INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS AND VISITORS REGARDING THE CORONA PANDEMIC

Dear All,

An important component of managing the Corona pandemic is the adherence to the recommendations listed below. In case that you are coming to Ruhr-Universität Bochum for an appointment, or you participate in a lecture or an exam, please follow these recommendations in order to protect yourself and others from an infection with COVID-19!

- In case of mild symptoms of a respiratory infection (e.g. cough, cold, sore throat, no fever) a Corona „Bürgertest“ from a Corona test centre or PCR test at your family doctor should be carried out in any case before visiting the campus or RUB properties. Due to possible false-negative test results, a face mask - preferably FFP2 mask - should be worn at all times on Campus even after receiving a negative Corona test result.
- Avoid shaking hands and other physical contact.
- Keep a distance of at least 1.5 m to other persons.
- Wearing a face mask (surgical mask or FFP2 mask) is strongly recommended everywhere inside all RUB buildings.
- Travel by yourself in an elevator, if possible.
- During events (e.g. lectures and exams), the instructions of the person in charge of the event (“Veranstaltungsleitung”) need to be observed.

Under the following circumstances you are not allowed to enter the RUB campus or RUB facilities:

- **Positive COVID-19 test result**: in case of a positive result of a Corona antigen rapid test - if no subsequent PCR test with a negative result was carried out - or in case of a positive result of a PCR test, go into domestic isolation for 10 days (this time can be shortened at the earliest on the 5th day if there have been no Corona symptoms for at least 48 hours and by means of a negative certified test; please refer to “Corona-Test- und Quarantäneverordnung NRW”).
- **In case of direct contact with a sick person or with a person who has tested positive for COVID-19**: please refer to “Corona-Test- und Quarantäneverordnung NRW“.
- **After staying abroad**: During the quarantine period after staying abroad, the RUB campus and facilities may not be entered (also see “Corona-Einreiseverordnung Bund”).

Thank you for your cooperation!

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