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To the Stevens Community:

In response to requests from the Hoboken Office of Emergency Management, the university is making rooms available to health care professionals affiliated with Hoboken University Medical Center (HUMC) and the Hoboken Fire Department in Jonas Hall starting this week.

HUMC is contracting with medical personnel from other areas in anticipation of a surge in COVID-19 cases in our area, while the Hoboken Fire Department (HFD) is utilizing this space in order to practice social distancing while on shift.

All students previously living in Jonas have either returned home or have been relocated to another residence hall on campus.

The Division of Facilities and Campus Operations readied the building to turn over to the City of Hoboken and HUMC for up to six weeks, with the option, and with agreement by all parties, to extend the term if necessary. The City is providing all necessary on-site sanitation and other services during this period and will thoroughly clean and disinfect the building at the conclusion of the term.

All HUMC and HFD personnel will wear identification badges while on campus and have been provided with options to park in the Eighth Street lot if needed, with authorization and a parking placard.

We appreciate the tireless dedication of those who are on the front lines of the COVID-19 crisis and are pleased to offer these accommodations to assist during this difficult time.

Sincerely,

Beth McGrath

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