GW COMMITMENT TO HEALTH & WELLBEING

Individually, we commit to...

CARE FOR MYSELF

I will monitor myself for symptoms of COVID-19 and seek appropriate medical attention.

I will engage, as I am able, in routine hygiene practices such as washing my hands regularly with soap and water, using hand sanitizer, and other measures to promote routine cleanliness.

I will receive vaccines as directed by university authorities, to support the health and safety of the GW community, unless an exemption has been granted. This may include the COVID-19 vaccine, flu vaccine, or boosters as they become available.

I will seek clarification and support when I need it, including physical and mental health resources, and will address any difficulties I have with upholding this commitment.

CARE FOR OTHERS

I will maintain appropriate physical distance, when recommended by D.C. Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), especially in group settings, and be mindful that other community members may have particular vulnerabilities.

I will stay home and isolate if I am ill or have been asked by public health authorities to do so.

I will wear a mask or face covering when required on campus and, off-campus, as required by D.C. Health or recommended by the CDC.

I will #RaiseHigh and help others who may be struggling, including kindly reminding others of this commitment when needed.

CARE FOR OUR COMMUNITY

I will take part in cleaning shared or communal spaces as well as my personal belongings and spaces regularly.

I will participate in testing and contact tracing as directed for community wellness.

I will cooperate with directives, including signage from the university and public health officials.

I will support the diverse and valuable identities of the GW community by intervening in or reporting bias-related incidents at diversity.gwu.edu.

Non-compliance with any of the requirements of this policy and processes at go.gwu.edu/covid19 may result in immediate corrective action such as exclusion from campus properties until compliance is achieved, as well as potential disciplinary action.