MEMORANDUM

TO:         All Employees and Students
FROM:      Dr. David Campbell, President
DATE:      January 11, 2021
SUBJ:      Positive COVID-19 Test Reported for Student

Northeast Alabama Community College has received notification that a student has tested positive for COVID-19 and is currently quarantined and receiving medical treatment in accordance with public health protocols. Out of an abundance of caution and in our efforts to stem the spread of the COVID-19 virus, any employee or student having close contact with individuals who test positive, as defined by the CDC, will be notified promptly, to the extent possible, and these individuals will need to self-quarantine per guidelines from the CDC if necessary and remain away from campus.

Health and safety remain our number one priority. Northeast Alabama Community College is following medical protocols from state and national health authorities and has implemented recommended guidelines in relation to social distancing, hygiene, travel, and visits to the College. In addition, we are taking additional steps to attempt to ensure the cleanliness of all of our facilities. In the event that we become aware of other positive cases of COVID-19, we will use our best efforts to notify those we are able to determine have had close contact with the individual so they may take recommended health measures. The College is committed to keeping you updated on the local COVID-19 risk and will provide direction to our employees, students, and families with additional instruction as appropriate.

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