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Spring semester classes - As has been mentioned previously, we remain under the order of no in person class delivery until at least May 4. The only in-person services to be provided are technology related and access to food pantries or other basic needs. All courses that have been moved to distance delivery will continue to be delivered in this mode and completed in the normal semester schedule.

Continuing Education and Customized Training - On campus delivery continues to be suspended through the stay at home order. Off-site can be offered if two conditions are met: The business or industry is within one of the 16 critical industry sectors identified by US Dept of Homeland Security (These are include in Gov. Walz order) or The workers enrolled in the training hold positions that qualify under DEED's critical worker exemption.

Student Internships - Student internships can continue only when the following two conditions are met: The business or agency at which the student is interning falls under one of the 16 critical industry sectors and the position in which the student is interning qualifies under DEED's critical worker exemption. The business or agency is responsible for certifying these conditions are met.

Technology & Food Pantry Access - Campus access is available from 10-2 MWF through the primary entry door at each campus. The Luverne and Marshall locations remain closed. Students can access any other Minnesota West location for needs.