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

Hokkaido University confirmed eight new COVID-19 cases among its students between Sunday, January 9 and Monday, January 17.

Subsequently, their close contacts within the University community were identified by tracking their movement history on campus, and those identified have been placed under stay-at-home order and monitoring health for 10 days after their last exposure to the infected person.

We wish those infected a speedy recovery while committing ourselves further to preventing the spread of COVID-19.

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

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