

## **New COVID-19 Cases Confirmed at Hokkaido University**

Hokkaido University confirmed a new COVID-19 case among its students on Thursday, November 5, and another among its staff members on Sunday, November 8.

We tracked their recent movements on campus and traced their contact history through personal interviews. Those identified as close contacts are now placed in self-quarantine (on a mandatory leave of absence from classes/work) and health monitoring for 14 days from the last date of exposure.

We wish a rapid recovery for the patients while committing ourselves to safeguarding our University community from COVID-19 outbreaks.

**Note: The University stresses that patient and family privacy and confidentiality must be maintained in all forms of communication by all concerned, and their human rights must be protected at all times.**

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