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Dear Aggies,

In anticipation of your arrival and to help you update your travel plans, we are making sure you're aware of [Executive Order 2020-054](#) issued by New Mexico Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham, which establishes a mandatory 14-day quarantine for all individuals traveling to New Mexico, whether traveling by air or by vehicle

Since your permanent address is outside of New Mexico, you may be traveling to NMSU from another state or country, which means you should arrive on campus and move in to campus housing on July 31 or August 1 in order to comply with the 14-day quarantine requirement before in-state students' move-in. There is no additional fee for early arrival required for compliance with the 14-day quarantine requirement. Meal delivery will be available with your dining plan.

To schedule your early arrival, log in to your MyHousing account and submit an Early Arrival form for out-of-state students. Once that is complete, Housing staff will review and let you know, via email, to log in and choose the date and time (July 31 or August 1, between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.) of your scheduled move-in appointment. All students moving in to campus housing will be required to schedule a move-in appointment, in advance, and arrive on time to check in and begin quarantine.

If you are unable to arrive on July 31 or August 1, you will be temporarily assigned to a quarantine unit, if available, for the 14-day quarantine period, which begins on the date of your arrival on campus. Once the quarantine period is complete, you will be able to move in to your original housing assignment. If a quarantine unit is not available, you will have to make arrangements to meet the 14-day quarantine requirement off campus at your own expense.

NMSU is working to arrange voluntary COVID-19 testing in the 3-5 days after your arrival. You must bring your vaccination records and health insurance information, which will be needed in the event testing becomes available. The Aggie Health and Wellness Center staff will assist with information on testing and where to provide your vaccination records and health insurance information.

Thank you for your patience as we navigate the evolving COVID-19 landscape. If additional information becomes available or if the situation changes, we will notify you via email to your NMSU email account. An additional resource is the NMSU system-wide return to campus plan, [NMSU Ready](#), which is updated as health-related guidelines change.

Please continue to read our weekly newsletter, [The Housing Headline](#), which contains useful and helpful information about life on campus. NMSU Housing & Residential Life is looking forward to your arrival.

Sincerely,

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