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Good afternoon everyone,

There have been some changes to campus protocols in relation to COVID, so this is just a quick update to put us all on the same page regarding reporting. There is no longer a campus protocol for notifying Library HR or Illinois Human Resources when an employee will be absent due to COVID. All employees (permanent or hourly) must inform the employing unit of their absence, but do not need to share specific health information. Please follow unit specific guidelines for reporting absences due to illness.

Some additional campus information that may be helpful:

University of Illinois COVID-19 Information Page: <https://covid19.illinois.edu/>

- The federal government's COVID-19 national emergency declaration ended April 10, 2023. Therefore, the Illini-Alert emergency notification issued March 21, 2020, regarding the national emergency has been discontinued.
- The Champaign-Urbana Public Health District continues to be the primary source of health information on COVID-19 for our community. Please visit their website for updates: <https://www.c-uphd.org/>

HEALTH RESOURCES

- If you have a health emergency, please contact 911.
- If you do test positive for COVID-19, follow the current guidance from the CDC: <https://www.cdc.gov/>
- If you are a student and have a non-emergency health question, please contact McKinley Health Center: <https://www.mckinley.illinois.edu/>
- If you are a faculty or staff member and have a non-emergency health question, please contact your primary care physician.

Thanks all, I hope everyone has a great week. Please contact Library HR at libraryhr@library.illinois.edu if you have any questions.

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