

# MEMORANDUM



To: School of EMS Students, Staff, and Partners  
From: TC Howard, Chief Operating Officer  
Date: 4/1/2020  
RE: COVID-19 Advisory #3

School of EMS Students, Staff, and Partners:

As always, I hope this message finds you doing well and staying healthy. EMS continues to see unprecedented changes as many of you know firsthand. With that change comes a multitude of other changes, in how we how we function as a society, as well as how we deliver and receive education. As promised, the School of EMS is working daily to make sure that we not only meet your needs as a student but also the needs for successful completion. We will be publishing course specific memos that will detail each class' plan for graduation. In the meantime, please see below for some important updates:

- **All Clinicals (field and hospital) and lab are suspended until further notice.** This supersedes the initial directive of early April.
- **All Students who are assigned to an online or hybrid course will remain working online.** This means all due dates and course requirements online will remain intact, unless you hear otherwise from your primary instructor on due dates.
- **Lab for Online Courses will be re-scheduled in a memo to your individual classes.** Expect this to occur this week.
- **Course specific memos will be published this week for every class and emailed to you directly.**
- **Introduction of REEL DX** – The School of EMS will be introducing something new in the coming weeks to assist with the loss of clinical and field time. The program will also assist with the every day didactic portions of the class and bring about material that helps address a few items that we have found to be of concern for students and instructors alike. Additional information will soon be shared with the most immediate classes that are in need and will then roll out to all other programs as the didactic schedule of the class dictates. We truly feel that this will assist in calming the fears of each class that is due to complete soon and meet the need of each class moves forward.
- **School of EMS Town Hall Meetings-** We will be scheduling weekly Town Hall Meetings for students to come ask questions directly to our leadership team. These will be held on Wednesday evenings at 1800 ET/ 1700 CT. Login information is found on the second page of this memo, as well as in the Canvas announcement.

Please feel free to reach out to us with any specific questions you may have via [covid19@schoolofems.org](mailto:covid19@schoolofems.org)

Thank you,

TC Howard  
Chief Operating Officer

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