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NUS Staff and Students

**COVID-19: UPDATE ON VACCINATION-DIFFERENTIATED SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES (VDS) FOR **CET STUDENTS****

We thank all staff and students for continuing to work closely with us as we progressively resume more on-campus activities, in line with all prevailing Safe Management Measures (SMMs).

In [Circular 1/2022](#), we provided updates on VDS which is applicable as an entry requirement to NUS campuses from **1 February 2022**. All individuals (including visitors) entering the campus will need to be vaccinated, medically ineligible for vaccination, or have recovered from COVID-19 in the last 180 days.

Pre-Employment Training students are, however, exempted from VDS.

**A. Revised VDS for CET Students**

- As MOE is currently reviewing the implementation of VDS for students in Institutions of Higher Learning (IHL), **all enrolled students, i.e. Pre-Employment Training (PET) as well as Continuing Education and Training (CET) students<sup>1</sup>, will be exempted from the VDS requirement to enter campus for now, until further notice**. Further updates will be provided subsequently.

A summary of the revised entry requirements for different groups of individuals can be found in Table 1 below.

Group	Pre-Employment Training Students	CET Students	Staff	Visitors
Fully vaccinated	✓	✓	✓	✓
Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated	✓	✓	X	X
Medically ineligible	✓	✓	✓	✓
Unvaccinated, but recovered from COVID-19 in the last 180 days	✓	✓	✓	✓

- ✓ Allowed on campus
- X Not allowed on campus

<sup>1</sup> Pre-Employment Training students refer to all students pursuing full-time undergraduate and concurrent degree qualifications. CET students refer to all other students including (i) part-time students pursuing undergraduate degree qualifications, and (ii) full-time and part-time students taking modular courses, short courses, post-graduate by coursework and research, post-diploma, or work-study qualifications.

## **B. Other Safe Management Measures**

1. All other Safe Management Measures for staff and students remain unchanged. You can refer to the [Updated NUS SMMs](#) for details.

If you have further questions, please check with the management office of your faculty, school or department, or email [COVID-19@nus.edu.sg](mailto:COVID-19@nus.edu.sg).

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**Stay updated:**

- NUS circulars, FAQs, emergency contact numbers, as well as useful links on the COVID-19 situation are available at [emergency.nus.edu.sg](https://emergency.nus.edu.sg).
- The latest NUS-related news, research and commentaries on COVID-19 are available [here](#).
- Please refer to the [Ministry of Health](#) for the latest information on the COVID-19 situation in Singapore.