

Gordon State College

COVID-19 Threat Level Categories and Strategies

Level One—Green—Low Threat of Outbreak and/or Spreading

- Healthy Highlander Way
- Monitor Large Unstructured Student Areas (e.g., SARC, Highlander Hall, Residence Hall Common Areas, etc.)
- All modes of Student Classes (i.e., F2F, Hybrid, HyFlex, On-line)
- In-Person Student Programs/Events
- In-Person Athletic Practices & Games
- Implement Random Surveillance Testing of Resident Students and Athletes
- Normal Campus Footprint of Faculty and Staff (e.g., Flex Hours, 1 out of 5 telework)
- Residence Halls – inter hall visitation protocols
- Communicate with Task Force via Weekly Data Reports

Level Two—Yellow—Increased Threat of Outbreak and/or Spreading

- Healthy Highlander Way
- Close Large Unstructured Student Areas (e.g., SARC, Highlander Hall Convert to Takeout only, Residence Hall Common Areas)
- All modes of Student Classes (i.e., F2F, Hybrid, HyFlex, On-line)
- Convert Student Programs to Virtual Only
- Residence Halls – limit to intra-hall visitation
- Suspend Athletic Practices & Games
- Increase Messaging (e.g., Letters, Social Media, etc.)
- Adjust Campus Footprint of Faculty and Staff (e.g., Flex Hours, Staggered Shifts, 1-2 out of 5 telework)
- Convene Task Force to discuss current scenario and additional mitigation strategies (based on context)

Level Three—Orange—Heightened Threat of Outbreak and/or Spreading

- Healthy Highlander Way
- Close Large Unstructured Student Areas (SARC, Highlander Hall Convert to Takeout only)
- Reduced modes of Student Classes (i.e., Hybrid, HyFlex, On-line)
- Residence Halls – Students remain in rooms with no visitation
- Convert Student Programs to Virtual Only
- Suspend Athletic Practices & Games
- Increase Messaging (e.g., Letters, Social Media, etc.)
- Decrease Campus Footprint of Faculty and Staff (e.g., Staggered Shifts, 2-3 out of 5 telework)
- Convene Task Force to discuss current scenario and additional mitigation strategies (based on context)

Level Four—Red—Significant Threat of Outbreak and/or Spreading

(Consultation with USG and DPH on appropriate actions that need to be taken.)

- Healthy Highlander Way
- Close Large Unstructured Student Areas (SARC, Highlander Hall Convert to Takeout only)
- Vacate Residence Halls (as appropriate)
- Single mode of Student Classes (i.e., On-line)
- Student Programs Virtual Only
- Cancel Athletic Practices & Games
- Increase Messaging (e.g., Letters, Social Media, etc.)
- Decrease Campus Footprint of Faculty and Staff (e.g., Telework, Emergency/Essential Personnel List Activated)