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We just issued a press release stating that St. Croix County Public Health was notified that a teenage individual recently tested positive for the COVID-19 variant B.1.1.7. This is the variant that was first discovered in England during November and December of 2020. Researchers believe that this variant spreads more rapidly and easily than the original strain of the virus that causes COVID-19. This is the first confirmed case of a COVID-19 variant in St. Croix County.

You can read the full press release here: <https://www.sccwi.gov/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=164>

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