EIU students living on campus experiencing symptoms will:

- Be asked to go home to obtain the care they need and to promote social isolation. Based on the individual's circumstances, the resident should not return to campus based on the following:
 - Following CDC Guidelines, anyone who has traveled internationally should self-quarantine for 14 days.
 - Any individual who has had direct contact with someone that has tested positive for COVID-19 without proper personal protective equipment (PPE) or someone who is under care for suspected exposure to COVID-19 should self-quarantine for 14 days.
 - Any individual who has an unexplained lack of smell or taste should self-isolate for a minimum of 7 days.
 - Any individual who is mildly sick and/or is concerned about being sick without having traveled to a CDC Travel Warning Level 3 country or who has not had direct exposure to someone with COVID-19 should self-isolate for a minimum of 7 days.
 - Any individual who believes they have COVID, but does not see a doctor, nor gets tested, should self-isolate for a minimum of 3 days after the fever subsides without the need for fever reducing medications, and no less than 7 days from the on-set of symptoms.
- Students relocating to home should only use private transportation; public transportation for the trip home should be avoided.
- In the case where an ill resident cannot return home, temporary housing will be provided in University Apartments.
- University Housing and Dining Services will provide a room that has kitchenette and bathroom facilities. In addition, a bed, couch, table, trash can, and other standard amenities will be provided.
- Health and Counseling Services will provide a medical isolation kit containing items such as over-the counter medications, medical supplies, etc.
- When a resident isolates or quarantines in University Apartments due to a COVID-19 related situation, an individual (friend, roommate, etc.) should be identified to maintain contact with this individual while they are recovering from their illness.
- Sick trays for the ill resident can be requested. Microwavable soups and drinks will also be placed in University Apartments.
- If well roommates of the ill student requests alternative, temporary residence while waiting on the ill roommate to go home, we can make temporary accommodations for the well resident. If the roommate wishes to stay in the room they should limit their contact with the ill resident, try to maintain a distance of 6 feet from the roommate and frequently clean commonly-touched surfaces.