Responsibilities: Returning Researchers

- Complete this training and the attestation.
- Follow NPIs, including face coverings, physical distancing measures and scheduling shifts, PPE, and other safety measurements, in accordance with University and School requirements.
- Contact your PI/supervisor to find out what your lab’s “restart plan” requires.
- Follow your lab’s restart plan.
- Communicate lab safety issues across shifts.
- Avoid working alone when performing highly hazardous work in a laboratory.
- Stay home if you are sick, contact your healthcare provider.

Responsibilities: PIs and Supervisors

Develop and obtain approval of your restart plan, including physical and temporal distancing.

- Communicate your plan to your team.
- Order supplies, PPE and cleaning products required for your research lab (gloves, lab coats, etc.).
- Establish appropriate hygiene protocols for your lab.
- Follow and enforce NPIs, including face coverings, physical distancing measures and shifts, PPE, and other safety measurements, in accordance with University and School requirements.
- Ensure all lab members have completed Safely Returning to the Research Workplace at Columbia University training.
- Hold group meetings only by video/teleconference.
- Stay home if you are sick, contact your healthcare provider.