Update on UNE undergraduate COVID-19 cases

The University of New England has posted case reports for the second week of the fall semester on une.edu/onward-reporting. Because the University is collaborating with the Maine CDC to investigate positive cases of COVID-19, this statement serves to provide some context to the current cases.

A total of 11 undergraduate students have tested positive for COVID-19. UNE students who have been identified as close contacts of the 11 positive cases have been tested.

Ten of the COVID-19 positive students have returned home to their families or are in isolation in off-campus housing. One student is in isolation in a dormitory on the Biddeford Campus that has been designated as isolation space for students. Thirteen students who have been identified as close contacts of the positive students are in quarantine.