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“Do Not Travel” warning. The State Department notes that most commercial carriers have reduced or suspended routes to and from China, and that “Travelers should be prepared for the possibility of travel restrictions with little or no advance notice.” Under these circumstances, the University must prohibit travel at UA expense to China. Chancellors may approve exceptions but only in emergency situations. Please take immediate steps to implement this change until further notice.

Our universities have employees and students located around the world. Each chancellor will continue to monitor the location and needs of UA-affiliated individuals and provide assistance as possible. If you need immediate health care assistance please see the guidance above, as well as information provided by local health officials. If you need additional assistance, please contact your UA home department. For information about countries with confirmed cases visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/locations-confirmed-cases.html>

Since this is an evolving situation, additional travel restrictions and other steps may be required. Check UA Alert at <https://uaalert.alaska.edu/> for the latest information

For more information on CDC warning notices see

<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/notices>.

For more information on the U.S. Department of State warning notice see:

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/traveladvisories/china-travel-advisory.html>

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