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Dear Catholic Central High School Community,

Holy Spirit Catholic School Division was informed by the Medical Officer of Health in the South Zone of a confirmed COVID-19 case that attended Catholic Central High School last week.

Public Health has been in touch with anyone who is considered a contact. If you have not been directly contacted by public health, <u>you are not considered to be at increased risk at this time.</u>

However, like the daily public messaging coming from Alberta Health and Alberta Health Services (AHS), please monitor for symptoms of Influenza like illness: Fever, cough or shortness of breath in yourself or family members.

If you have symptoms, please immediately self-isolate at home and contact Health Link 811 where operators will provide you with further instructions.

If severely ill and in need of immediate medical attention, call 911 and inform them that you may have been exposed to COVID-19.

Please be aware that, to ensure privacy per the *Health Information Act*, no further information regarding this matter may be provided by the school or division.

As this is an evolving situation, please refer to highly reputable sources for your information, such as those from Alberta Health Services:

- https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/topics/Page16944.aspx
- https://www.alberta.ca/coronavirus-info-for-albertans.aspx

In the meantime, please continue to keep our schools, our students, and our larger community in your prayers as we continue to address the challenges ahead.

Sincerely,

Kén Sampson, Superintendent Holy Spirit Catholic School Division

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