



## COVID and Flu Shot Updates: 12 November 2020

Dear Students,

We hope you are well. This email is a follow-up to last week's announcement about regional warning levels as well as an update on available flu shots in Italy.

In September, JCU ordered flu-shots for the University population based on the requests from students, staff, and faculty. As of this time, the Italian authorities are prioritizing immunization for front-line healthcare workers and the most vulnerable demographics and therefore have not made flu shots available to private institutions. JCU is continuing to inquire with our distributor. If and when JCU is issued a supply of flu-shots, we will proceed with appointments for inoculation as soon as possible.

JCU is monitoring for any updates to government mandates, both national and regional directives, that may further impact movement around the region and throughout the country. We will inform the community if and when new information is published.

We would also like to take this opportunity to update you on the current risk levels of the various regions:

- **Yellow Zone** : Campania, Emilia Romagna, Friuli Venezia Giulia, **Lazio**, Marche, Molise, Provincia autonoma di Trento, Sardegna, Veneto.
- **Orange Zone** : Abruzzo, Basilicata, Liguria, Puglia, Sicilia, Toscana, Umbria.
- **Red Zone** : Calabria, Lombardia, Piemonte, Valle d'Aosta, Provincia autonoma di Bolzano.

Although travel is permitted between yellow zones, the status of regions may change quickly, so we strongly advise that all personal travel be limited to the region of Lazio (unless of course you have an urgent health or work need or are permanently returning home to your region/country of residency).

As a reminder, for those living in JCU housing, if you choose to travel outside Lazio during the semester, and IF upon re-entry to Rome you are obligated to produce a negative COVID swab test or quarantine for 14 days, you cannot return to JCU housing until you have complied with these testing and quarantine requirements. Students cannot quarantine in JCU housing for personal travel reasons during the Fall 2020 semester.

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