

The Rocky Mountain Virology Conference is held at the **Colorado State University Mountain Campus**.

Campus Map



The Mountain Campus is 53 miles west of Fort Collins, Colorado, a one and a half to two hour trip, and three and a half hours from Denver International Airport (DIA).

The Highway 14 route is the best route if you are coming from Wyoming and all points north. Plan on at least 1 hour and 45 minutes to drive from Fort Collins by way of Highway 14 up the Poudre Canyon. Don't miss the left turn over the bridge onto Pingree Road, and take special care, as it is a bit of a blind curve for oncoming traffic.

The route up the Buckhorn canyon (County Road 44H) off of Stove Prairie Road/Buckhorn Road (County Road 27) and over Pennock Pass, is well known for its views of the fall aspen colors, which are very promising this year. Unfortunately, most of the other trees are burned. This route is worth the trip on the way up or on the return trip, depending on time and weather. It is more time on dirt roads, but the overall distance is shorter, so there is not much difference in the time it takes compared to Route 14. It is definitely the shortest route from Boulder if you stay west of Hygiene on your route north. It is a little steep, narrow and switchbacky on the backside, so don't go that way if that is a problem.

Looking forward to seeing everyone soon.

How to Reach Fort Collins

North from Denver International Airport (DIA)

- Take I-25 north toward Fort Collins
- Take exit 269 going west (Mulberry Street/Hwy. 14) to North College Avenue (Hwy. 287)

South from Wyoming

- Take I-25 south
- Take exit 269 going west (Mulberry Street/Hwy. 14) to North College Avenue (Hwy. 287)

How to Reach the Mountain Campus from Fort Collins

- Go north on U.S. 287 to Hwy. 14 junction (mile marker 22)
- Turn west on Hwy. 14 going up Poudre Canyon (at Shell gas station)
- Stay on Hwy. 14 past "Kelly Flats" Campground
- Turn left on Pingree Park Road (County Road 63E)
- Cross the bridge and continue on the gravel road for 16 miles to reach the Mountain Campus

See additional map below.

