DePaul Housing

Move-In & Quarantine Guide for Lincoln Park Residence Halls

Winter Quarter 2021



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Note to Students Note to Students

This guide is meant for on-campus residents who have been assigned to a traditional hall (Belden-Racine, Ozanam, or Munroe).

As an on-campus resident, you will:

- STEP 1 Select a January 2 or January 3 move-in appointment via myhousing.depaul.edu no later than Wednesday, December 30.
- **STEP 2** Quarantine in your designated space on the Lincoln Park campus until Sunday, January 17, regardless of move-in date.

Prior to quarantine, you must **fill out an intake form (click here) by Tuesday, December 15**, to alert staff of any special accommodations needed, such as food allergies and prescription deliveries.

STEP 3 Get tested for COVID-19 during the first week of January. If you test positive for COVID-19, you will remain in your room and follow isolation protocol. Testing will be provided by DePaul University.

COVID-19 testing will be made available two ways: (1) PCR home test, and (2) in-person at the Lincoln Park Student Center located at 2250 N. Sheffield Avenue, Room 120. We will email residents additional details and instructions.

Due to the City of Chicago **Emergency Travel Order**, Winter Quarter classes will be conducted remotely January 4-17.

During your quarantine at DePaul, we will deliver meals and urgent mail to your room, provide access to WiFi and Philo TV streaming, etc. Students must stay in their rooms and not interact in-person with anyone else, including other students, for any reason except for urgent medical care and COVID testing during the quarantine period.

We will NOT allow any visitors while students are in quarantine during the first two weeks of Winter Quarter, including parents/guardians. Students who are new residents arriving Winter Quarter may have assistance with their move from up to two (2) family members or friends, but no additional visitors beyond the scheduled move-in day. No overnight guests are permitted.

Welcome to Lincoln Park Campus Housing

Greetings!

The Department of Housing, Dining & Student Centers, as well as the Department of Residential Education are welcoming new and returning on-campus residents for the Winter Quarter. With our combined years of experience at DePaul University, our departments never expected a pandemic to occur much less significantly impact our student population. Asking you to quarantine is a task that comes with numerous challenges, but it is absolutely necessary to protect your health and safety.

This guide will not only prepare you for your move on campus, but it will focus on resources to assist you through the mandatory quarantine required by the City of Chicago Emergency Travel Order. Moreover, we will continue to update our website with information related to Winter Quarter housing and COVID-19.

If you have questions, please email us at **housing@depaul.edu** or utilize our chat feature available on the Housing website: **go.depaul.edu/housing**.

Thank you!

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Willkommen! ¡Bienvenido! Bienvenue! Welcome! Witaj! Välkommen! Benvenuto! Bem-vindo!



What It Means to be in Quarantine

Quarantine helps prevent the spread of disease before a person knows they are sick, including if a traveler has been infected with the virus but does not have symptoms. Under the Chicago **Emergency Travel Order**, quarantine means staying at a single designated home or dwelling for 14 days before doing any activities outside of the home or dwelling. People in quarantine should separate themselves from others as much as possible and check themselves for symptoms. For DePaul residents, this means staying in your room for the entirety of your quarantine period.

Per the order, residents must not be in public or otherwise leave their room, unless seeking medical care or COVID-19 testing. If you need to seek medical care, students may call **AMITA Sage Medical Group at (773) 549-7757**. Please call in advance. DO NOT visit the office in person unless instructed by AMITA Sage to do so.

In a medical emergency, please call 9-1-1.

If a resident violates the quarantine order, they are subject to fines of \$100 - \$500 per day, up to \$7,000 by the City of Chicago. DePaul University is not liable for any Emergency Travel Order violation(s) made by a resident. Therefore, residents are responsible to pay their fines. The violations to the quarantine order will subject the resident to potential University sanctions that include but are not limited to removal from housing and university probation through the university conduct process.

What to do if you experience COVID-19 Symptoms or have been informed you have been exposed via close contact:

If you experience COVID-19 symptoms or you have been exposed as a close contact, please refer to the **Quarantine & Isolation Guide** and call **Public Safety at (773) 325-7777**. Public Safety will contact a member of the Residential Education staff who will be in contact with you in a short period of time. The staff member who contacts you will assist you in reporting your information to the university and gather a few other pieces of information as well to assist in next steps. These next steps are: the procedure for getting tested, speaking with a contact tracer, and potentially moving to a different space for isolation. Isolation is for a resident with a confirmed case of COVID-19. The determination of being moved will rely on a variety of factors, including at what point during your initial quarantine period you experience symptoms.

Move-In Day Instructions

Step 1: Before Move-In Day, Schedule Your Move-In Time

Residents may sign up for a January 2 or January 3 move-in appointment via **myhousing.depaul.edu**. If you experience any technical issues when scheduling an appointment, please contact us at **housing@depaul.edu**.

Step 2: Arrive at Your Residence Hall

(At the chosen appointment time, no sooner.)

Move your vehicle to a designated area by following directions given by staff. Vehicles may typically pull up right in front of the hall in the loading zone to unload. Do not to park in handicapped spaces, fire lanes, service areas, driving lanes, or other areas not designated for parking.

Before you enter the building, please make sure you have your ID card ready to present to the front desk staff. Also, all students and moving helpers are expected to abide by the university policy of **mandatory face coverings at all times**. If anyone is without a mask, we will provide one via the front desk of your residence hall.

Returning residents must present their official DePaul ID card. If you are a returning resident who has lost their ID, please email ID Services at **idservices@depaul.edu**. The subject line should be used accordingly with your information: "ID reprint Quarantine, LAST NAME, ID number."

Incoming freshmen and new transfer students may present a government issued ID, such as a driver's license, state ID card, or passport. New residents will not need their DePaul ID until after they have completed quarantine. Please review the most recent email from ID Services for information regarding ID card distribution.

Step 3: Housing Check-In and Unloading Your Vehicle

At the front desk of the residence hall, please state that you have arrived for your move-in appointment. Your name and appointment time will be cross-checked by the front desk staff.

Once verified, go directly to your assigned room where you will find the door unlocked and a welcome envelope with your name on the desk.

Inside the welcome envelope, you will find:

- A welcome letter
- A link to their online check-in confirmation form **Must complete upon arrival!**
- A room key
- Quarantine Information / Instructions
- Wristbands for up to two (2) moving assistants family member or friends
- Additional information from Residential Education and Housing

If you have moving helpers, please make sure they wear the wristbands from the welcome envelope.

Quickly unload your vehicle; there is a 15-minute time limit if you **park in the unloading zone in front of your building**. You may also move your car to a **designated lot/garage** on campus. Vehicles can be moved to the Clifton Avenue Parking Garage or the Sheffield Avenue Parking Garage; the wristband will serve as free parking on January 2 and 3 only.

Red bins with moving wheels are available in the lobby on an honor system. You may use one (1) red moving bin only during your appointment window – no more than 30 minutes. If possible, we recommend you bring your own cart or dolly.

Once unloaded, please return the red moving bin to the lobby and proceed to your unit to begin quarantine.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE!

- 1. In the event of inclement weather, such as a snowstorm or blizzard, we have plans in place to help facilitate your scheduled return or move in to your residence hall. These plans will be emailed to all residents prior to January 2, if necessary.
- 2. Students approved for Winter Quarter 2021 housing will have their own room. With that being said, no furniture may be disassembled or removed from the unit.
- 3. There are only two exceptions where a student may leave their room:
 (1) to bring trash down the hall to the trash room, and (2) to do laundry if absolutely necessary. However, if a student tests positive for COVID-19, they must remain in their unit until their isolation period is complete. Staff will not pick up garbage bags door-to-door for this quarantine period, except for students in isolation.

Residence Hall Addresses

Belden-Racine Hall	2311 North Racine Avenue
Centennial Hall	2345 North Sheffield Avenue. Go to the third
	floor of Centennial Hall, which is off of the
	fourth level of the Sheffield parking garage.
Ozanam Hall	2350 North Clifton Avenue
Corcoran Hall	910 West Belden Avenue
Courtside Apartments	2308 North Sheffield Avenue
McCabe Hall	900 West Belden Avenue
Munroe Hall	2312 North Clifton Avenue
Sanctuary Hall & Townhomes	There are two locations based on unit numbers.
	2358 North Sheffield Avenue for:
	Sanctuary Hall 101-114, 201-502
	2345 North Kenmore Avenue for:
	Sanctuary Hall 115-120, Townhomes
Seton Hall	2425 North Sheffield Avenue
Sheffield Square	2318-2326 North Sheffield Avenue
Student Center	2250 North Sheffield Avenue
University Hall	2345 North Clifton Avenue

NOTE:

Due to COVID-19, Winter Quarter housing is still reduced. We are limiting the amount of buildings open on campus.

Suggested Packing List

As you purchase and pack items for your on-campus move to DePaul, we recommend bringing only the essentials. We still want you to bring what you think is necessary and what you feel will help make your assigned space your home away from home. However, we also want to acknowledge that COVID-19 remains ever-changing and, as such, we simply do not know what to expect week-to-week or month-to-month. In the event DePaul needs to shut down its campuses, we want you to be prepared and ready to go.

Please note: There are items you may bring and items you cannot bring. Prohibited items found in campus housing will be confiscated by staff. See the full list of restricted and prohibited items at go.depaul.edu/prohibiteditems.

SUGGESTED ITEMS TO PACK

Bedding/ Sleep	Closet
Pillow Blankets Mattress pad/ encasement (beds are twin XL except in McCabe Hall and Centennial Hall (regular twin)	Clothes hangers Laundry detergent (high-efficiency liquid or detergent pods preferred over powdered detergent)
Earplugs/eye mask	Electronics
Bathroom/ Kitchen	☐ Mini-fridge☐ Microwave
Towels and washcloths	Single serving coffee maker
Toilet paper and paper towels	Fan
Shower caddy and toiletries	Small Vacuum cleaner
Dishes, cutlery and kitchen storagecontainersCleaning supplies	Desk lamp (preferably with LED or CFL bulb – halogen bulbs are not allowed)

Decor	Emergency
Poster putty or 3M hooks/ strips	First aid kit
Room decorations/ photos	Go bag
	What is a go bag? It's an emergency-preparedness bag
	that you pack in advance in case you need to move from
	your permanent unit to a designated building for students
	who may become ill or specifically for those who may test
	positive for COVID-19

Things to leave at home

- -Candles, scented oil burners, and incense
- -Extension cords (non-surge-protected), outlet adapters and outlet splitters
- -Halogen lamps, lava lamps, and strobe lights
- -Electric blankets, space heaters and portable air-conditioners
- -Pets
- -Toaster ovens, convection ovens, outdoor grills, and deep fryers

- -Flammable liquids
- -Appliances that use more than 900 watts or that have exposed heating elements
- -Weapons (including firearms, swords, blades, stun guns, pepper spray, or mace)
- -Hot plates and electric burners
- -Indoor grilling appliances (George Foreman Grills, electric skillets)

KITCHEN USE ONLY (permitted starting Sunday, January 17)

These items are allowed in residence halls but can only be used in kitchens. They must be unplugged when not in use.

- -Sandwich makers and panini presses
- -Toasters
- -Rice cookers and slow cookers
- -Air fryers
- -Popcorn poppers
- -Irons (may also be used in laundry rooms)

RENT A MICROFRIDGE COMBO UNIT

If you're living in a traditional residence hall in Lincoln Park, you may choose to rent a mini fridge/freezer/microwave combo unit from **MyCollegeFridge.com**, the approved DePaul vendor.

- Rental items will be delivered to your room. Once the order is received, the vendor will reach out directly to the student to make arrangements for delivery.
- Upon moving out of the halls, simply defrost the freezer, clean the interior and exterior of the unit, and leave the unit in your room.

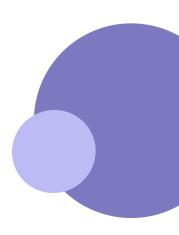
Connecting with Other Residents in Quarantine

Activities, events, and ways to connect

The Department of Residential Education will continue to offer you ways to connect with other residents during the start of Winter Quarter. You can expect to have welcome back floor meetings that will be facilitated by your Resident Advisor, as well as community programs that will offer opportunities for you to meet other residents on your floor and throughout your hall virtually.

We will put more focus into wellness initiatives such as meditation, small group dialogs, and stress management workshops with our campus partners. Our Residence Hall Council (RHC) will also host social programs and events virtually, providing you an opportunity to meet residents from other halls across campus. Our goal is to make sure you feel connected and engaged with other people in your floor and throughout your residential community.

Distant but connected.



Mental Health Resources

University Counseling Services

The college experience includes many unique challenges and opportunities for students. It is a time of change, growth and transition. Reaching your academic goals can be difficult if you are suffering from emotional distress, relationship difficulties or other concerns. There may be times when these challenges lead to excessive stress, anxiety, depression, confusion, and loneliness. Seeking support, including counseling can enable you to understand and deal with these issues. University Counseling Services is committed to creating a welcoming and affirming space where the dignity of all DePaul students is valued and affirmed. We strive to support the educational success of students by providing culturally aware clinical services, including: individual and group counseling, outreach programming, consultation, community referrals, and training opportunities.

How do I make an appointment?

Typically, the first step is calling our **Lincoln Park office** (773-325-7779) or **Loop Campus office** (312-362-6923) in order to set up an initial consultation appointment. You will have the opportunity to discuss your concerns with a counselor for about 15-20 minutes in order to assess what kind of service would be most helpful. Initial consultations are usually conducted telephonically but can also be scheduled in person.

After-Hours Crisis

After hours (after 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and on weekends), students facing or dealing with an urgent crisis should call 911 or DePaul University Public Safety:

Public Safety, Lincoln Park 773-325-7777

Public Safety, Loop *312-362-8400*

Please note that this service is for URGENT CRISES ONLY.

Example of urgent crises:

- •Thoughts of hurting self
- •Thoughts of hurting other people
- Have not eaten in a few days (not due to illness)
- Recent victim of a physical or sexual assault
- Concern over a student's whereabouts

University Resources

Center for Students with Disabilities coordinates providing accommodations and other services to students with documented disabilities.

go.depaul.edu/csd | csd@depaul.edu | Lincoln Park: (773) 325-1677 | Loop: (312) 362-8002

Dean of Students Office handles violations of the Code of Student Responsibility at DePaul. The office manages the administrative withdrawal and absence notification process, and can help you identify campus and community resources in times of personal and/or family crises and medical emergencies.

go.depaul.edu/dos | deanofstudents@depaul.edu | Lincoln Park: (773) 325-7290 | Loop: (312) 362-8066

DePaul Central is your one-stop resource for helping you manage the business side of being a DePaul student. Their office can assist you with decisions regarding financial aid inquiries, personal financial planning, immunizations, records and transcripts, and account transactions.

go.depaul.edu/depaulcentral | dpcl@depaul.edu | (312) 362-8610

Health Promotion and Wellness provides holistic education, support and resources for you to establish and sustain long-term, healthy behaviors. **go.depaul.edu/hpw | hpw@depaul.edu | (773) 325-7129**

Health Services partners with AMITA Sage Medical Group, which is a community healthcare provider located on the Lincoln Park Campus at 1150 W. Fullerton Ave. Office visits and basic lab work are covered by the health services fee. All Lincoln Park residents are automatically billed the health services fee to their DePaul Student Account. To discontinue the fee, contact the Office of Health Promotion and Wellness at hpw@depaul.edu.

go.depaul.edu/healthservices



ID Services issues your DePaul ID Card, which serves as your official identification at DePaul. After you receive your DePaul ID card, you are required to have it all times while on campus. If you lose your DePaul ID card, contact ID Services immediately. ID Services also issues your U-Pass in the fall for public transit.

go.depaul.edu/idservices | IDServices@depaul.edu | Lincoln Park: (773) 325-7466 | Loop: (312) 362-5959

New Student and Family Engagement assists students and their families in making a smooth transition into life at DePaul. NSFE manages Premiere and Transition DePaul orientations, as well as the Chicago Quarter (Discover Chicago and Explore Chicago) program and Student Success Coaching.

go.depaul.edu/nsfe | orientation@depaul.edu | parents@depaul.edu | (773) 325-7360

Office of Public Safety provides the following services: emergency response, crime prevention, security awareness, crime victim assistance, safety tips, and lost and found.

go.depaul.edu/publicsafety | Lincoln Park: (773) 325-7777 | Loop: (312) 362-8400

Residential Education is responsible for building a sense of community and DePaul spirit, providing residents with opportunities for engagement, responding to student crises and managing the residential student conduct process. Residence directors (professional staff) and resident advisors (undergraduate students) live on campus and are available to assist students with their transition to DePaul.

go.depaul.edu/resed | resed@depaul.edu | (773) 325-4211

Student Mail Center is located in the Student Center on the Lincoln Park Campus and can be reached at **go.depaul.edu/printmail** or **(773)** 325-4912. Your mailing address is listed on your assignment letter and available at **go.depaul.edu/residentmail**. You will receive your mail key at the completion of the quarantine period.

Section 9 Meal Delivery

For students in quarantine, DePaul University will be providing three (3) meals a day for the quarantine period starting with dinner on Saturday, January 2. The deliveries will be made directly to the resident's room and they will be contactless. We will make every effort to stick to a regular delivery schedule as best we can so that you generally know when to expect your meals. There will be two deliveries made each day, one at lunch (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.) and one at dinner (between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.). A continental, non-perishable breakfast will be included in the dinner delivery each day.

Menus will be pre-determined by Dining Services and will include changes in variety each day. If you have a special dietary need or allergy, this should have been indicated on the intake form that you filled out in preparation for quarantine.

During your two-week quarantine period, DePaul will deduct daily meal points at the end of each week.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE!

The first meal you may eat outside of your room once quarantine concludes will be brunch on Sunday, January 17. For this and all subsequent meals, you may visit the 2nd floor of the Lincoln Park Student Center. You may also order meals for pick up at the Student Center using the **Boost mobile app**.

Meal Delivery

Mail & Package Delivery

You will be assigned a mailbox and a mailbox key, which you will receive after quarantine. While in quarantine you will not be able to check your mail so please do not plan any deliveries until after you've completed quarantine campus, starting January 17. If you are receiving something during your quarantine period that you absolutely need, such as medication, please indicate that on your intake form and our staff will have it delivered to your room. Please limit this service to essential mail/package delivery only.

Deliveries are **not allowed** directly to your residence hall either. You are not able to leave your room and delivery persons are not allowed up to your room. Below is a list of **restricted** deliveries and delivery services:



Meal Delivery services, such as Grubhub, Uber Eats, DoorDash, Caviar, and Postmates

Meal Kits (Hello Fresh, HomeChef, Blue Apron)

Grocery Delivery (Instacart, Amazon Fresh, Peapod)

Any other service that delivers



Section 11After Quarantine

For students in quarantine, you will complete your quarantine the morning of Sunday, January 17. On Tuesday, January 19, you may attend your in-person classes (should you have any).

The first meal you may eat outside of your room once quarantine concludes will be brunch on January 17. For this and all subsequent meals, you may visit the 2nd floor of the Lincoln Park Student Center for all of your dining needs.

For information about Winter Quarter events, facility updates, and operating hours, please visit **go.depaul.edu/covid**.

