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Salus University's Reopening Plans

Elkins Park, Pa. - Today, Monday, June 8, Salus University reopened its Elkins Park campus on a limited basis and expanded its clinical operations – The Eye Institute, Pennsylvania Ear Institute and Speech-Language Institute - beyond emergency services.

During the Yellow Phase, faculty and staff that can perform the essential functions of their jobs from home are encouraged to do so in an effort to minimize the number of people on campus.

For students, each program has developed plans for limited on-site laboratory and clinical instruction. Didactic classes will remain online for the balance of the summer semester.

"We're planning on a fall opening with face-to-face instruction, some classes may be hybrid, others may not. Labs will be conducted and our clinical facilities will be open," said President Dr. Michael H. Mittelman. "As we continue to all work through this, the health and safety of the entire Salus community remains our utmost concern."

Multiple operating protocols in accordance with CDC and state guidelines have been adopted.

Additional information, including our protocols and procedures can be found on our updated COVID-19 webpage – www.salus.edu/COVID-19.

About Salus University

Salus University, founded as the Pennsylvania College of Optometry in 1919, today is a diversified, globally recognized professional academic center of learning that offers a wide range of degree programs in the professions of Optometry, Audiology, Physician Assistant, Public Health, Blindness and Low Vision Studies, Biomedicine, Occupational Therapy and Speech-Language Pathology. Salus operates four clinical facilities in Philadelphia and Montgomery counties that provide highly specialized vision, hearing and balance, and speech-language pathology services. The University has more than 1,200 students, and more than 14,000 alumni worldwide. For more information, please visit www.salus.edu.