Dear Campus Community,

As shared earlier today, SUNY Upstate Medical University is now reporting pooled test results directly to students, faculty and staff via email when they are completed. These will come to your registered email address. You will be given a link to follow, log in, and see your result. It will be either presumed negative or positive.

If your result is presumed negative, you need take no further action. If your result is positive, you will be contacted by the Student Health and Counseling Center or the Clinton County Health Department with further details. If you get the notification email before being contacted, we ask you to self-isolate and contact your health care professional or the health center at 518-564-2187 or healthcenter@plattsburgh.edu.

**Student Vaccine Update**

Thanks to all students who have completed the vaccine survey. There is wide interest in getting shots when eligibility expands on Tuesday, April 6. We are pursuing ways we can do this and expect to share details Friday via email.

Students living on campus and elsewhere in Clinton County who are 18 or older can also sign up for the county health department’s standby list. The county will use this list when there are extra doses available. You can call 518-565-4848 or email health@clintoncountygov.com with the following information:

- Subject line: COVID vaccination standby list
- Name
- Phone number
- Email address
- City, town or village of residence. Indicate your Clinton County address or residence hall address.

All people in New York ages 16 and over can begin scheduling appointments to receive one of three FDA-approved COVID-19 vaccines beginning next week. All SUNY Plattsburgh employees, including student employees, are already eligible to receive a vaccine. New York also provides access to all people age 30 and older, as well as those in certain health categories.


**COVID Cases**

The college recorded eight positive COVID-19 cases on Thursday. Over the past 14 days, 111 total cases have been recorded, with 60 cases active and 51 recovered.

Based on public health guidance, 70 students and employees are in quarantine -- 24 on-campus and 46 off-campus. We respect the privacy of those in isolation and quarantine and will support them. If you are aware, please also respect their privacy.
Our caseload remains below the state threshold that would prompt a pause in on-campus classes and operations. This spring semester, the guidance from the state is to pause when a campus' testing positivity rate is at 5 percent over a rolling 14-day period. Our current rate is 1.31 percent.

We encourage you to take steps daily to ensure the safety for you and all around you. Wear a mask, practice social distancing, wash your hands, avoid large social gatherings, and stay home when sick. More information is online at plattsburgh.edu/COVID-19.

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