



Hello, colleagues.

With the start of a new semester, we wanted to provide you with a quick update regarding our campus-wide H1N1 preparations.

Last fall, as you may remember, both employees and students were provided with an opportunity to obtain both seasonal flu and H1N1 flu vaccinations. Any remaining H1N1 vaccine doses left at winter break were turned over to the county as per procedure. If you or a student would like an H1N1 vaccination, click [here](#) to obtain information from Santa Barbara County's Public Health Department about local vaccine clinics.

Student Health Services will continue to monitor flu levels on campus, check bathrooms for hand washing signage and distribute individual hand sanitizers on campus with a notice of where dispensers are located on campus.

The committee developing the H1N1 Operation Plan is working on an absentee tracking procedure to assist in decision making if our campus H1N1 absenteeism reaches high levels. There may be a request for volunteer "reporters" in this process and your participation will be greatly appreciated. This reporting will only last for the duration of the peak flu season. Kim Graham can answer your questions about the process.