Preparing for Spring 2021

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DSL COVID Teams

Other Institute Covid Leadership Teams: Covid Management Team and Covid Decision Team, Res Ed Ops - continue to coordinate with the UA, DormCon, GSC and other stakeholders.

The COVID Coordinating Team

24 Staff from Dining, Housing, Medical, Residential Education, Student Support & Wellbeing coordinate operations.

The COVID Support Team

Team provides logistical, emotional, and academic support to on- and off-campus students testing positive or their close contacts.

The COVID Compliance Team

Team communicates daily with students out of compliance for testing & daily attestations. Refers students for support and/or disciplinary action for lack of compliance.

Undergraduate Housing by the Numbers

- **Total Applications:** 2,818
- **Anticipated Population:** 2,516

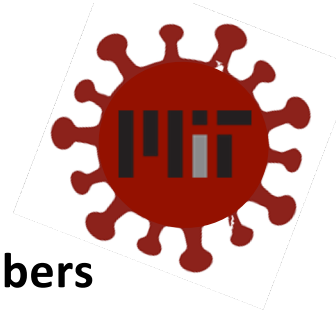
Fy: 957, So: 785, Jr: 483, Sr: 229 (including 80 SHARP Approvals), Return: 21, 41 FSILG

- **Undergraduate Room Types for Spring 2021**
  - 1,432 Singles
  - 430 Doubles (860 students)
  - 330 open rooms = Options to maximize singles, pod lounges, or reservable "touchdown" spaces

Undergraduate Housing	Standard Design Occupancy	Spring Planned Occupancy	Spring 2021 Occupancy as of 1/11/21
10 Houses	3,347	2,290	2,286
Site 4 (Grad Housing)	-	200	189
FSILGs (Pilot x3)*	-	45	41
** BTP, No.6 Club, WILG*	3,347	2,535	2,516

- **Move-in Weekend:** February 13-15
- **February 13:** First-year students arrive
- **February 14-15:** Returning students arrive
  - Students preference arrival to avoid crowding
  - COVID-19 test upon arrival, then check-in to hall
  - Centralized check-in for first-years
  - One guest for first-year move-in; no guests for returning students
  - Movers on-hand to assist
- **Q-Week:** February 13-21
  - February 22: Students may leave quarantine (Pods begin; DAPER & W20 access)
  - March 1: In-person classes
- **Isolation:** Eastgate (centralized) 180+ beds; 36 Distributed for Grads; private residences
- **Contingency planning underway as well**

FSILG Pilot



Purpose

- Adapt Covid protocols & policies for FSILGs
- Assess the impact of reopening FSILGs: student experience, safety & House corp. management

Participating FSILGs (41 students +GRA)

- Beta Theta Pi (Boston fraternity)
- Delta Psi No. Six Club - gender-inclusive fraternity (West campus)
- Women's Independent Living Group (Cambridge)

Occupancy limited to 15 members

Educational "Seminars" & Coaching

- COVID policy implementation
- Meal service
- Supporting positive students and Q-Week
- Cleaning
- Pods

Continued financial support system-wide

Spring 2021 Isolation Locations

Population	
Undergraduate	2333
Graduate*	1400
Total	**3733**

** Estimated # residents in multi-occupant units @ 85% density system-wide*

Isolation Space	Students	Staff
Eastgate (E55)	180+	-
Pi Beta Phi	0	40
Grad Distributed	36	-
Total	**216**	40
	5.8%	

Undergraduate Housing

- Students = Centralized isolation in Eastgate (E55)
- GRAs = isolate in own unit (unless can't be sufficiently separate from residents).

  NOTE: HRS will partner with ResEd to specify in advance if GRAs will need to move
- Heads of House = isolate in own unit
- Area Director = isolate in own unit

Pilot FSILGs

- Students = Centralized isolation in Eastgate (E55)
- GRAs = isolate in own unit (unless can't be sufficiently separate from residents).
- House will be a "super-pod." Positive cases will be removed to isolate in Eastgate (E55). Remainder of residents will quarantine in place.

Graduate Housing

(graduate and undergraduate students)

Distributed isolation:

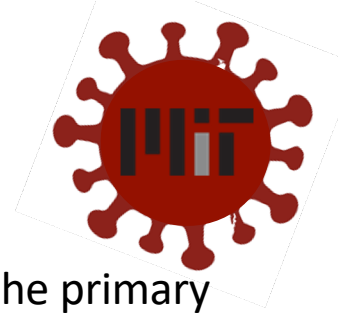
- Students living in own unit with private bath & kitchen = isolate in own unit
- Students living in shared multi-occupant apartment /dormitory-style housing = isolate in designated distributed spaces in their residence hall

  NOTE: This may be altered if roommates are all away.
- Heads of House = isolate in own unit

MIT Essential Personnel/Staff

- Pi Beta Phi (W51C 405 Memorial Dr.)

Student Spaces, Programs & Services



Food Service: Lunch served in W20 after Q-week; Undergraduate houses serve as the primary meal plan locations, with W20 a secondary location for preorder; managing service queues & limited seating ; BA & RA teaming up (redundancy).

DAPER: 25% capacity; indoor reservable space & outdoor activities (10 max); free online recreation (Recreation Movement); limited conditioning & training for Varsity/Club; *Current hours* of operation Main: M-F 7a -9p, Sat - Sun 12 -7p Alumni/Wang: M-F 7a-9p. Spring Hours – TBD & access limited (initially) to campus residents & students in COVID pass.

W20 & CAC Spaces: W20 open M-F 7a - 4p, no weekends & access limited to campus residents, FSILG pilot, and meal plan holders; modified traffic patterns & limited seating for individual dining (20-30 min); Meal Hours: 11a - 2:30p for pre-order pickup; Dunkin' open M-F 7a - 4p; access to student organization spaces by appointment only (CAC and SOLE).

Covid Support Team: Isolation or Quarantining

- Initial mini-consultation & share guidelines
- Connect with academic support
- Medical consult as needed
- Meal delivery, laundry, trash, packages
- Share resources (Staying Well, S3 Help Queue, ask.mit.edu)
- Reminder:https://studentlife.mit.edu/support/faculty-staff

Isolation kit provided to all students on-campus who are in isolation or in quarantine