COVID-19 Status and Summary

September 14, 2020

Testing Results from Week of September 6, 2020

All of the COVID-19 test results have been received following last week’s testing September 8 & 9.

We continue to have an extremely low number of positive cases.

Total Tests Performed: 963

Results Received to Date: 963

Total New Positive Cases:

Students: 3

Faculty/Staff: 0

Results Pending: 0

Total Active Cases: 4

Quarantine & Isolation

Total Quarantining Locally (possible cases): 25

Total Isolating Locally (positive cases): 1

Total Isolating Outside Plymouth Area (positive case): 3

PSU Isolation/Quarantine Beds in Use: 12 (78 beds available)

As always with positive cases we remain in close contact with the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). The DHHS Contract Tracing Team and the PSU Rapid Response Team reach out to individuals who may have been in close contact with the positive case to make recommendations and review proper protocol.

Notes:

- An Active Case is defined as a person who is COVID-19 positive and is within their 10-day isolation period.
- Quarantine refers to the practice of separating individuals who have had close contact (see definition of close contact below) with someone with COVID-19 to determine if they develop symptoms or test positive for the disease. Quarantine lasts for a total of 14 days after the exposure has ended.
- Isolation is a term used for an individual who tests positive for COVID-19. Isolation keeps someone who is sick or tested positive for COVID-19 without symptoms away from others even in their own home.
- Close Contact is defined as any individual who was within 6 feet of an infected person, masked or unmasked, for at least 10 minutes starting from 2 days before the illness onset (or, for asymptomatic patients, 2 days prior to positive specimen collection) until the time the patient is isolated.