



Office of the
President



October 7, 2021

Dear Colleagues,

After careful and thoughtful deliberation, at last night's meeting, the Board of Trustees approved revisions to [Board Policy 2905](#), implementing a mandatory COVID-19 vaccination program that becomes effective January 3, 2022. The Board's top priority continues to be the health and safety of our students and employees, as well as the ability to operate our campus in the safest manner possible during this pandemic.

The Coordinating Committee will consider revisions to Administrative Procedure 2905 to reflect this new mandate at their meeting on [October 11, 2021](#). The draft administrative procedure as well as the medical and religious exemption documents can be viewed in [BoardDocs](#). These exemption documents will also be added to the COVID-19 website. A detailed email will be sent to students and employees on how to submit an exemption request.

Where to Get Vaccinated

- The Student Health Services offers the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine by appointment. Call (562) 860-2451 extension 2321 (press option 3) to schedule.
- Visit [California All](#) for more information about vaccinations.

Reminder notifications will be sent frequently to upload vaccination verification by January 2, 2022. I sincerely appreciate the collaboration of everyone as we work together to keep our campus community safe. Please let me know if you have questions.

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