LSSU Safety Protocols are based on federal, state, and local guidelines and recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC). The following four pillars provide the foundation for the continued safety and wellbeing of our University and surrounding community.

1. **Social Distancing:** Maintain six feet of distance from those around you when possible.
2. **Mask/Face Covering:** Wear a mask or face covering when in enclosed, public locations and/or when other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain. Per Michigan Executive order 2020-147 effective July 13, 2020, at 12:01 a.m., LSSU will require all individuals on campus property to wear a face covering when in any indoor space, and when outdoors and unable to consistently maintain a distance of six feet or more from individuals who are not members of their household. See Executive order for exceptions.
3. **Sanitization:** Wash your hands with soap and water for 20 seconds multiple times each day or use hand sanitizer of at least 60% alcohol. Sanitize your desk or workstation twice daily, high-frequency touch surfaces, and living spaces with wipes found across campus.
4. **Personal/Social Responsibility:** Actively encourage those around you to adhere to these pillars while doing so yourself. Remember, we are in this together and we all have a role to play in preventing the spread of COVID-19.

In aligning with the Governor’s MI Safe Start Plan, Executive Orders, MI Safe Schools Roadmap; Michigan’s 2020-21 Return to School Roadmap, and the broader landscape of Region 8 or the State of Michigan, there is always a possibility of reverting to a previous level. Given the uniqueness of the University and its constituencies served, LSSU reserves the ability to revert more rapidly in the Laker Levels as called for by campus and community events.

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| **Level 1:** Uncontrolled Growth & Persistent Spread | **Safety Protocols/Workforce Training:**
- Social distancing, facial coverings required
- Enhanced disinfection/cleaning - of common areas and high-frequency touch surfaces; locking of facilities once disinfected
- Hand hygiene: frequently wash hands with soap and water and use hand sanitizer and wipes to clean work and study areas
- Daily wellness checks & temperature checks
- Testing and isolating individuals with symptoms
- No campus guests except for critical infrastructure needs |
| **MI Safe Start Plan**
**Stage 1:** Uncontrolled Growth & **Stage 2:** Persistent Spread | **Academic Operations/Classroom Management:**
- Online classes & labs
- Regional Centers, Culinary School, & Additional Locations: Adhere to Executive Orders; instruction may convert to online delivery |
| **Campus Services:** | - Remote work for non-critical infrastructure employees |
Public Safety & Steam Plant: In full operation with limited interpersonal contact
Administrative Offices: Employees working remotely with limited face-to-face appointments
Housing: On-Campus movement limited/inter-hall visitors prohibited; students co-responsible for cleaning shared restrooms (Brady, Osborn) and living spaces; limited access to communal spaces
Meal service: Grab & Go, no sit-down dining
No face-to-face meetings (e.g., faculty, advising, Counseling Center)
Health Care Center: Limited face-to-face appointments
No University travel permitted

Campus Events & Activities:
Facilities locked with limited access to critical infrastructure employees in the following locations:
  - Shouldice Library, all Norris Center locations, Arts Center, CFRE, ARL, Simulation Center, Cisler Center, LSSU Bookstore
Campus programs and events cancelled/postponed for internal and external groups
  - Athletics
  - Student Activities & Organizations
  - Catering events (e.g., Weddings)
  - Performances, rehearsals

Level 2: Flattening
MI Safe Start Plan
Stage 3: Flattening

Safety Protocols/Workforce Training:
- Social distancing, facial coverings required (adhere to Executive Orders when appropriate)
- Enhanced disinfection/cleaning of common areas and high-frequency touch surfaces
- Hand hygiene: frequently wash hands with soap and water and use hand sanitizer and wipes to clean work and study areas
- Daily wellness checks; temperature checks where appropriate
- Testing and isolating individuals with symptoms

Academic Operations/Classroom Management:
- Online classes & labs
- Nonessential University travel discouraged
- Regional Centers, Culinary School, & additional locations: Adhere to Executive Orders; instruction may convert to online delivery

Campus Services:
- Remote work for non-critical infrastructure employees
- Public Safety & Steam Plant: In full operation with limited interpersonal contact
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### Academic Operations/Classroom Management:
- Classes face-to-face; online classes with approval
- Field trips permissible with approval

### Campus Services:
- Public Safety & Steam Plant: In full operation with limited interpersonal contact
- Housing: inter-hall visitors permissible; off-campus guests prohibited; students co-responsible for cleaning shared restrooms (Brady, Osborn) and living spaces; limited capacity in communal spaces to maintain six-feet social distancing.
- Meal service: Grab & Go, limited sit-down dining, and served dishes, mask when entering/ exiting
- Administrative offices: Mitigated offices with reduced personnel and remote work possible for family care, high-risk health conditions, and to promote office social distancing; alternating staffing shifts and adjusted schedules possible per area supervisors
- Nonessential University travel discouraged; travel for essential University function permissible with approval
- Health Care Center: Face-to-face appointments per State guidelines/ Executive Order

- Administrative offices: Employees working remotely with limited face-to-face appointments
- Housing: On-campus movement limited/ inter-hall visitors prohibited; students co-responsible for cleaning shared restrooms (Brady, Osborn) and living spaces; limited access to communal spaces
- Meal service: Grab & Go, no sit-down dining
- No face-to-face meetings (e.g., faculty, advising, Counseling Center)
- Health Care Center: Limited face-to-face appointments

### Campus Events & Activities:
- Campus programs and events cancelled/ postponed for internal and external groups
- No campus guests except for critical infrastructure needs; gathering sizes will adhere to Executive Orders
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**Academic Operations/Classroom Management:**
- Classes face-to-face; online classes with approval
- Field trips permissible with approval

**Campus Services:**
- Public Safety & Steam Plant: In full operation with limited interpersonal contact
- Housing: inter-hall visitors permissible; students co-responsible for cleaning shared restrooms (Brady, Osborn) and living spaces; limited capacity in communal spaces to maintain six-feet social distancing.
- Meal service: Grab & Go; sit-down dining with distance at table, and served dishes, mask when entering/ exiting
- Administrative offices: Remote work possible for family care, high-risk health conditions, and to promote office social distancing; alternating staffing shifts and adjusted schedules possible per area supervisors
- Nonessential University travel discouraged; travel for essential University function permissible with approval
- Health Care Center: Face-to-face appointments per State guidelines/ Executive Order

**Campus Events & Activities:**
- Campus visitors/guests, campus programs and events permissible per State guidelines/ Executive Order
- Gathering sizes (up to 10 indoors or 100 outdoors, maintaining 6ft social distancing for those not from the same household)

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**Stage 6: Post-pandemic**

| **Hand hygiene:** frequently wash hands with soap and water and use hand sanitizer and wipes to clean work and study areas |
| **Testing and isolating for individuals with symptoms** |

**Academic Operations/Classroom Management:**
- Classes face-to-face, field trips permissible

**Campus Services:**
- Public Safety & Steam Plant: In full operation with limited interpersonal contact
- Housing: inter-hall visitors permissible; students co-responsible for cleaning shared restrooms (Brady, Osborn) and living spaces.
- Meal service: Grab & Go available, sit-down dining
- University travel permissible
- Health Care Center: In full operation per State guidelines/Executive Order

**Campus Events & Activities:**
- Campus visitors/guests, campus programs and events permissible per State guidelines/Executive Orders
- Gathering sizes per State guidelines/Executive Orders