

Dear Carolinas College Alumnus,

With all this social distancing we're doing – we felt the need to connect with you, our college alumni. We want to make you aware of the measures the college has put in place due to the COVID-19 virus. More importantly, we want you to know we are here for you as well, particularly for those who may be part of the high-risk population. We may be able to help personally, or, if not, we will do everything we can to connect you to the proper community resources. Please do not hesitate to email or call me with questions, concerns or needs. (704) 609-1542
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CAROLINAS COLLEGE RESPONSE TO COVID-19

Visit our [Emergency Response Page](#) for all the latest updates.

- As of Monday, March 16 all course content is being delivered online and students are not permitted on campus. Therefore, we have a very limited number of administrative teammates on our physical campus. Badge access is required to enter the building, and we cannot accommodate on-site visitors at this time. If you know the email address or extension of the person to whom you need to speak, continue to use those methods of communication. All others are asked to submit requests for information by email or phone. For your convenience, contact information is provided below:

Admissions: admissions@cchsmail.org or call (704) 355-5051
Financial Aid: financialaid@cchsmail.org or call (704) 355-5486
Registrar: registrar@cchsmail.org or call (704) 355-5051

- All non-essential meetings have been canceled or converted to Skype format.
- In cooperation with Atrium Health Medical Education and the EOC, a decision has been made to limit access to clinical experiences for nursing and allied health students with the exception of those students close to graduation. This extends to students expected to graduate in May or August. Program chairs and faculty will communicate specific plans directly with students.
- As of Thursday, March 19, only critical leadership and student affairs staff will be on site.

Many of you may be wondering how this will affect our students who are scheduled to graduate in May. The answer is that we are not sure at this moment. But we are working hard to limit the impact and to ensure our students graduate on time and prepared, as always, to enter the healthcare workforce. It is particularly important during this emergent time that our graduates are available for the workforce needs of Atrium Health.

We are happy to answer any questions you may have about these measures.

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