

## H1N1 Virus Update to Northeastern Community

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New Student Orientation began on Monday, June 22. This is a wonderful time for our community to welcome its newest members over a two-day program which introduces first-year students to their new surroundings. Weekly sessions will run through the end of August.

This is also a time of large crowds and additional visitors to our campus. In recent days, we have been reminded by the World Health Organization and the Boston Public Health Commission that the H1N1 virus is still very much an active health alert. While most cases of H1N1 in Boston and nationwide have been relatively mild, recent news also demonstrates how serious influenza can be. This is a good time to reinforce the preventive measures we all need to take to minimize the risk of infection. H1N1 prevention and information sheets are available to download in side bar on the main page to the right.

Additionally, our website will continue to be the source of current and accurate information on prevention, symptoms and community updates on H1N1.