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UCT confirms sixth case of COVID-19

The University of Cape Town has been advised that a third student tested positive for COVID-19 on Sunday, 29 March 2020. The student is receiving medical support and identified contacts were traced and advised to go into quarantine.

UCT has now had six cases of COVID-19 – three staff members and three students. All individuals who tested positive immediately went into self-isolation for 14 days, and all their identified contacts went into quarantine as soon as they were traced.

The university continues to wish all the affected staff members and students well and a speedy return to good health.

Going forward, UCT will provide updates on confirmed cases in the university community on a weekly basis.

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