

## America East Women's Basketball Championship Quarterfinal No. 2: No. 4 New Hampshire vs. No. 5 Hartford Postgame Quotes

## **New Hampshire**

New Hampshire Coach Maureen Magarity

Hartfords game plan worked. They packed us in the paint and forced a lot of outside shots, unfortunately our shots were not falling. Going 1 for 19 from three, you're not going to win too many games shooting the ball like that. When Kaylee went down, we didn't have much of a presence inside. I give Hartford all the credit in the world they made some huge plays down the stretch to extend their lead. They never really let us get back into the game. For our seniors, it's a tough way to go out. It's definitely been an up and down year. We faced a lot of adversity with injuries and this senior class had stepped up. I think they overachieved, to be quite honest, both individually and collectively. Coming off such a great win to end the regular season and then play how we did today defensively it leaves a sour taste in your mouth. But overall our seniors have had a great career and I feel so lucky to have coached them.

## Hartford

Hartford Coach Jennifer Rizzotti

Obviously we're excited. We've had our up and downs this year so it's nice to be playing good at this time of the year. Maine is a great team and we're excited to have a third shot at them. I always think that the preparation piece is always the most fun part of being a coach, but now we have to trust that our players can turn around in 24 hours and be as mentally ready as they were today.