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Health Sciences Update

Health Sciences Update Effective Tuesday, March 17 through March 22, 2020, GW Health Sciences is suspending clinical rotations and supervised clinical experiences for all students that involve direct patient contact. Health Sciences has been in regular contact with the university and school leadership, the respective health professions accreditation bodies, public health officials, and many of our affiliated clinical sites in order to arrive at this decision. The health and safety of our students remain our top priorities. Given the dynamic nature of the COVID-19 pandemic, we will re-evaluate the suspension of clinical training on a weekly basis. Impacted students will receive guidance from their program faculty later today, including alternative educational assignments and support services. Programs are communicating this change to affected clinical sites and educational partners.