

**Notice on Response Actions for the Novel Coronavirus (38): A COVID-19
confirmed case involving a student hall resident | 一名宿舍學生確診感染新型冠
狀病毒**

Task Force on Response Actions for the Novel Coronavirus
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Dear Staff and Students

The University received a report today (5 August 2020) that a student resident at 14/F, Chengde Hall of the Hung Hom Halls of Residence has been confirmed to have been infected with COVID-19.

The student concerned left the Hall on 29 July 2020 and returned home. The student was admitted to hospital on 1 August 2020 and was tested positive of COVID-19 on 2 August 2020. The student had not been to the campus for the past 7 days. His two suite-mates have taken COVID-19 testing and one student has been confirmed negative while the other student is awaiting the test result.

The Hall Administration has carried out thorough disinfection and cleaning of the common areas of the Hall and awaits further advice from the Centre for Health Protection. The Hall Management has also reminded the student residents to closely monitor their health conditions and to seek prompt medical attention if they are feeling unwell.

The University has already implemented special work arrangement and further preventive measures to safeguard the health of our staff and students. All staff except those performing essential duties and emergency services should work from home as far as practicable until further notice. Staff and students are also advised to strictly follow precautionary and social distancing measures at all times so as to reduce the risk of possible spread of the virus on campus.

The University will provide necessary support to the concerned student and continue to monitor the COVID-19 situation to step up the health and safety measures as necessary.

Please stay vigilant and stay healthy!

Best regards

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Chair, Task Force on Response Actions for the Novel Coronavirus

各位同事、各位同學：

香港理工大學今天（8月5日）接獲通報，一名居於紅磡學生宿舍十四樓成德堂的宿生確診感染新型冠狀病毒。

該學生於7月29日離開紅磡宿舍並回到家中居住。及後該學生於8月1日送院，並在8月2日確診。該學生於過去七天並無返回校園。同一套間的另外兩位同學已接受新型冠狀病毒測試；一位測試結果為陰性，另一位正等候測試結果。

宿舍管理已安排清潔人員在有關宿舍的公眾地方進行全面清潔及消毒，並正等待衛生防護中心的進一步指示；同時提醒其他宿生密切留意自己的身體狀況，如有不適應立即求醫。

早前校方已經實施特別上班安排及加強防疫措施，以保障職員及師生健康。除了提供必須或緊急服務的人員外，其他理大教職員均可在家辦公，直至另行通知。所有師生應嚴格遵守防疫措施及保持社交距離，以減低病毒於校園傳播的風險。

校方會向該學生提供所需的協助，繼續密切留意疫情的最新發展，適時調整相關防疫措施。

疫情之下，請大家時刻注意健康，保重身體。

新型冠狀病毒應變小組主席

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