Exposure Control Policy – Coronavirus

- Should a volunteer start to feel sick (fever, cough, runny nose) while on site, immediately send them home.
- If they are unable to immediately go home, separate them from other individuals, and have them use a separate bathroom.
- Has this volunteer been around anyone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19? Call your local health department and ask for direction. The NC COVID-19 hotline is 866-462-3821
- Sick individuals should wear a facemask when around other people. Non-symptomatic individuals should also wear a facemask when out in public, to avoid exposing others to their droplets.
- Everyone should cough and sneeze either into their elbow or into a tissue. Immediately dispose of the tissue and wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Avoid sharing any personal items, including utensils, towels, and bedding.
- Ensure all surfaces the sick individual came into contact with have been disinfected with approved cleaning agents.
- Encourage anyone who has been in contact with the sick individual to monitor themselves for symptoms.
- Obtain the sick individual's phone number, so they may be contacted if additional information is needed.