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Comprehensive COVID-19 Care Plan

The Indian School of Business and Finance (ISBF) considers the safety of its students to be of paramount importance, whether on campus or in its hostel. In line with this, since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, we have strictly adhered to government advisories and guidelines to prevent any cases of infection from arising.

Even after opening up briefly for out-of-class work in mid-February 2021, we have maintained [strict health and safety protocols at the campus](#) and [at the hostel](#) in order to provide a sanitized, safe and productive environment for all students. And we are happy to report that there have been no known cases of COVID-19 infections so far among students coming to campus.

Nevertheless, while we work hard to prevent COVID-19 infections, we have also prepared ourselves for the eventuality of a student getting infected on campus or in the hostel, by drafting a Comprehensive COVID-19 Care Plan, which is detailed below.

The COVID-19 Care Plan

- Should any student develop symptoms for COVID-19 on campus, they will immediately be isolated in a Quarantine Room to monitor their vital parameters (fever, oxygen and blood pressure). If the symptoms are confirmed, they will be asked to go back home (if they are not hostel residents) to isolate and test themselves for COVID-19. The college authorities will continue to remain in touch with the student, in order to ensure that they return to campus only after they have recovered fully and tested negative for COVID-19. If the student with symptoms is a hostel resident, they will be isolated in the hostel Quarantine Room.
- Should any student develop symptoms while in the ISBF hostel, the Hostel Caretaker will immediately move them into isolation in the Quarantine Room to monitor vital parameters and confirm symptoms.
- If symptoms are confirmed for a hostel resident, the Hostel Caretaker will immediately notify parents and the next step would be to proceed to conduct a COVID-19 diagnostic RT-PCR test, with the consent of the parents and the student.
- For COVID-19 RT-PCR testing, ISBF has a tie-up with National Heart Institute, whereby the appointment for this test can be fast-tracked. Alternative testing centres / path labs may also be used as per the advice of the student's parents.
- If the test is positive, the student will remain in the hostel Quarantine Room for the duration of the infection. The concerned local health and government authorities will also be informed as per the directives in place at the time.
- Teleconsultation with a doctor will be arranged for the said student. Further diagnostic tests and medication will be arranged accordingly. Teleconsultation may continue with the consent of the student and parents.



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- The student will remain in quarantine until they recover fully and test negative for COVID-19. During their isolation, the Hostel Caretaker will ensure that all the standard quarantine protocols are followed and that the student's parents are kept updated on the student's health.
- If the student develops serious symptoms at any point during the quarantine period, they may be admitted to a healthcare facility / hospital as per the advice of the doctor and the student's parents. For this purpose, ISBF has a tie-up with National Heart Institute (see below for details) – parents may avail of this after consulting the ISBF Chief Operating Officer (COO). ISRA residents may also wish to proceed with treatment as per their ICICI health insurance policy (see below for details).
- All testing, treatment and other medical expenses must be borne by the student concerned and/or their parents. This will be communicated clearly by the Hostel Caretaker at the onset, and necessary financial arrangements must be made by the student and/or parents.

Treatment Tie-up with National Heart Institute

ISBF has tied up with National Heart Institute, East of Kailash, one of New Delhi's premier hospitals, to provide its students with prioritization for testing as well as admission for treatment, where needed. This applies for both COVID-19 and any other illnesses. Students will also receive a discount on treatment and testing for illnesses other than COVID-19.

Comprehensive Health Insurance Policy (including COVID-19 cover) with ICICI

ISBF offers a comprehensive ICICI health insurance package, which also covers COVID-19, exclusively for its students. This insures students for a sum assured of INR 3 lakh, against a highly subsidized annual premium of INR 2,500 only. It is compulsory for all ISBF Hostel residents to purchase this policy. Click here to see the [details of the policy](#).