

Hello GO Long Italy Students and Emergency Contacts,

We understand that you have been receiving updates from your program provider in Italy directly. And that you may have some additional questions about your program in Italy. We are here to support you.

Students can choose to leave their GO program at any time. At this point in the semester, you have been there long enough to have fulfilled the GO requirement itself.

However, you must inform your program directly of your decision to leave the program and work with them on appropriate steps for departure. This is especially important since your program may be working on alternative options for you to receive credit. SU does not control the credits issued by the program. We can help facilitate conversations, but you need to initiate the decision to leave and inform program and GO of your decision.

You would also need to work directly with the airline or booking agency with whom you booked your flights to change your return date.

Currently, the US State Department currently considers Italy a Level 2 - Exercise Increased Caution. This is the same level that Italy had before the outbreak of coronavirus/COVID-19.

We want to take this opportunity to remind you of:

- EXERCISING INCREASED CAUTION as this is a fluid situation and the governments are updating their travel advisories frequently.
- PRACTICING safe hygiene:
 - WASH your hands frequently, use an alcohol-based HAND SANITIZER.
 - Cough/sneeze into your sleeve or a tissue, dispose of used tissues appropriately.
 - Clean surfaces with disinfectants regularly.
 - Avoid close contact with people who show flu-like symptoms.
- If you have flu symptoms (fever, cough, difficulty breathing), to contact local health authorities by phone and wait for information while self-quarantining. Please also notify your on-site staff.

Best,

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Subject: Following Italy safety protocol

Global Opportunities (GO) Program

Dear students currently away in Italy,

We just wanted to check in to let you know that we are following the news closely, and receiving all of the alerts your program sends you. Please be sure to read them carefully and continue to

follow all safety procedures outlined by your program. Feel free to email if I can be of any assistance.

Best,
Ariana