

Office of the Provost
Office of Student Health Services
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Dear Faculty and Professional Staff,

We are writing with an update on the current shelter-in-place order due to cases of COVID-19 among our undergraduates. The results of yesterday's testing demonstrate that we continue to have limited community spread among students. As a result, we will continue remote learning until at least **Tuesday, April 6**.

In the interest of the wellbeing of our students living on campus, the shelter-in-place order will be modified so that students who have tested negative twice for COVID-19 can spend time outdoors. The attached message was sent to students earlier today outlining the parameters of those modifications.

We will continue to conduct surveillance testing for residential and off-campus undergraduates this week, and students who have chosen to return home will go through the two-step testing process when UNE determines that it is safe to resume in-person learning. We will continue to update you with further developments as information becomes available.

Thank you for the hard work you are all doing as we continue to support our students during this difficult time.

Sincerely,

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