From: COVID-19 Health and Safety Task Force
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We conducted our second round of COVID Care (surveillance) Testing on Tuesday, September 29th, and are happy to report that out of the 113 community members tested (78 cadets and 35 faculty/staff), we had all negative results. The next round of surveillance testing is scheduled for Monday, October 12th.

As of today, we have no cadets in isolation or quarantine.

The following table represents our testing efforts and results since the summer. We will continue to keep this table updated and include it in our weekly newsletter. As always, we truly appreciate your efforts and cooperation and as you can see, both are paying off.

Month	# of COVID Tests*	# Isolated**	# Quarantined***
Summer through August	973/0	6	1
September 17th	108/ <mark>0</mark>	8	2
(random?)			
Sept.29 random tests	113/0		

<sup>\*</sup>Green or first number is the number of negatives (no COVID) results, and red is the number of positive results.

Bi-weekly COVID Care Testing provides a snapshot of the health of our population. It does not reduce potential exposures. The daily symptom check, mask use, and social distancing are the most critical tools. If you have any listed

<sup>\*\*</sup>Isolation – When a person displays any symptoms consistent with COVID-19, they are physically isolated from others in a separate room with separate ventilation and, if living on campus, provided food and other necessities so they can remain isolated until they are tested for COVID and determined negative. No positives have returned, but isolation would continue as prescribed by the CDC if this were to happen.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Quarantine – when a person has had potential "contact" with a possible or confirmed COVID-19 "case." These people remain quarantined from others in a separate room with separate ventilation and, if living on campus, provided food and other necessities so they can remain quarantined until the "case" has been determined negative for COVID-19 through PCR testing or 14 days have elapsed with no onset of symptoms.

symptoms, you must get cleared by your health provider before coming to campus. The consequences of assuming it is something other than COVID are too high for our community. Cadets living on campus must contact the Student Health Center for guidance and clearance.

We continue to add information to the <u>COVID website</u> and encourage cadets to share this information with family and provide feedback on any additional information that would be helpful during this difficult time.

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