



KAPPA ALPHA THETA

COVID-19 HOUSING SAFETY PLAN

Kappa Alpha Theta Fraternity Housing Corporation (FHC) is committed to maintaining a clean environment, but we also want to acknowledge that it is up to each member to do their part to prevent the spread of the virus. We will provide the tools needed for members to create a safe living environment. Regarding community living, the FHC recommends that each house follow the University directives about the number of members living in each room. In some cases, this could mean single rooms, and in other cases there may be no change to the number of members living in. The FHC will work with each of our chapters to find a solution that fits their campus. A separate food service plan will be shared for each house that has a meal plan.

The FHC will incorporate the following protocols in our managed facilities and we recommend that local facility corporation boards do the same.

- Installation of hand sanitizing stations in entryway and dining area and any additional high traffic area.
- Increased cleaning of high touch surfaces in common areas including bathrooms.
- Increased availability to antibacterial wipes so members can clean door handles and faucets after use.
- Where possible beds will be at least 6 ft apart and we ask that members sleep head to toe if sharing a room.

The following are resident recommendations.

- The FHC recommends members self-screen (take their own temperature) daily.
- The FHC recommends that members wear a mask in common areas of the house.

If a member, or someone they know, is experiencing symptoms or tests positive for COVID-19, they should take the following actions. First, the member should follow all state and university guidelines for reporting and also report the information to the advisory board chairman, CEO, and FHC property manager (or FCB president if the facility is not managed by FHC).

Members will not be able to self-quarantine inside a Theta house. The following steps are recommended in this order:

1. Member returns to permanent home for at least two weeks and until symptoms are gone.
2. Member works with the University to move to a spot designated for students to self-quarantine.
3. If the first two options are unavailable, the member would work with the FHC property manager to secure an alternate accommodation.

Guest policy

For guests to visit the facility the chapter would need to vote unanimously to allow visitors. The FHC highly encourages chapters to adopt a no guest policy to reduce the chance of the virus entering the building. FHC acknowledges that out of house members will need to visit the facility for activities such as meetings and picking up their meal. Out of house members are allowed to visit the facility, but we recommend that they self-screen for a fever and wear a mask.