



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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July 15, 2020

Dear National University Student,

Over the past few months, National University has enacted a number of changes due to COVID-19, including modified operations at our campuses, as well as the transition of classroom-based courses to online format. We made the decisions prioritizing the health, safety, and well-being of our students, faculty, and staff.

As we continue to see significant increases in the number of cases across California and the nation, we are reminded of our responsibility to ensure a safe environment for our entire community. Considering the recent data and trends of the virus, we have made the decision to postpone the opening of our physical locations. **National University will continue remote operations and the suspension of on-site instruction for most courses until January 2021, and until further notice.**

We are in consultation with our programmatic accreditors and state licensure agencies to pilot and prioritize on-site instruction for various essential worker disciplines, which cannot be taught online per the accreditor/licensure agency. Additionally, we're working closely with our international students on specific hybrid course offerings.

Veteran students will continue receiving the same monthly housing allowance payments they received for resident training through the December term, based on [S. 3503](#).

Additional details and information about our reopening will be forthcoming as this situation evolves. In the meantime, we continue to monitor updates from national, state, and local health authorities, programmatic accreditors, state authorization entities, and licensure boards.

University staff are available to provide ongoing support for our students. Visit NU's [Student Services](#) page for information on resources, or contact [advisor@nu.edu](mailto:advisor@nu.edu) or [veteransaffairs@nu.edu](mailto:veteransaffairs@nu.edu) to schedule meetings online or by phone to address any questions you may have.

We encourage you to follow guidance from public health agencies to help slow the spread of COVID-19. For the latest updates on NU's response to COVID-19, visit [nu.edu/coronavirus](https://nu.edu/coronavirus).

Thank you for your ongoing patience and cooperation, and, please, be safe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "David W. Andrews".

David W. Andrews, Ph.D.  
President