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HOSTEL OFFICE

No: NIT-Andhra/Hostel Office/2021/53

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CIRCULAR

Sub: Hostel accommodation to II Year UG students of AY 2021-2022-reg.
Ref. No. NIT Andhra/AA/2021-22/ II B.Tech./04

Vide reference to the above cited, the approval of competent authority is hereby conveyed to provide the hostel accommodation on campus for second year UG program students with strict adherence to rules & regulations of hostels and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) of NIT Andhra Pradesh and Covid-19. In view of this each student has to go through the following safety measures and resident responsibilities and act accordingly.

Safety Measures:

1. As the students are coming from different locations, they shall remain in quarantine and self-monitor their health for a period of one week before being allowed to attend the physical classes.
2. There should be no crowding in hostel areas where students live in close proximity and share common facilities and utilities. Hence, their numbers need to be limited appropriately to avoid crowding. Also, hostel students should be called in phased manner.
3. Crowding must be avoided at entry/ exit points of each hostel block.
4. For ensuring queue management, inside and outside the Dining hall, specific markings on the floor with a gap of minimum six feet may be made and be adhered to.
5. Movement of each student at every entry and exit points should be monitored.
6. Thermal scanners and sanitizers are made available
7. Density in dining halls, common rooms, playing areas should be limited, keeping in view the requirement of physical distancing.
8. Hygiene conditions should be regularly monitored in kitchens, dining halls, bathrooms and toilets etc.
9. It must be ensured that the meals are freshly cooked. A senior staff should monitor the same.
10. Utensils should be properly cleaned.
11. Wearing of face covers/ masks and proper sanitization of hands of the staff engaged for the preparation and distribution of meals should be ensured.



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12. Resident students and staff should avoid or limit visiting the markets.
13. Hostels may define the number of students in dining halls at any point in time. Mess timings may be increased to avoid overcrowding.
14. Posters and stickers should be pasted at appropriate places in the campus to create awareness about the risk of infection from COVID-19.
15. Sharing of books, other learning material and eatables are strictly not entertained.

Role of Students:

1. Self-discipline is most important to avoid the spread of COVID-19 pandemic through social distancing and maintaining hygienic condition.
2. All students should wear face covers/ masks and take all preventive measures.
3. All the students are encouraged to keep their respective hostel rooms and premises clean.
4. May consider installing 'Aarogya Setu App' in the mobile if not done.
5. The students must inculcate activities that will increase immunity-boosting mechanism which may include exercise, yoga, eating fresh fruits and healthy food, sleep timely etc. By executing all these they can take care of others also.
6. Discrimination of fellow students in respect of whom there is a history of COVID-19 disease in the family is avoided.
7. Give support to your friends under stress due to COVID-19 pandemic.
8. Students should follow the guidelines, advisories and instructions issued by the Government authorities as well as by the Institute regarding health and safety measures in view of COVID-19 pandemic.

Sd/-
Chief Warden
Hostels, NIT Andhra Pradesh