

President's Report

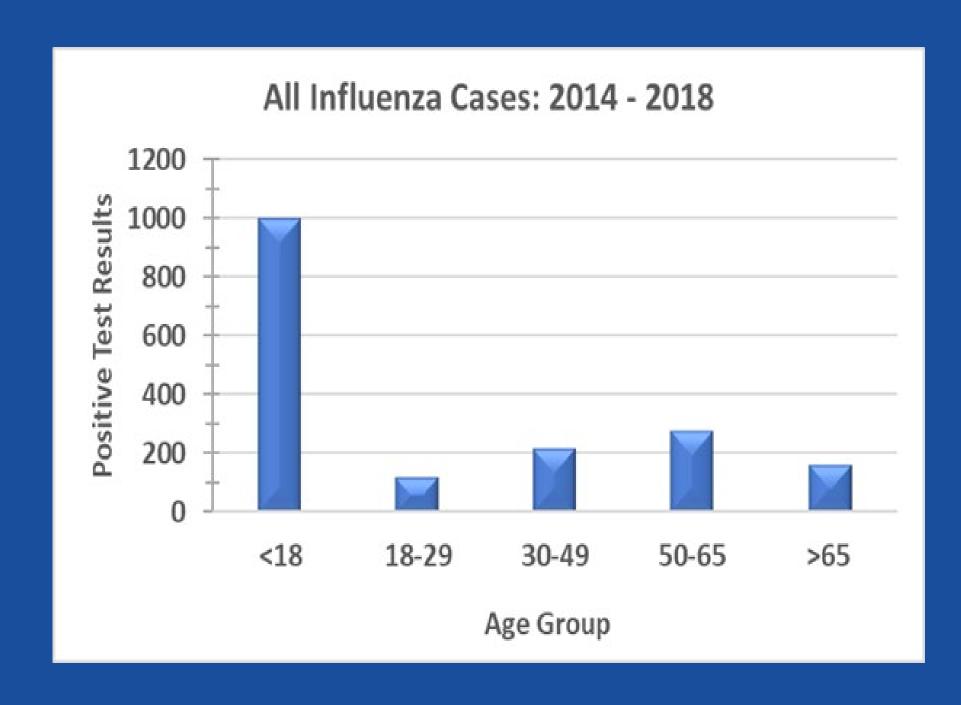
Faculty Senate Meeting

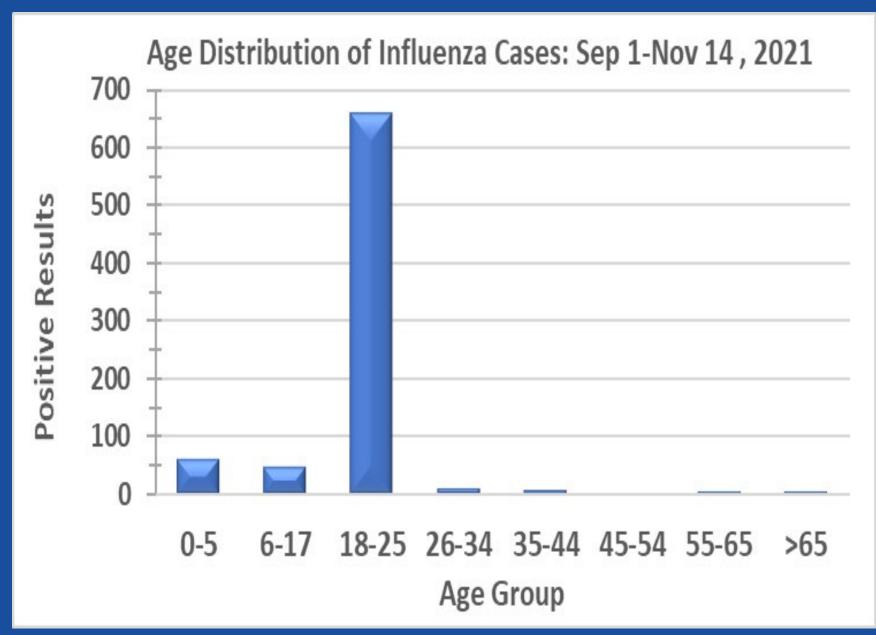
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Kent Fuchs, President



Influenza







Timeline

- First cases in Florida reported in March 2020
- UF first SUS university to transition to all-online classes in March 2020
- UF began testing in March; contact-tracing in April and launched UF STP in May
- UF Health Jax first in Florida to give vaccine in December
- Mass vaccination for 65-older at stadium in February 2021
- >40K employees and community members receive first doses and >35K receive second doses by March 1
- Vaccines became available to UF students in April



Overview

- Nearly 2M masks distributed
- >10M COVID tests performed and analyzed
- Air exchange evaluated in 700 teaching spaces
- Cleaning protocols enhanced for classrooms, facilities
- UFIT implemented digital learning, virtual meetings, HyFlex technology in hundreds of classrooms



Student-Focused Response

- Housing, dining for students provided throughout pandemic
- Up to 500 beds set aside for quarantine/isolation
- 987 students spent 6,975 nights in quarantine on campus; 10,236 meals delivered to them
- More than 1,000 meals delivered from Hitchcock Field & Fork Pantry to isolated/quarantined students off campus not on meal plans
- \$67.5M dispersed to students through federal CARES act, used for housing and food insecurity, health care, job loss, etc.
- >3,200 students received >\$2.8M in UF Aid-A-Gator funds



Community Outreach & COVID Research

- UF Health joins state health department in testing and vaccines at 18 university and community locations (East Gainesville churches, farm worker locations, Central Florida hospitals and UF stadium)
- 65,125 vaccine doses to date by UF, county health department
- UF researchers/faculty contributed ... from custom-made masks to 3-D printed nasal swabs ... from epidemiological research to medical research benefiting COVID patients ... from low-cost ventilators to oxygen conservation techniques



Response Investments

Pathology Lab - Covid Tests	\$10,366,893
Health Expenses/Screen, Test and Protect	\$1,812,121
IT Expenses, e.g. network for testing and Hyflex	\$3,898,751
PPE (masks etc.)	\$2,292,363
Lab supplies, computer equipment, quarantine meals	
and other response	\$5,388,020
TOTAL	\$23,758,148