

ELKTON HALL UPDATE 9.25.18

Please share this important information with your parents and family

Dear Elkton Hall residents,

Thank you for your continued cooperation during this difficult situation. We are thankful to the residents of floors 7 and 8 who followed the check out schedule perfectly which allowed the professional movers to start the packing process as scheduled today. Cleaning is set to begin tomorrow at 8:00 am. The contracted, professional mold remediation specialists will work daily from 8:00am -10:00pm. Every hour is crucial in keeping this project progressing as planned to enable all Elkton residents to be back under one roof as quickly as possible. We truly appreciate residents' support to adhering to assigned moving dates to and from your assigned hotel.

Packing Reminders

Be sure to pack a bag of personal items needed, including *all* medications, computers, textbook, clothing and any valuables, for 4-7 days time, as a precaution. Also consider bringing a set of your own bed linens so you will have them with you to put on your bed in Elkton on the day you move back. These items will go with you to the hotel. You will not have access to belongings left behind until notice has been given that cleaning is complete. The professional moving service will pack all remaining belongings in your room, label them with the appropriate room number, and store them securely. Stored items will be re-delivered to every student's room on the first full day after the floor has been cleared for re-entry. If you have a carpet in your room, please leave it in your room. The University's mold remediation specialists will HEPA vacuum all carpets.

Notification to Faculty

To support students who have been impacted by relocations, the University has sent a notice to all UMD faculty members today. We encourage students to contact their faculty members directly to discuss individual concerns and needs. A copy of the notification sent to the faculty can be found at

<http://reslife.umd.edu/global/documents/notifications/FacultyNotification9252018.pdf>

Laundry, Comforter Cleaning, and Carpets

As a reminder, if your comforter needs to be cleaned, please pick up a plastic bag from the Elkton Service Desk then bag it up, label the bag with your full name and room number, and deliver to the Elkton Hall classroom located next to the Service Desk. Staff will have it cleaned by a local vendor and then it will be delivered back to the Service Desk and logged as a package. Comforters only, please. You should continue to launder all other bedding and personal items using the washers and dryers in the Elkton laundry room. Elkton machines are free of charge for the duration of this schedule.

Questions & Additional Information

We have updated our Frequently Asked Questions with additional content including information about personal property damage or loss, you can review the updated FAQ attached to this email and on our website at <http://reslife.umd.edu/global/documents/notifications/FAQ-ElktonHall.pdf>.

If you have any questions regarding the relocation timeline or wish to review previous notifications and the FAQ document, please visit the Resident Life website at reslife.umd.edu. For other questions, please contact Resident Life staff at 301.314.2100 or the Elkton Hall 24-hour Service Desk at 301.314.3558. You may also email reslife@umd.edu. As always, to report facilities issues in your residence hall, please call the Residential Facilities 24-Hour Service Center at 301.314.9675.

Thank you for your continued patience.

Sincerely,

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Department of Residential Facilities