

LACCD EOC has already:

- Updated District Pandemic Plan
- Completed Draft of Recovery Plan, including:

  Recovery Policies, EOC Workflow Matrices; Individual College Plans, Safety Advisories; Contract Tracing Plans

- Put Recovery Policies & Safety Advisories Online
- Developed web-based "Symptoms Self-Check" page to control contact tracing

LACCD RECOVERY UPDATE

LACCD representation by Chancellor on additional state, county & city work groups have now issued reports:

- California Community Colleges Safe Campus Reopening Workgroup

- County of Los Angeles Economic Resiliency Task Force, Education Work Team

- City of Los Angeles COVID-19 Higher Education Working Group

- These reports, plus State Chancellor memo on education for essential critical workforce, are being reviewed for consistency with the District's internal plans

LACCD EOC is:

- Making large purchases of PPE & other supplies – thermometers, facial coverings included
- Posting CARES Act emergency funding activities for recovery at www.laccd.edu
- Planning for mutual signage that all colleges and District facilities share
- Reviewing Colleges' Stage 2 plans and beginning advanced planning for LACCD Stage 3 Recovery Plans
- Supporting IT in large purchase of Chromebooks for Fall Semester

LACCD EOC continues:

- Working with County for COVID-19 testing site at ELAC
- Working with Kroger/Ralphs for its COVID-19 testing program at Southwest

LACCD continues:

- Working with County Registrar of Voters for November Vote Centers at colleges
- Helping with food distributions for recovery
- Working with U.S. Census for training space

Let's Get
LACCD Counted
Fill out your form on
my2020census.gov

- Look at advanced recovery planning beyond Stage 3
- Restructure EOC and ICC working schedules as needed
- Continue advocacy to help students with housing and other needs
- Continue to use County info & updated messages in support of safety & recovery

CAMPUS PEER NAVIGATION

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If you are a community college student, age 18 to 24, and you are experiencing housing insecurity, contact us! We are Peer Navigators and we are here to support you!

(Referral services are also available for students 25 years or older)

The Campus Peer Navigator Program

aims to connect community college students who are experiencing homelessness or at-risk of homelessness with resources that can end their housing crisis. The objectives of the program include:

- Connecting students to community resources and the Coordinated Entry System (CES)
- Improving linkages between colleges and homeless services providers across Los Angeles County
- Streamlining the CES referral process
- Enhancing communication and partnerships

During normal circumstances, Navigators co-locate at your college campus, working in tandem with other on-campus support service staff. In the current 'Stay At Home' environment, Navigators are available to connect remotely. Please email your college's Campus Peer Navigator to get help!

Community College	Campus Peer Navigator	E-mail
Los Angeles Valley College, Los Angeles Mission College, Los Angeles Pierce College	Brigette Zarazua Quintero	BrigetteZQ@thevillagefs.org
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