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Introduction to the WUR COVID-19 roadmap 25 March – National risk level 4: Severe with lockdown

We expect easing of the corona measures in the near future. This means we will move between stages with changing guidelines. To provide a concise overall perspective, we have developed the WUR roadmap. This WUR roadmap is a translation and specification of the administrator's version divulged by the national government on 2 February 2021 and the 2021 Roadmap for higher education, university colleges and secondary vocational education of December 2020.

The WUR Roadmap is firmly based on the government roadmap. The Corona Protocol for universities was used for the more specific guidelines with regard to education. In some respects, this protocol is stricter than the rules that apply in the private domain, as these rules affect the safety and health of our students and staff.

The roadmap will be updated (if needed) to accommodate changes in the government roadmap, as well as alterations in the national or VSNU guidelines. Moreover, in the instruction, a more detailed description is provided of how WUR is affected. This instruction is always updated to follow the government measures that are announced in a press conference. The effect of vaccinations and the possible use of rapid (self) tests (as will likely be available from 26 April as reported in the press conference of 23 March) will be included in the roadmap when appropriate.

Use

These more general guidelines for WUR should provide a sufficient basis for implementation at department or outpost level, which opens the way for a more tailored set of measures per location, with permission from the management. This roadmap is designed primarily for use by WUR-managers. The roadmap is the same for WU and WR. The prevailing risk level is always the risk level as indicated by the national government.

Avoiding contact moments by striving for a maximum spread across time and space remains the tenet. This applies to both travel movements to and from buildings, as well as inside the buildings. For Wageningen Campus, this applies to the campus in its entirety, while in other locations, the local situation must be observed. Achieving a maximum spread across space and time may mean extended opening hours.

The WUR roadmap uses the “**maximum corona capacity**”, which is determined by the air filtration capacity of buildings in combination with the social distancing requirement.

Different guidelines for group size may apply for course education than for research or other educational activities within WUR.

The health and safety of our staff and students are our main priority.

General WUR Rules/guidelines during Corona – 1,5 meter Society. Version 25-03-2021

| In addition to the government COVID-measures | National risk level 1 Caution | National risk level 2 Concern | National risk level 3 Serious | National risk level 4 Severe |
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| | | | | <i>During curfew WUR-buildings close at the latest 1 hour before curfew time.</i> |
| WORKING | Work partly at home | Work mainly at home | Work as much as possible at home | Work at home, unless... |
| | Meet partly on-line | Meet mainly on-line | Meet on-line (except informal chats while working on location) | Meetings on-line (except informal chats while working on location) |
| | Max 100% corona-occupancy for offices and meeting rooms (of MCC ¹) of the building) | Max 75% corona-occupancy for offices and meeting rooms. (of MCC ¹) of the building) | Max 50 % corona-occupancy for offices and meeting rooms (of MCC ¹) of the building) | Minimal corona-occupancy for office. Use of meeting rooms only in exceptional circumstances and only with approval of management. |
| | Max. Corona. Lab. capacity can be used in relation to allowed MCC offices. | Max. Corona Lab. capacity can be used in relation to allowed MCC offices. | Max. Corona Lab. capacity can be used in relation to MCC offices. | Max. Corona Lab. capacity can be used in relation to MCC offices. |
| | Limited Visitors | Max 3 visitors without permission of management | Max 3 visitors without permission of management | No visitors (except for example maintenance, construction people, and other exceptions) |
| ENCOUNTERS IN PUBLIC PLACES (numbers according | Only small events (number of people according to central | Only small events (number of people according to central | No events on campus, except (blended) AID | No events on campus |

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| to government measures) | government), bigger events preferably off-campus ²⁾ | government) preferably off-campus ²⁾ | | |
| TRAVELING ABROAD | Travel according WUR travel policy. | Travel according WUR travel policy. | Travel according WUR travel policy. | International travel according to travel policy of WUR. During lockdown: No international travel |
| FIELD RESEARCH | Field research within the national Corona-restrictions | Field research within the national Corona-restrictions | Field research within the national Corona-restrictions | Essential field research within the national Corona-restrictions |
| RESTAURANTS AND EVENTS | Catering organised within the national Corona-restrictions. | Catering organised within the national Corona-restrictions. | Catering organised within the national Corona-restrictions. | Grab & Go on campus |
| NON-REGULAR EDUCATION | No non-regular education on campus. (WA, WCD and others from WUR) | No non-regular education on campus (WA, WCD and others from WUR) | No non-regular physical education (WA, WCDI and others from WUR) only online education. | No non-regular physical education (WA, WCDI and others from WUR) - only online education. |

Specific for Wageningen Education

| In addition to the government COVID-measures | National Risk level 1 Caution | National risk level 2 Concern | National risk level 3 Serious | National risk level 4 Severe |
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| All on campus education takes place at 1.5 m distance | | | | <i>In case of lockdown only practical education and exams on campus. During curfew WUR-buildings close at the latest 1 hour before curfew time, except for exams.</i> |
| EDUCATION | Students can do some lab work within the Corona measures. | Students can do some lab work within the Corona measures. | Students can do some lab work within the Corona measures. | Students can do some lab work within the Corona measures. |
| | Meaningful interaction with students fitting within the corona capacity. | Meaningful interaction with students fitting within the corona capacity. | Meaningful interaction with students fitting within the corona capacity. | Meaningful interaction with students fitting within the corona capacity ³⁾ (<i>not in case of Lockdown</i>). |
| | Max. Corona Lab. Practical capacity can be used for practical education. | Max. Corona. Lab. Practical capacity can be used for practical education. | Max. Corona Lab. Practical capacity can be used for practical education. | Max. Corona Lab. Practical capacity can be used for practical education. |
| | On-campus exams where possible, online alternative available for students with symptoms off sickness. | On-campus exams where possible, online alternative available for students with symptoms off sickness. | On-campus exams where possible, online alternative available for students with symptoms off sickness. | On-campus exams where possible, online alternative available for students with symptoms off sickness. |
| | ACT ⁴⁾ on location group meetings. | Some ACT on location group meetings. | Some ACT on location group meetings. | Limited ACT on location group meetings ³⁾ (<i>not in case of Lockdown</i>). |
| STUDY PLACES | Study places in library and other locations according to | Study places in library and other locations | Study places in library and other locations | Study places in library and other locations according |

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| | Corona capacity based on reservation of time-blocks. | according to Corona capacity based on reservation of time-blocks. | according to Corona capacity based on reservation of time-blocks. | to Corona capacity based on reservation of time-blocks . |
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| TRAVELING ABROAD | International travel according to travel policy of WUR. | International travel according to travel policy of WUR. | International travel according to travel policy of WUR. | International travel according to travel policy of WUR. During lockdown: No international travel |
| FIELD WORK AND EXCURSIONS | Multi day fieldwork and excursions: can be organised (with 1.5m distance) except to Corona- orange or -red regions. | Multi day fieldwork and excursions: can be organised (with 1.5m distance) in Europe, except in Corona- orange or red regions. | Multi day field work and excursions: can be organised (with 1.5m distance) in the Netherlands | Essential field work and excursions: can be organised (with 1.5m distance) in the Netherlands (not in case of Lockdown). |
| PhD | PhD Thesis defence if desired in auditorium with limited audience and no reception (otherwise on-line). | PhD Thesis defence if desired in auditorium with limited audience and no reception (otherwise on-line). | PhD Thesis defence if desired in auditorium with limited audience (< 30 p.) and no reception (otherwise on-line). | PhD Thesis defence if desired in auditorium with limited audience (< 30 p.) and no reception (otherwise on-line) (not in case of Lockdown) ⁵⁾ |
| | Inaugurations in auditorium with limited audience and no reception. | Inaugurations in auditorium with limited audience and no reception. | No inaugurations. | No inaugurations. |

¹⁾ The "Maximum Corona Capacity" (MCC) of an individual space is determined by the 1.5-meter measure and summed this leads to the MCC per building. Exception applies to buildings that do not meet the minimum requirement of the building regulations (roughly approx. 30.5 m³ fresh air per hour per person). The capacity is indicated per room.

²⁾ To avoid overcrowding on Wageningen Campus

³⁾ Extra information about measures for students can be found on the [Factsheet Education](#)

⁴⁾ ACT – Academic Consultancy Training (and alike)

⁵⁾ Use of larger meeting rooms (for the candidate and the two paranimphs) in SG-buildings is permitted