



Thammasat University Notification
on
Measures and Suggestions on the Prevention and Control of Coronavirus 19 (Covid-19)
(No. 8)

Pursuant to the continuous and extensive spread of coronavirus 2019 (Covid-19) all over the world, on 11 March 2020, the World Health Organization (WHO) declared the outbreak a “pandemic” in the global scale. Moreover, on 21 March 2020, the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration (BMA) has ordered the temporary closure of many places from March 22 to April 12, including all types of educational institutions (according to Item 15 of the BMA Announcement). To reduce infection risks for lecturers, staff, and students from density in Bangkok and vicinity, which may help prevent the spread situations from developing to Stage 3, Thammasat University has measures as follows:

1. Offices at Tha Prachan and Rangsit will be temporarily closed from 22 March – 12 April 2020, during which there will be no operation and official contact. Each office must provide and publicize communication channels during the period and will resume operation on 13 April 2020.
2. All lecturers, staff, and students shall refrain from leaving home premises, going to public places, unnecessary meeting and gathering. Please also closely follow news and announcements from the government and the university.
3. Teaching must be conducted in accordance to the measures under Notification 7, whereby supporting units for teaching and exams provide communication channels and operate online as much as possible, which must be publicized widely and thoroughly to lecturers, staff, and students.
4. There will be no admission exams for both undergrad and graduate degrees during 22 March – 12 April 2020, except for online exams.
5. Item 13 of Notification 7 will be cancelled and replaced by “Work from Home” implementation in accordance with Notification 6.

Office head or assigned authority will assign staff to work at office as per necessary, so as to prevent work interruption.

Staff working on teaching support, VDO conference, safety and security, public health, payroll (salary), procurement will have to come to work at office as to be assigned.

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