COVID-19 Protocol: Visitors on Campus

Trent University is placing restrictions on visitors attending our campuses to keep our communities safe. The University values the contributions that visitors bring to our academic community and anticipates in-person events and conferences will be offered on a limited basis for the duration of the fall term, consistent with provincial and local health unit guidelines.

Procedures for Trent University Visitors:

1. Mandatory COVID-19 Daily Screening: In accordance with Ontario Government regulations (O.Reg. 364/20), all visitors invited by members of the Trent community to one of Trent’s campuses must complete a mandatory COVID-19 screening each day before arriving on campus. Trent’s online screening tool for visitors and contractors can be found at trentu.ca/screen.

2. Mandatory use of Face Coverings: In accordance with Ontario Government regulations (O.Reg. 364/20), all persons who enter or remain in the indoor spaces of Trent University, or in outdoor spaces where physical distancing cannot be maintained, are required to wear a face covering that covers the nose, mouth, and chin.

3. Vaccination: All individuals coming to campus must be fully vaccinated or have an approved accommodation for exemption, in accordance with Trent University’s Vaccine Requirement Policy.
   - Visitors, contractors, tenants, Athletics Centre community members, individuals taking non-credit courses, and any other individuals regularly coming to campus will be expected to meet Trent’s Vaccine Requirement and will affirm such by way of a completed attestation (see page 2 for attestation).
   - Visitors to the Trent University Athletics Centre, to one of the many food service locations available on Trent’s campuses, and to events held on campus are able to use Ontario’s Enhanced COVID-19 Vaccine Certificate with QR Code and Verify Ontario App, to verify proof of vaccination, if preferred.

NOTE: Personal health information, including attestations and other proofs of vaccination collected by Trent, will be stored in accordance with Trent’s FIPA policy and the Personal Health Information Act. All data and files are uploaded and stored on Trent secured servers. Aggregate and non-identifying data will be reported to the Ministry as required.

For events, please also see Trent University’s Sanctioned Events Policy.
Visitor Attestation

Trent University is committed to protecting the health and safety of our employees, students, and the communities in which we operate.

In keeping with the commitment set out above, and in accordance with guidelines set out by the Ministry of Colleges and Universities, Trent University has implemented a vaccine policy at both campuses. All students, staff and faculty who study or work at Trent’s campuses are required to be fully vaccinated, or have an approved accommodation for exemption, to continue coming to campus. Those with an approved accommodation are subject to at least weekly testing and must test negative to continue coming to campus.

The policy extends to contract workers, volunteers, visitors, vendors, contractors, subcontractors, and tenants who are present at any premises, indoor or outdoor, which are owned or operated by Trent University.

For clarity, if an individual is subject to more stringent COVID-19 vaccination requirements by a government entity or regulator, then those requirements must be followed instead.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice by signing below and emailing the document to your contact at Trent University, confirming you will take appropriate steps to ensure you meet Trent University’s COVID-19 vaccination requirement, and that you will comply with any more stringent COVID-19 vaccination requirements which may apply to you.

If Trent University becomes aware that you have failed to comply with this COVID-19 vaccination policy then, in addition to any other remedies available to Trent University at law, your personnel will no longer be permitted on premises owned or operated by Trent University, effective immediately.

Name: __________________________________

Phone Number: ____________________________

Email Address: ______________________________

I affirm the following:

I am aware of and will meet Trent University’s COVID-19 vaccination requirement and will comply with any more stringent COVID-19 vaccination requirements, which may apply to me.

Signature: ________________________________

Date: ________________________________