

**THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG**Guidelines on Infection Control Measures for In-person Examinations (effective from December 29, 2022)

1. Candidates, examiners and invigilators with the following conditions should not attend any examination or perform invigilation duties at the examination venues and should consult a doctor immediately:
  - (a) Fever (body temperature of 38°C or above); or
  - (b) Any respiratory symptoms: e.g. cough, fatigue, shortness of breath, etc.; or
  - (c) Sudden loss of taste or smell.
2. In addition, candidates, examiners and invigilators should not attend the examination or perform invigilation duties at the examination venues if they:
  - (a) are tested positive for COVID-19 with either the Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) or the Polymerase Chain Reaction test (PCR); or
  - (b) are required by the HKSAR Government to undergo compulsory quarantine on the day of the examination.
3. Candidates, examiners and invigilators whose household member(s) is/are tested positive for COVID-19 should follow the Government's health advice and self-monitor their health conditions [https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/health\\_advice\\_living\\_same\\_household\\_with\\_persons.pdf](https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/health_advice_living_same_household_with_persons.pdf). They should not attend the examination if any of the conditions described above arises.
4. Candidates, examiners and invigilators should check their body temperature before leaving for the examination venue. Their body temperature will be checked before they are allowed to enter the examination venues. Those whose body temperature reaches 38°C will have their temperature checked again after a brief rest. If the re-taken body temperature is still at or above 38°C, they should be asked to leave the examination venue and consult a doctor immediately.
5. Candidates who cannot attend an examination due to the circumstances described above should complete the [Form of Medical Certificate](#) and present the relevant supporting documents/proofs (e.g. isolation order issued by the Centre for Health Protection) to report their absence and apply for a supplementary examination (if applicable).
6. All candidates, examiners and invigilators should put on face masks before entering the examination venues and clean their hands with the hand sanitizer provided at the entrance of the venues. They should wear the mask throughout the whole period of time they are inside the examination venues. Those who require a replacement may approach the staff at the entrance of the examination venues.
7. Candidates are separated from each other by a radial distance of at least one metre in the examination venues.
8. Eating or drinking is not allowed in the examination venues.
9. After the examination, candidates will be instructed to leave the examination venue in batches and avoid over-crowding in the exits of the examination venues.
10. Good indoor ventilation should be maintained in the examination venues.