

FGCU announces one confirmed case of swine flu

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LEE COUNTY — Acting president of Florida Gulf Coast University Ron Toll announced today that Florida Gulf Coast University has one confirmed case of the H1N1 virus on campus.

All efforts are being made to curtail the spread of the virus commonly known as the swine flu.

The infected student has been treated.

FGCU also provided treatment for the roommates who may have been exposed to the virus. The students are cooperating as the school provides assistance and support for their needs.

FGCU is taking every precaution to limit the spread of the virus and is asking for everyone's cooperation.

It notified the Lee County Health Department. FGCU Student Health Services is prepared to work with students and respond to health needs.

If students develop flu-like symptoms, such as fever, cough, or sore throat, they are encouraged to call Student Health Services at (239) 590-7966. Faculty and staff exhibiting these symptoms should contact their health-care provider.

President Bradshaw is off campus, but he is closely monitoring the situation and is being provided regular updates.

Toll solicits the campus' continued cooperation and support as we work diligently to promote and maintain good public health practices across our educational community.

For more information, media representatives should contact associate vice president for Community Relations and Marketing Audrea Anderson at (239) 590-1083.

