## **Subject: NEW REGULATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF DEBRECEN: Important** information for all students arriving from abroad regarding entering University of Debrecen premises

In case you stayed in Hungary or arrived back to Hungary before 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2020 this regulation does not apply to you.

Dear Student,

Due to the current COVID-19 situation all over the world and in accordance with our previous NEPTUN circulars, as of today the University of Debrecen has introduced the following new regulations in order to protect the community of the University from COVID-19 infection:

## PLEASE CONSIDER THE CONDITIONS BELOW WHEN ARRANGING YOUR TRAVEL BACK TO HUNGARY!

<u>Students arriving from abroad are NOT ALLOWED TO ENTER the University premises</u> <u>unless they meet one of the following criteria:</u>

1. In case of <u>quarantine obligation</u>:

Students who fulfil the <u>quarantine obligation</u> ordered by the Regional Bureau of Public Health and receive the <u>decree exempting them from quarantine</u>, are allowed to enter UD premises.

In case you have <u>quarantine obligations</u> please follow the instructions <u>HERE</u>. Please fill the following <u>COVID FORM</u> as soon as you arrive to Hungary. It is very important if you want to register for PCR testing and get exempted from quarantine later on!

- 2. In case of <u>NO quarantine obligation</u> (either because you have 2 negative PCR tests from home, or arrived from a green country):
  - a. Students who can prove that they <u>arrived 14 days prior to the intended start</u> of the academic year to Debrecen are allowed to enter University premises,
  - b. Students from a so called "<u>red" or "yellow" country</u> who have <u>2 negative</u> <u>PCR tests</u> done on day 1 and day 5-7 after arrival are allowed to enter the University premises,
  - c. Students from a so called "green" country who have <u>1 negative PCR</u> test done on day 5-7 after arrival are allowed to enter University premises.

University personnel may check the border-crossing dates in the students' passports or boarding passes, so please bring your passport or other relevant document with you when attending lectures, seminars and practices.

The list of country categories can be downloaded from **<u>HERE</u>** 

In case you have <u>NO quarantine obligation</u>, please fill out <u>THIS FORM</u>, where you may register for PCR test(s). The form will be available soon!

Quarantine obligation or the 14-day non-attendance UD regulation cannot be used as an excuse for missed classes. As soon as your quarantine obligation or the 14-day non-attendance UD regulation are over, you may attend classes again.

Please note that tests brought from home may exempt you from self-quarantine, but do not allow you to enter the University campuses (except dormitories).

## <u>The PCR tests can be ordered at a special discount price valid exclusively for UD students:</u> <u>-30,000 HUF/2 tests or</u> <u>-15,000 HUF/1 test.</u> - an optional 22,000 HUF extra charge for testing in your apartment (covers both tests)

You will be charged via your NEPTUN University account and you will be able to pay it within 15 days (incomplete payment request will result in blocking you from subject and exam registration in the NEPTUN system). In case you have quarantine obligations there will be an extra administrative fee to be paid, so the 2 PCR tests will cost 33,000 HUF/2 tests.

Please note that you will receive appointment(s) for the PCR test(s) via email by YOUMED.

The above prices are valid only at YOUMED and in case you attend the initial test appointments allocated to you by YOUMED. If you miss the test appointments, you are no longer eligible to benefit from the discount prices. In this case, you have to pay the full amount which is 30,500 HUF/test (2 tests cost 61,000 HUF).

In case you would like to modify the date or time of your appointment, please follow the instructions in the email received by YOUMED.

It is our definite request that all students respect COVID-19 regulations and restrictions of the University of Debrecen as the violation of these regulations may have serious consequences regarding your studies and may result in the termination of your student status!