May 28, 2021

CSU Pueblo Students, Employees, and University Partners,

The CSU System announced on April 28 that it would require COVID-19 vaccines for employees and students for the Fall 2021 semester, conditioned upon full approval of one or more vaccines by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

This action is in accord with our belief that the science around COVID-19 and the vaccines is clear and compelling, and it is in line with other typical, existing vaccine requirements for students on our campuses. We believe it is also in keeping with the best guidance received from federal, state, and local public health authorities and supports our goal of returning to in-person learning as soon as possible – and to the fullest extent possible – under public health guidelines. Following our current policies for immunizations, and in accordance with state and federal law, once the vaccine is approved by the FDA, students and employees will be able to request an exemption for medical, religious, or personal reasons. Read more here: https://www.csupueblo.edu/coronavirus/vaccinations/index.html.

If you have already been fully-vaccinated (received one J&J vaccine or both shots of either Moderna or Pfizer), CSU Pueblo would like to invite you to voluntarily submit your vaccination information now. Simply take a screenshot of your card, and – using your CSU Pueblo email address – send it to covid@csupueblo.edu. Please include your full name and date of birth in the body of the email.

Your vaccine information, including whether or not you have received the vaccine, will remain private and will be shared on a need-to-know basis only. In the meantime, supervisors, colleagues, coaches, housing employees, instructors, and others should not ask students and employees about their vaccine status.

All vaccination records and Medical or Non-Medical Exemption forms are stored in a HIPAA compliant, secure electronic health care record. Individual information is not shared with any other entity unless required by law. Aggregate data may be shared with Public Health Entities as deemed necessary by the State of Colorado and/or Federal statute.

Have a safe and healthy holiday weekend,
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