**What to do as a STUDENT if coronavirus (COVID-19) is suspected or at risk contact – ten commandments:**

1. If you suspect coronavirus (COVID-19) - the most common symptoms of fever, fatigue, dry cough, joint and muscle pain, do not go to school or the public (!), Stay at home and **contact your doctor by telephone as soon as possible and follow the instructions according to his/her recommendation.**
2. If your doctor decides that **you need to pass the RT-PCR test for COVID-19**, he/she will issue you an electronic request for a COVID-19 test.
3. With the request, you can **visit a testing centre** without booking, but it is recommended to contact the relevant testing centre by phone and check its current capacity before your visit.
4. **Do not go to school or the public and stay at home** until the test result is announced. If you live in dormitories, inform the manager of your dormitory about the facts that have occurred.
5. **In the case of a positive test**, immediately report this fact to the email address karantena@vse.cz and, due to the excuse of not attending the lesson, also email your study assistant (programme´s coordinator), including the duration of the ordered home isolation. If you live in a dormitory, inform the dormitory manager immediately. Also inform your classmates with whom you have been in contact for a longer time without respiratory protection and without observing min. distance of 1.5 meters and notify the relevant courses with their idents to the email address karantena@vse.cz. Positive test results are reported by the laboratories to the relevant hygiene station, which will probably contact you.
6. **Home isolation can only be completed by your doctor** (general practitioner).
7. **Send a confirmation of the end of home isolation by email to your study assistant** (programme´s coordinator).

8. If you have been informed by a classmate **that he/she has undergone the RT-PCR test with a positive result for COVID-19**, the following rule applies:

• vaccinated and those who have contracted COVID-19 and no more than 180 days have elapsed since the first positive test:

* if they are asymptomatic, they do not have to pass the RT-PCR test for covid-19 and do not even have to quarantine;
* if they have symptoms, they must pass the RT-PCR test for COVID-19.

• non-vaccinated are obliged to enter the quarantine, in which case the same procedure applies as in case of illness, i.e. due to the excuse of not attending the lessons, the students inform their study assistant, who registers the quarantine period as an excuse in InSIS, Quarantine is ordered by an employee of the relevant hygiene station or special tracing call centre. However, there are large number of cases of infection and before the tracing centre or hygiene station calls you, you may already be infectious. Therefore, be considerate and remain in quarantine voluntarily. Contact your doctor and follow his instructions.

1. **In the case of COVID-19 disease**, the student is governed (as in the case of other diseases) by the [Study and Examination Rules](https://www.vse.cz/english/about-vse/information-and-regulations/study-and-examination-rules/) (Article 11 Impediments to Fulfilment of Obligations).

10. ***Please always keep in mind that strict adherence to increased hygienic and all currently valid preventive measures protects not only you, but also your surroundings and your loved ones. Although, according to the currently valid preventive measures, it is not mandatory to wear respiratory protective equipment during lessons, consider, depending on the situation, whether it would not be appropriate to use respiratory protective equipment.***