

## Procedure on COVID-19-related health care services provided to international (non-Hungarian national) students

### 1. Procedure on the **entry of international students to Hungary**

Pursuant to Government Decree 408/2020 (VIII. 30)<sup>1</sup> students entering Hungary must quarantine themselves and must spend this time at their accommodations in Hungary. Based on the national procedure in effect from September 21, leaving the quarantine is possible under one of the following conditions:

- (i) after 10 days if the student did not experience any coronavirus symptoms in the last 3 days of the quarantine and the district physician – following a medical examination – has issued an official, written certificate stating that the student has no COVID-19 related symptoms.
  1. For students who possess Hungarian National Insurance (TAJ) card, it is the district physician with competence in the district of the student's residence, who issues such certificate. For the list of district physicians responsible for the specific districts within Budapest, please visit<sup>2</sup>:  
[http://www.neak.gov.hu/felso\\_menu/lakossagnak/szerzodott\\_szolgaltatok/haziorvosi\\_szolgaltatok.html](http://www.neak.gov.hu/felso_menu/lakossagnak/szerzodott_szolgaltatok/haziorvosi_szolgaltatok.html)
  2. For students who hold valid European Health Card, the certificate will be issued by the university's contracted partner. Appointment can be requested via e-mail at: [corvinus@promedicina.hu](mailto:corvinus@promedicina.hu). When showing up for this examination, students must bring the attached Statement printed and signed in 2 copies.
  3. Students in the Stipendium Hungaricum program who possess the Hungarian TAJ card should primarily contact their district physicians. Should this not be possible, they can request an appointment for the examination at the university's contracted partner here: [coronavirus@promedicina.hu](mailto:coronavirus@promedicina.hu).  
**IMPORTANT: Students with TAJ card can use this service solely for the purpose of obtaining the certificate allowing them to leave the quarantine.**
  4. Students must send the scanned copy of the certificate issued and signed by the district physician or the university's contracted partner to [coronavirusinfo@uni-corvinus.hu](mailto:coronavirusinfo@uni-corvinus.hu). After sending this e-mail, they will be able to visit the university buildings.
- (ii) after two negative PCR tests required in the certificate issued to students by Corvinus University based on Government Decree 408/2020. The two PCR tests will be free of charge for students entering Hungary with a certificate issued by Corvinus University as well as for Hungarian nationals from abroad. The PCR tests are done by Semmelweis University and students receiving notification

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<sup>1</sup> Government Decree 408/2020 (30 August) on travel restrictions during the period of state of epidemiological preparedness

<sup>2</sup> An Excel sheet you can filter based on the postal code of the apartment/flat/etc. you are staying at is attached.

from Semmelweis University about the testing must follow the procedure given by SOTE. Students who did not require Corvinus-issued certificates to enter Hungary or are not Hungarian nationals from abroad must arrange to take the two PCR tests at their own costs.

- 2) If a student is required to quarantine at home based on coronavirus symptoms, leaving the quarantine is only possible after the 10-day period **and** after obtaining official certificate from the district physician or Corvinus's contracted physician stating that the student shows no COVID-19 related symptoms. In such cases it is not possible to leave the quarantine before the end of the 10-day period even if two negative PCR tests are available. The process for obtaining the certificate to be released from quarantine is explained under point 1.
- 3) If the 10-day period after entering Hungary has passed, the student is still in Hungary and the possibility of COVID infection arises,
  - a) Students with Hungarian TAJ card should contact the district physician with competence in the district they reside in to get further instructions on what to do.
  - b) Students with European Health Card can request an appointment at Corvinus University's contracted partner by writing to [corvinus@promedicina.hu](mailto:corvinus@promedicina.hu), and they will receive the relevant information and instructions.
  - c) Stipendium Hungaricum students who have TAJ card should turn to the district physician with competence in the district they reside in. Should this prove to be impossible, they should contact Corvinus University's contracted partner at [corvinus@promedicina.hu](mailto:corvinus@promedicina.hu) who will provide further instructions on what to do.