

Dear Students, Dear Colleagues,

the monitoring unit is constantly working to trace and control individual pandemic situations and to monitor the attendance of students in the classrooms.

This week, the students' attendance to the curricular teaching activities has registered a significant reduction: the presence in the classrooms has been 20% of the planned attendance

This decrease cannot be associated with cases of contagion within the University; in fact, there are less than fifty classrooms moved in distance learning by the prevention unit.

I would like, among other things, to inform my colleagues professors that, if you have not been officially contacted by the University, it means that there is no need to suspend the classroom for Covid-19 cases.

Many colleagues also report that they have few students in the classroom, indicating this as a potential warning sign. On the contrary, I believe that the increase of contagions and the latest government indications have, in a physiological way, reduced the mobility for all of us and, consequently, the attendance of students in the classrooms.

It may also occur that some courses, being in parallel with yours, have been brought remotely and therefore, some of your students have also decided not to follow the classes in presence.

We cannot foresee if, during the weekend, new ordinances and provisions will be issued: we will inform you promptly in case of any changes.

Let me thank all of you in advance for your full cooperation in the next days.

Best regards

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