



New England Institutional COVID-19 Response

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How did we get here?

Fall 2020 marked a semester of innovation in response to the COVID-10 pandemic:



- 23% of institutions offered courses entirely online
- 53% of institutions offered courses in a hybrid format
- 24% of institutions offered courses in-person



122 institutions published publicly available dashboards detailing current and recovered COVID-19 cases within the campus community

Explore our fall 2020 dashboard [here](#)

What's next in spring 2021?



Institutions' instructional modalities remain largely consistent with the fall semester



Testing plans remain rigorous. Social distancing and face coverings are required when on campus



Vaccine distribution remains a state-directed issue at this time

See [our matrix](#) for more detail on New England states' plans for vaccine distribution

State	Cases reported by institutions (spring 2021)	# of institutions reporting
CT	296	19
ME	147	18
MA	1,603	48
NH	225	19 (UNH system reported as one entity)
RI	423	7
VT	69	10

Case numbers are cumulative for the spring semester OR over the last 1-4 weeks depending on how an institution reports its data/when testing began for spring 2021.