

President's Town Hall

January 12, 2022



Agenda

- Covid Update
- SAO Announcement
- Enrolment Update
- Student Survey Results
- Negahneewin Research Centre Updates



Happy New Year

- Welcome back
- I hope everyone was able to enjoy some rest over the holidays
- We have returned to a different state of affairs since we left before Christmas



COVID Update



COVID – Step 2

- ?s regarding Step 2 –Impact Post-Secondary change to maximum number in classrooms of 50
- Please read your staff news and links to COVID-19 updates
- Fluid situation; updating as we get more information
- When in doubt, ask your manager



COVID Protocols

- We have changed our protocols based on provincial changes to the testing requirements
- Employees and students who are <u>symptomatic</u> are required to stay home/work from home for at least 5 days and be free from symptoms for a minimum of 24 hours prior to returning to campus; do not seek testing
- Employees and students who have completed a rapid test and get positive test result must isolate for at least 5 days and be free from symptoms for a minimum of 24 hours prior to returning to campus – these same restrictions apply if a member of the household tests positive
- We have expanded seating in the cafeteria in the Shuniah Building; only one person can sit at a table at a time; same rules in other eating areas across campus
- No eating is allowed outside of the cafeteria/designated eating areas in building



Masks

- We are distributing 3-layer masks; cloth masks are no longer permitted
- The province is making N95 masks available for free to colleges as of late last week but the supply will be dependent on availability. An order has been placed for 2,200 masks to add to our existing stock
- We will distribute N95s to staff on campus and are confirming we have enough supply to meet our programming needs where higher level mask specifications are mandatory (health and dental programs)
- Face shields are also recommended for those who cannot physically distance and these will be available to staff as well



Mask Management

<u>https://www.webmd.com/lung/news/20211229/cloth-masks-vs-surgical-n95-what-to-know</u>



HEPA Filters

- The province has indicated they may have portable HEPA air filter units and filters will be made available as of late last week
- Much discussion in the media regarding HEPA filters; application into existing building systems require modifications
- We have requested portable filtration units from the province. Portable filtration can be used in classrooms and laboratories; facilities will work on proper installation
- Our current air exchange and filtration system is very good
 - Filters are changed out / 6-month cycle
 - Extended our air systems run time before and after buildings close
 - Increased the fresh air intakes
- Stay tuned



Skills Advance Ontario (SAO)



SAO Announcement

- 10.6 million to help the under and unemployed become PSWs, Home and Community Care Workers and Medical Lab Assistants
- We have secured 16 partnership agreements with both Indigenous and Non-Indigenous health care providers
- There are almost 300 employment opportunities for these trained workers
- Project runs from 2021 to 2023
- Thank you to Alison Warwick and her team for the great work under Carol Cline's leadership in Workforce Development
- And to Anne Renaud for her original efforts in securing this contract through the Ministry of Labour Training and Skills Development



Winter Enrolment Update



Enrolment Update

Winter 2022 Enrolment (as of January 10, 2022) - still have students eligible to register

	2021/22	2022/23 as of 10/Jan	Projection	Diff from Projection	% Diff by line
1st year - Domestic	1,258	1,167	1,261	(94)	-7.4%
Returning Domestic	775	586	603	(17)	-2.8%
Total Domestic	2,033	1,753	1,864	(111)	-5.9%
1st year - International	666	740	612	128	20.9%
Returning International	516	213	292	(79)	-27%
Total International	1,182	953	904	49	5.4%
Total Enrolled	3,215	2,706	2,768	(62)	-2.2%
% Change		-15.8%		-2.2%	

Applications – Fall 2022

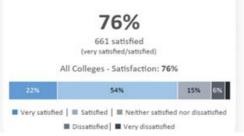
- Overall domestic applications are down 4% (system is down 2%)
- Program specific marketing campaigns beginning this month



Student Survey Results

- Student Experience Survey
- Student Climate Survey
- Ontario College Student Experience Survey

COLLEGE
Overall Experience | Overall, how satisfied are
you with your experience at your college?
867 responses | Year - 2021



Knowledge and Skills | Overall, how satisfied are you with the extent to which your program is giving you knowledge and skills that will be useful in your future career? 823 Responses | Year - 2021

> 84% 694 satisfied (very satisfied/satisfied)

All Colleges - Satisfaction: 84%



Student Experience Survey

Communication | Overall, how satisfied are you with the information / communications you receive from your college? 696 responses | Year - 2021

> 80% 556 satisfied (very satisfied/satisfied) All Colleges - Satisfaction: 77% 55% 16%

Very satisfied | Satisfied | Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
 Dissatisfied | Very dissatisfied

Learning Experiences | How satisfied are you with the OVERALL quality of the learning experiences in this program? 784 Responses | Year - 2021

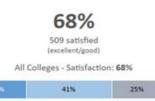


658 satisfied (very satisfied/satisfied)

All Colleges - Satisfaction: 81%

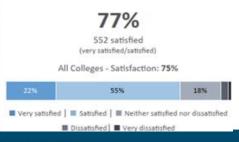


Remote Learning | How would you rate the overall quality of the remote learning experience in your program? 749 responses | Year - 2021



Excellent | Good | Fair | Poor

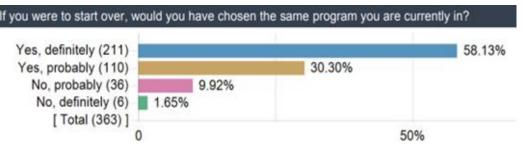
Services | How satisfied are you with the OVERALL quality of the services in the college? 715 Responses | Year - 2021





First Year Student Experience Survey

• 88% of students indicated that they would definitely or probably choose the same program they are in



- 94% agree or strongly agree that staff at Confederation College treat students with respect
- **92%** agree or strongly agree that staff at Confederation College are helpful, considerate and friendly
- 84% agree or strongly agree that staff at Confederation College are concerned for their success



Student Climate Survey

76% of students indicated that they were either very satisfied or moderately satisfied with the implementation of the Covid-19 Vaccination Policy and Procedure

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were either very satisfied or
moderately satisfied with the overall
communications efforts by
Confederation College as they relate to
the COVID-19 pandemic/response

Top concerns rated by students:

- The financial Impact on their life
- The amount of stress they are feeling
 - Availability of job opportunities after graduation



Ontario College Student Experience Survey (OCSES)

- Launching January 31st, 2022 to February 18th, 2022
- College wide student experience and satisfaction survey
- Sent to all postsecondary students who are beyond their first semester of study
- Stay tuned for announcements and more information!



Negahneewin Research Centre Updates



Negahneewin Research Centre

- Art Hive and Pride Centre continues online
- e Campus Ontario: Virtual Learning Strategy for development of digital learning and capacity
- Tri-Agency's College and Community Social Innovation Fund with Canadore College
- NSERC Mobilization Grant for college programs



Negahneewin Research Centre

- Degree in Indigenous Leadership in partnership with Humber and Seneca Colleges: recent meeting on December 6-7, 2021
- Workplan and development underway
- Proposed Timeline January April 2022
- Follow up on submission to August 2022



Questions?



Employee Supports

Employee and Family Assistance Program (EFAP) remains available for all employees 24/7.

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Stay Safe this Semester Be Patient and Kind

Thank you :)