August 3, 2021

UW-Madison Office of the Chancellor Order – Limiting Access to UW-Madison Campus per UWS Chapter 18.11(7)(e)

This order is issued pursuant to my authority under UWS Chapter 18.11(7)(e) to establish access to UW-Madison lands and buildings in accordance with my responsibility for the health, safety and welfare of the University. Effective August 5, 2021, and until further notice, I am barring any individual, regardless of COVID-19 vaccination status, from access to UW-Madison lands and buildings who fails at all times to wear a face covering:

1. In all indoor public spaces except when actively eating or drinking, students or residential program participants in their assigned residence hall rooms, or employees when alone in a private, unshared office or lab;

2. While riding a campus bus or when two or more people are present in a university vehicle.

Indoor public space does not include outdoor space connected to or incorporated within a building or other structure including by way of example but not limited to parking ramps, courtyards, patios, and stadiums.

Exceptions to this order will be determined on an individualized basis, considering reasonable accommodations due to a documented medical condition. The UW-Madison Police Department is authorized to enforce this order. Violations are subject to citation and fine under UWS Chapter 18.

Rebecca M. Blank
Chancellor