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| THE UNIVERSITY OF PARDUBICE |   |
| Rector's Measure No. 3/2021 |   |
| Subject Matter:             | Emergency measure for the purpose of health protection - testing of students and applicants for admission to study at the University of Pardubice |
| Applicable to:              | Students, applicants and employees of the University of Pardubice   |
| Effective from:             | April 24, 2021  |
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### Article 1

#### Introductory Provisions

- 1) In connection with the occurrence of COVID-19 caused by the new coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 in the Czech Republic and in order to protect health and prevent the risk of developing and spreading the disease in connection with students' partial return to schools, the Rector of the University of Pardubice ("University") issues this measure.

### Article 2

#### Mandatory Student Testing

- 1) From April 26, 2021, the personal presence of students for education (i.e. including exams) at the University is allowed in accordance with applicable emergency measures, if they do not have symptoms of COVID-19 and at the same time have undergone a preventive POC antigen test performed by a health service provider on the university campus, with the result of this test being negative.
- 2) The above students shall undergo testing on the university campus with the exception of those who:
  - a) have a negative result of POC antigen or RT-PCR test, which are not older than 48 hours and which were performed by a health service provider according to the current emergency measure of the Ministry of Health, and can prove this by a document issued by the health service provider,
  - b) have undergone laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 disease, have undergone an isolation period in accordance with the applicable emergency measure and no more than 90 days have elapsed since the first positive POC antigen or RT-PCR test, and can supply evidence thereof,
  - c) have a certificate issued by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic for vaccination against COVID-19 and at least 14 days have elapsed since the second dose of the vaccine in the case of a two-dose schedule, or at least 14 days have elapsed since the first dose of the vaccine in the case of a single dose, can supply evidence thereof, or
  - d) participate in one-to-one consultations, one-to-one full-time lessons or other one-to-one activities (only one student and one academic staff member or another person).
- 3) Testing of students shall be performed as scheduled according to the reservation system of the health service provider on the university campus: [https://reservatic.com/cs/public\\_services/medilaspol-s-r-o-univerzita-pardubice?place\\_id=4657](https://reservatic.com/cs/public_services/medilaspol-s-r-o-univerzita-pardubice?place_id=4657) or shall be arranged for by the students themselves in accordance with the current measures at health service providers.
- 4) The preventive test is performed once every 7 days and the student is obliged to submit it upon request. The preventive test is always performed before the start of lessons, with the first test to be performed on the first day of the student's personal presence in lessons.

- 5) Upon arrival at the Halls of Residence, students are required to undergo a preventive test on the university campus, if they are personally present at the Halls of Residence before lessons, except for the cases referred to in Article 2, Paragraph 2, Subparagraphs a) to c).
- 6) Students accommodated in the Halls of Residence who are not allowed to be personally present in lessons due to emergency measures, or those who do not attend lessons in person for a period of 7 days, are obliged to undergo preventive testing on the university campus in accordance with this measure, except for the cases referred to in Article 2, Paragraph 2, Subparagraphs a) to c).
- 7) Prior to testing, students shall submit for inspection a student card and a health insurance card, with the exception of those who are not participants in public health insurance in the Czech Republic; such test shall be paid the University, or faculties, as relevant.
- 8) Having undergone the POC antigen test performed on the university campus, the student shall wait for its result. The student can print the confirmation of undergoing the test on a form in advance, fill in the required data and bring it with him/her for testing, or fill it in on the spot [https://studenti.upce.cz/sites/default/files/potvrzeni-antigenni-test\\_161014.pdf](https://studenti.upce.cz/sites/default/files/potvrzeni-antigenni-test_161014.pdf). The health care provider shall confirm to the student the proof of undergoing the test. If the result of the test is positive, the student shall undergo a confirmatory RT-PCR test and immediately leave the university premises, or the Halls of Residence premises, with the exception of a student who has no other residence in the Czech Republic. Such a student shall then be transferred to an isolation room on campus. The student is obliged to inform the provider of health services in the field of general medical practice about the positive result of the test by telephone or other usual remote method.
- 9) If the result of the student's test is positive, the student shall immediately notify the department of studies of the relevant faculty, or the Halls of Residence in case that he/she is accommodated therein.
- 10) On the day of obtaining the test results, an authorized employee of the Rector's Office shall ensure the electronic reporting of data on the performed testing of students to the COVID forms App. The report shall include the contact person, the type of test, the total number of persons tested, the number of persons with a positive test result, the number of persons with a negative test result, and the number of inconclusive tests.

### **Article 3**

#### **Testing of Applicants for Study at the University**

- 1) A person who is an applicant for admission to study at the University, or a person supporting such an applicant or another person, shall be allowed to participate in the entrance examination in person only if
  - a) has no symptoms of COVID-19, and
  - b) submits a document issued by the health service provider of a negative result of the POC antigen test or RT-PCR test performed in the last 7 days before the admission test, or
  - c) has undergone a laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 disease, undergone an isolation period in accordance with the applicable emergency measure, no more than 90 days have elapsed since the first positive POC antigen or RT-PCR test, and this is duly documented, or
  - d) has a certificate issued by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic for vaccination against COVID-19 and at least 14 days have elapsed since the second dose of the vaccine in the case of a two-dose schedule, or at least 14 days have elapsed since the first dose of the vaccine in the case of a single dose.

### **Article 4**

### **Final Provisions**

- 1) In connection with the above, the Rector instructs the deans of individual faculties and other relevant senior employees of central university units to monitor current information on the university intranet or website and generally applicable legal regulations of state authorities and subsequently, within their scope of authority and competencies, to implement them and communicate with students and applicants.
- 2) This measure shall come into force on the day of the signature by the Rector.

In Pardubice on April 21, 2021

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Rector