



## **Fayetteville State University**

**Fayetteville State University** has sent a broadcast message via the LiveSafe app:

Students and Employees: The University has identified a cluster of COVID-19 cases at University Place Apartments. There are currently 6 positive cases. A “cluster” is defined by the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services as five or more cases that are deemed close proximity in location. “Location” is defined as a single residential hall or dwelling. The individuals in this cluster have been identified and are isolating and receiving medical monitoring. We have also notified and are receiving guidance from the Cumberland County Health Department. Contact tracing has been initiated with direct communication to anyone known to have been in close contact with a person who has tested positive for COVID-19. A close contact is defined as someone who has been within 6 feet of an infected person for more than 15 minutes when either person has not been wearing a face covering. Those identified as a close contact will be notified directly and provided with further guidance. The University will not broadly communicate details about individual positive cases, consistent with the State Human Resources Act and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, as well as other privacy considerations. Anyone experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, which include fever, shortness of breath, muscle aches or a cough, should immediately contact their medical provider or Student Health Services, (910) 672-1295. The University will continue to monitor on-campus behavior and compliance with its mandatory requirements pertaining to face coverings, physical distancing and gatherings and events. Information on and updates to the University’s response to COVID-19 can be found on the University’s COVID-19 website. This information is being provided per guidance under the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act, which establishes requirements regarding health and safety information that universities must share with their campuses.