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AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION

## *Joint Journeymen & Apprentice Training Center*

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All DC-16 Cold Side Journeymen, Apprentices, MES & Tradesmen,

To state the obvious, we are experiencing an extraordinary and devastating event with this virus. It is my sincere hope that you, your families and friends are safe and healthy. As your Training Coordinator, your safety and education are taken very seriously and personally. Your Instructors, Business Managers, Contractors and Training Committees feel the same.

With the anticipation of completing the spring semester outside of our training centers, all classes will be online beginning April 20<sup>th</sup>. The regular school day and time schedule will soon follow. Your patience, participation and support are necessary to make this successful. The instructors and training center staff have spent weeks preparing for the benefit of your education. Growing pains are to be expected getting the online methods launched, but we'll all work through it. If your instructors haven't yet been in contact, you will hear from them soon. With help from the United Association and many others, Zoom and Blackboard will be the platforms utilized. Login information will be provided soon.

Completing the last 12 weeks of the school year is important on many levels. Perhaps most important for each Apprentice is being eligible for an upgrade in September. Most of all, the instructors are committed to providing the best training possible during this difficult time. Contact me anytime. I wish all of you the best.

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