Dear Colleagues,

As you may have heard last week, the highly contagious delta variant of COVID-19 is unfortunately present in our region. It will take <u>all of us working together</u> to mitigate its spread and prevent widespread community and campus outbreaks.

We need your continued help to remain open and fully operational. As of Sunday, August 1, 2021, ACM will adhere to the following health and safety protocols:

- Individuals who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 will have the option to wear or not wear a face mask or covering indoors and outdoors on campus.
- Unvaccinated individuals and those who are not fully vaccinated should continue to correctly wear a mask indoors and in crowded outdoor settings.
- Everyone should maintain social distance of at least 3 feet (the length of a shopping cart) in crowded indoor and outdoor settings.
- Everyone should continue to self-monitor for symptoms of illness, sign attestations, and adhere to recommended <u>CDC protocols</u>. Sign-in procedures for contact tracing are required for all.

If you've been waiting to get vaccinated, now is your time to act. Please sign up today using the links below or simply walk in to any of our on-site clinics at the Thomas Welcome Center on August 18th or 25th between 1pm -4pm. If you can't make these dates, visit <u>vaccines.gov</u> to find a clinic or site near you.

- August 18: Moderna
- August 18: Johnson and Johnson
- August 25: Moderna
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Don't delay your opportunity to protect yourself, your loved ones, coworkers, and our students against the delta and other variants of COVID-19.

This is a lot of information to consider. If you have any questions, please contact me directly or my office.

Stay well and enjoy this beautiful summer weather!

Dr. B