

## COVID-19 DISINFECTION PROTOCOLS: FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **How is the university cleaning and disinfecting buildings across campus?**

In alignment with public health recommendations by the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#), Nova Southeastern University is taking measures to prevent community spread of COVID-19, which includes undertaking enhanced disinfection procedures in communal areas across campus. High-touch points such as building entrances, elevators and other common areas are cleaned on a more frequent basis.

### **I have not seen additional presence of custodial staff; when is cleaning happening?**

Most cleaning will continue to be conducted when campus activity is low (i.e. late evening to early morning) to reduce instances of person-to-person interaction and disruption to campus operations. Please contact your Building Manager specific areas for review.

### **What disinfectant is the university using?**

NSU uses an EPA-registered, healthcare-rated disinfectant to clean and disinfect campus buildings (Virex II 256).

### **What is the responsibility of individual NSU staff members?**

All personnel must follow the [Faculty and Staff Safety Guidelines](#) for physical distancing and face-covering in all common areas. Please assist us as we strive for a healthier environment by cleaning high-touch areas in your personal and shared workspaces throughout the day. *NSU staff can request additional disinfecting supplies through the NSU School Dude work order system. Supply chains remain stressed, so availability is limited. We will work on fulfilling all requests in a timely manner. For any emergencies, please notify your Building Manager directly.*

### **Are electrostatic spraying/fogging disinfectants being used, and how often?**

Electrostatic spraying to disinfect communal areas will happen on a frequent basis across campus on a staggered schedule, overnights. If your division or department would like additional electrostatic treatments, please place a work order. Electrostatic treatment can take anywhere from 5 hours to 10 hours depending on the size of the areas area to be disinfected.

### **What is the difference between cleaning and disinfecting?**

**CLEANING** uses detergents to physically remove germs, dirt, and other impurities from surfaces and objects. This process does not necessarily kill germs but lowers their numbers and the risk of spreading infection. Cleaning is most appropriate for all contact surfaces, especially high-touch surfaces.

**DISINFECTING** works by using chemicals to kill germs on surfaces or objects. Most EPA-registered disinfectants contain both disinfectant and detergency, and is therefore a critical step in the enhanced cleaning process.



**How do we get additional hand sanitizer in our building?**

NSU has expanded distribution and placement of hand sanitizer stations containing alcohol-based hand sanitizer throughout campus. These stations are routinely located in high-traffic building entrances. Although hand sanitizer can help prevent the spread of the virus, practicing the [CDC's proper hand-washing technique](#) is most effective. Please contact your respective Building Manager for questions about hand sanitizing stations in your area.

**Who do we contact if we have questions or concerns about the advanced cleaning procedures?**

Please contact your respective Building Manager.

Building Manager - Regional South Ana Ramirez Clero - (305) 587-5215 (ramiana@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
East Campus Alumni Hall	Regional South
East Campus Tower	Regional South
Kendall (Miami)	Regional South
Miramar	Regional South
Museum of Art	Regional South
North Miami Beach Clinic	Regional South
NRI Museum Plaza	Regional South
Ocean - Forman Building	Regional South
Ocean - Guy Harvey Oceanographic Center	Regional South
Ocean - Mellon Building	Regional South
Ocean - Shure Building	Regional South
Puerto Rico SEC	Regional South
West Palm Beach SEC	Regional South

Building Manager - South Victoria Myer - (954) 397-8922 (vmyer@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
Commons Residence Hall	South
Cultural Living Center Residence Hall	South
Don Taft University Center	South
Farquhar Residence Hall	South
Founders Residence Hall	South
Gessner Field	South
Leo Goodwin Sr Residence Hall	South
Mako Residence Hall	South
Pete Witschen Annex	South
Residence Hall Garage	South
Rolling Hills Residence Hall A	South
Rolling Hills Residence Hall B	South
Rolling Hills Residence Hall C	South
Rosenthal	South
Vettel Residence Hall	South

Building Manager - North Henry Mesa - 954-448-6564 (hmesa@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
HPD Annex	North
HPD Assembly Building I	North
HPD Assembly Building II	North
HPD Chiller Plant	North
HPD Dental Building	North
HPD Library/Laboratory Building	North
HPD Parking Garage	North
HPD Ziff Health Care Center	North
Terry Administration Building	North
Zone 2 Plant	North
Softball Field/AD Griffin Building	North

Building Manager - Regional North Stacy-Ann Payne - (813) 233-6363 (sp956@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
Fort Myers SEC	Regional North
Jacksonville	Regional North
Orlando	Regional North
Tampa Bay (Clearwater)	Regional North

Building Manager - East Candice Leaty - 954-536-1895 (leaty@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
Alvin Sherman Library / Miniaci	East
ASL Parking Garage	East
Carl DeSantis Building	East
Horvitz Building	East
Mailman Hollywood Building	East
Mailman Hollywood Blockhouse	East
Maltz Psychology	East
NSU Bookstore	East
Parker Building	East
Parker Science Annex	East
Shepard Broad Law Center	East
Student Affairs Building	East

Building Manager - West Damien Simmons - (954) 504-0875 (damien@nova.edu)	
Building Name	Zone
6100 Griffin Road	West
Administrative Service Center	West
Aquatic Center	West
Athletic Support Bldg	West
Auto Nation Field	West
AutoNation Auditorium Building	West
Bessner Baseball Field	West
Campus Support Building	West
Center for Collaborative Research	West
Family Center Village	West
Gloria Dei Property	West
Houses (#19 - #26)	West
Noel P Brown Sports Center-North	West
Noel P Brown Sports Center-South	West
Robert S. Lafferty SR. Central Energy Plant	West
Rolling Hills Offices	West
University Park Plaza	West
U-Sch Lower School Bldg	West
U-Sch Middle School Bldg	West
U-Sch Upper School Sonken Bldg	West
West Parking Garage	West
Wolf Field	West

