

UFIC Notice to International Students (F-1 Program & J-1 Programs) - March 06, 2020

Dear Students,

As we approach the end of Spring Break, the UF International Center would like to provide some travel information as it relates to recent COVID-19 Updates.

- Please find all official UF communications and updates archived here: <http://www.ufl.edu/health-updates/>; The University will continue to provide updates. Please continue to monitor your Gatorlink accounts.
 - Exchange Students: Your home universities may also be providing updates. You are encouraged to monitor both channels of communication.
- **Domestic Travel** over Spring Break: As a reminder, you are not required to present immigration documents for travel within the US. It is recommended that you carry these documents with you for out-of-state or extended travel: valid passport, valid I-20 or DS-2019 form.
- **International Travel** over Spring Break:
 - If you have left the US during the Spring Break period, re-entry will require presentation of your valid passport, valid I-20 or DS-2019 form with travel validation, valid visa (exempt for travel under automatic revalidation).
 - **Federal Policy:** The Department of State is communicating updates related to re-entry into the US and COVID-19 on their website via an announcement banner: <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel.html>(Click banner for more information).
 - Re-entry into the US is currently **only** restricted for international visitors that have traveled to China within the last 14 days. Be prepared to show recent travel history via airline/transport tickets, I-94 record/travel history, etc.
 - **University Policy:** *Per University Guidelines – “Based on guidance from the State Surgeon General and the Board of Governors, all students and employees returning from China, Iran, Italy, Japan, and South Korea need to self-quarantine and not return to campus for fourteen days after their return. In addition, UF has cancelled all university travel to those countries. Students who need to self-quarantine should contact the Dean of Students office at umatter@ufl.edu”.*

The UF International Center will continue to provide guidance as it relates to maintenance of your student visa status. You are encouraged to utilize the above-mentioned resources and continue monitoring for updates.