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PROGRAM DISRUPTION

- ❖ Blended Learning and Competency-based Program
  - ▷ Self-paced College for America Program (SNHU)
  - ▷ Kepler-based program
    - ▪ Foundation Program
    - ▪ Modules
- ❖ 692 students
  - ▷ Kigali campus (**562 students**)
  - ▷ Kiziba campus (**130 students**)

- ❖ First COVID-19 case in Rwanda (**March 14**)
  - ▷ Schools closed (**March 16**)
  - ▷ 22 courses interrupted
  - ▷ 394 students paused their learning
  - ▷ June graduation canceled

KEPLER RESPONSE

Safety/Mental Support
- Student transport back home
- Accommodation for international students
- Counseling services for staff and students
- Phone calls/regular check-ins for staff and students

Infrastructure Support
- Airtime for Internet
- Computer distribution to **130 students** in Kiziba
- Charging stations for **49 students** in refugee camps

Staff Professional Development
- Working remotely (online conferencing, best practices, etc.)
- Engaging students online (revision of instructional materials)

IMPACT AND LESSONS LEARNED

▷ All learning have resumed

▷ **155 students** expected to graduate in August

▷ Lessons learned
  ▸ Blended learning can adapt to future interruptions
  ▸ Leveraging partners

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