COVID-19 Services Provided by UWL Custodial Units

UWL has three custodial units, consisting of approximately 125 staff who perform many tasks with cleaning, sanitizing, and disinfecting among their highest priorities. All custodial units have implemented COVID-19 protocols as specified in the Maintaining Healthy Environments/Cleaning and Disinfection section of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) document titled, "Considerations for Institutes of Higher Education."

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the UWL custodial units have increased cleaning, sanitizing or disinfection of key touch points including doorknobs, handrails, elevator buttons, light switches, and similar high contact surfaces. The custodial units have also developed a schedule for increased routine cleaning and disinfecting of restrooms.

Cleaning and surface disinfecting for individually occupied offices or cubicles will be the responsibility of the individual occupants. UWL employees should follow UWL’s COVID-19 Cleaning and Disinfecting Your Work Area guidance. Facilities Management will supply faculty and staff with cleaning and disinfecting supplies. Additional supplies may be ordered by going to the FPM website and clicking on the COVID-19 Supplies Request tab.

Areas that are known to be occupied by a COVID-19 positive/presumed positive student, faculty, or staff will be closed off for at least 24 hours, if feasible. Cleaning and disinfection will be performed per CDC guidelines. If more than three days have passed since the person was in the area, only routine cleaning and disinfection is needed.

If you have service questions, you are encouraged to contact the appropriate custodial unit as follows:

- **Academic Buildings**: 608-785-8593, 10 Graff Main Hall
- **Residence Halls**: 608-785-8075, 1021 Eagle Hall
- **Student Union, Whitney & Recreational Eagle Center**: 608-785-6483, 3238 Student Union

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