

# Marquette's Response to the Global COVID-19 Pandemic

## Marquette's COVID-19 Campus Response Team

In light of the global COVID-19 pandemic, Marquette created a COVID-19 Campus Response Team. Led by Dr. Xavier Cole, vice president for student affairs, the team guides Marquette's response to COVID-19 while building and sustaining the capability to mitigate, respond to and recover from this crisis.

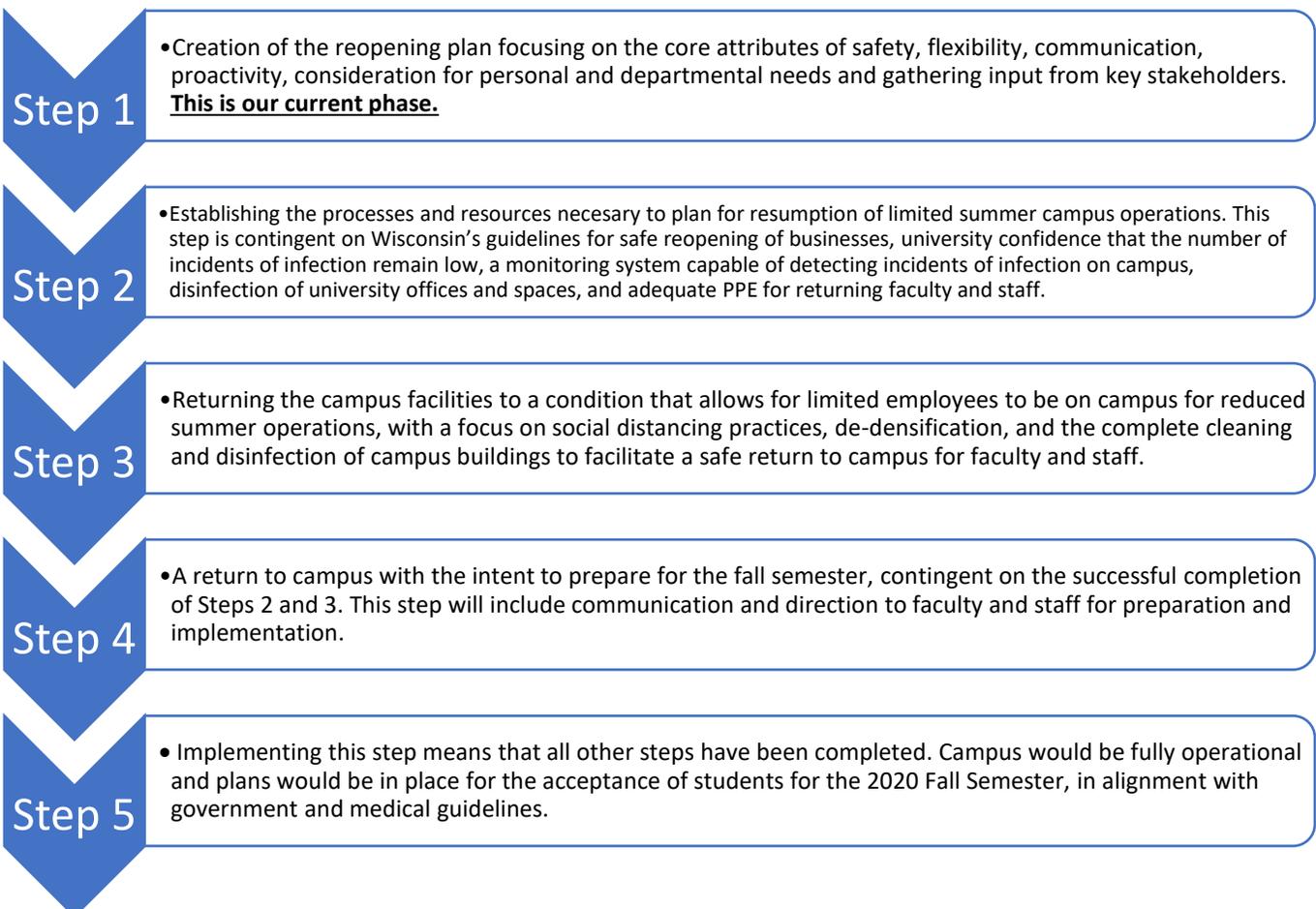
- The 25-person Steering Committee meets daily to share updates, discuss COVID-19 developments, prepare campus communications and develop recommendations for the Executive Leadership Team (ELT). The ELT, comprised of the president, provost and SVP/COO, makes all final decisions.
- The Steering Committee consults with deans, vice presidents and vice provosts in its process.
- The Steering Committee and five sub-committees include approximately 100 subject matter experts from across campus. Sub-committees include: Academics, Employees, External Contacts, Medical and Student/Residence Life.

The Response Team is focused on three core objectives:

- Upholding the health, safety and well-being of our campus and broader communities
- A commitment to our Catholic, Jesuit mission and to continued academic and research excellence
- Mitigating the global pandemic's financial impact on Marquette and specifically our faculty, staff and students

## Marquette's Recovery Planning Effort

The COVID-19 Campus Response Team has outlined a draft five-step recovery plan that will lead to a phased approach for reopening the Marquette University campus. The Recovery Team, led by MUPD Assistant Chief Jeff Kranz, has topic-specific sub-committees that will take recommendations back to the COVID Campus Response team for review. The five-step recovery plan is in draft mode, but anticipated steps include:



This plan is based on the guidelines put forth by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services and the state's Badger Bounce Back Plan, and may need to change based on those guidelines.