

Today, Governor Cuomo reminded everyone that *"COVID-19 is spreading in New York, and the increased number of cases is taking place throughout the state. This is not an upstate or downstate issue—all New Yorkers, regardless of where they live, have cause for concern... our success also depends on the vigilance and smart behavior of New Yorkers. Wash your hands, stay socially distanced and wear a mask... We're going to get through this pandemic, but only if we do it together and stay New York Tough."*

Thank you all for being so diligent with our safety protocols. I know it is an inconvenience, but we would always rather err on the side of caution in order to keep everyone safe and healthy. Thank you to everyone who is asking questions. The recent rise in cases across the State, and the positive cases here at Crossroads (a third positive case was confirmed; however, this individual has not had any contact with anyone at Crossroads since 11/6), are reason for anxiety and fear. I understand that and hope I can assure everyone that we are doing everything we can to keep staff and students safe. Please reach out if you have questions.

Thank you all for working together. We knew it was a matter of time before COVID directly impacted us. Thankfully, we were able to get through it with minimal disruption to our students and families.

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