MEDICAL STUDENT COVID SCREENING
AT THE DEPARTMENT OF STUDENT HEALTH AND WELLNESS

APPLIES TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENT GROUPS
- School of Medicine clerkship and post-clerkship medical students

PROTOCOL

Screening
1. Daily health attestation required of student, sent to student by UVA Health. SOM responsible for sending UVA Health a list of students who should receive the daily attestation.
2. Travel guidelines apply to SOM students. Education of students about the UVA Health travel policy is the responsibility of the SOM: 
https://emergency.healthsystem.virginia.edu/human-resources/team-member-travel-information-page/
3. SOM is responsible for ensuring that students complete the attestation and travel screening when applicable.
4. SOM is responsible for ensuring that all students have signed the revised Authorization for Release of Healthcare Information and for sending signed forms to Student Health.

Positive Screens and/or Exposures
1. Students with a positive screen on health attestation or travel history OR an exposure to COVID will be instructed to contact Student Health and Wellness.
2. Student Health and Wellness will conduct a telehealth appointment to gather additional history. If needed, student will be directed to Student Health and Wellness for in-person appointment for physical and/or testing.

Testing/ Furlough
1. Students with history and/or physical concerning for COVID will be tested for COVID. They will be placed on furlough while test results are pending.
2. Students with positive tests, or symptoms highly suggestive of COVID and false negative test, will be placed on furlough for an additional period per CDC guidelines and current Employee Health protocols. Student Health and Wellness will report case to TJHD.
3. Students with travel to high-risk area will be furloughed for 14 days.
4. Students with exposure to COVID will be evaluated; quarantine and furlough decisions will be based on public health guidelines and current Employee Health protocols.
   a. Furlough forms will be completed by the Student Health clinician and faxed to SOM (Fax 982-4073)
5. SOM is responsible for ensuring that student does not come in to clinical duties/ school when they are on furlough and for working with student on any academic or HR needs.