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# SARS-CoV-2 Microscopy Facility Protocol

## When making your reservation

- Reservations will require my approval. Only one person per room at a time is allowed, so I will approve your reservation and then block off the other instruments.
- I will block off 30 minutes after your reservation for HVAC air cycling time.

## Before you begin

- Physical Distancing (9 feet) maintained at all times.
- Wear a face mask and gloves at all times.
- Cover eyepieces with plastic wrap.

## During your microscope use

- Use the microscope as normal. Good luck!
- Contact me (<u>benlopez@ucsb.edu</u>, 805-893-8702) if you need help.

## After your microscope use

- Please finish on time and disinfect all contact points with 70% ethanol for the next user. (keyboard, mouse, focusing knobs, etc.)
- Adjust iLab reservation for your actual start and ending times. This is important not just for billing, but also for contact tracing.
- Remove plastic wrap from eyepieces and dispose in the trash bin.

Thanks for following the above protocol. Careful adherence to the rules will minimize chances of infection and let you keep working on your research.