

# COVID-19 Screening for Parents

Every morning before you send your child to school please check for signs of illness:



**FEVER 100.4\* OR CHILLS**  
\*or school board policy  
if threshold is lower



**SORE THROAT**



**COUGH\* OR SHORTNESS  
OF BREATH**  
\*especially new onset,  
uncontrolled cough



**DIARRHEA, NAUSEA OR  
VOMITING, ABDOMINAL PAIN**



**HEADACHE\***  
\*particularly new onset of severe  
headache, especially with fever



**NEW LOSS OF TASTE  
OR SMELL**

*\*May present with more than one symptom. This list does not include all possible symptoms.*

- 1** Does your child have any sign of illness above?
- 2** Were you in close contact (within 6 feet for more than 15 minutes) with anyone confirmed with COVID-19?
- 3** If the answer is **YES** to any of the questions, **DO NOT** send your student to school. Instead, begin isolation of your child and contact your healthcare provider. Have you been tested for COVID-19? Only a positive test or provider diagnosis can confirm if someone has a current infection.
- 4** Please keep your student home until they meet the criteria on the chart on back of the page.

**➔** *If you have trouble breathing, chest pain, new confusion, inability to wake or stay awake or bluish lips or face*

**CALL 911!**

## Individual is NOT a known close contact to a COVID-19 case:



Individual	Symptomatic	No Symptoms
<b>Not tested for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual must remain home for at least 10 days since the first symptoms began AND be fever free without the use of fever-reducing medications for 24 hours AND with improvement of symptoms.</li> <li>If diagnosed with another condition that explains the symptoms, such as ear or bladder infection, individual does not need to isolate, doctor's note required to return to school.</li> <li>Consider quarantine for siblings and household members if you have significant concern for COVID-19.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May attend school.</li> </ul>
<b>Tested and negative for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual must be fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications and improvement of symptoms, unless otherwise advised by a healthcare provider.</li> <li>If diagnosed with another condition, the individual must complete the exclusion period for the diagnosed disease.</li> <li>Please provide proof of negative COVID-19 test (not antibody).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May attend school.</li> </ul>
<b>Tested and positive for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual must <b>isolate</b> at home for at least 10 days since the first symptoms began AND be fever free without the use of fever-reducing medications for 24 hours AND with improvement in symptoms.</li> <li>Repeat testing is NOT recommended for making decisions about when people can return to work or school.</li> <li>Siblings, household members, and other close contacts should follow the close contact chart below.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must <b>isolate</b> at home for 10 days after the day the sample was collected.</li> <li>Siblings, household members, and other close contacts should follow the close contact chart below.</li> </ul>

## Individual IS a known close contact to a COVID-19 case:

Individual	Symptomatic	No Symptoms
<b>Not tested for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Because the individual is a close contact of a COVID-19 case, the individual must <b>quarantine</b> for at least 14 days after the last contact with the COVID-19-positive person.</li> <li>Because the individual has developed symptoms and has not been tested or have an alternate diagnosis, the individual is likely a case and must also remain home for at least 10 days since the first symptoms began AND be fever free without the use of fever-reducing medications for 24 hours AND with improvement of symptoms.</li> <li>The criteria in both of the above bullets must be met before returning to school whichever is longer.</li> <li>If the individual cannot properly <b>isolate</b> away from others at home, the last date of contact may be the last day of <b>isolation</b> for the positive person.</li> <li>Since the individual is a close contact who is now symptomatic, siblings, household members, and other close contacts should also follow this chart to determine <b>quarantine</b> length.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must <b>quarantine</b> for 14 days from the date of last exposure before returning to school or day care. Siblings do not need to <b>quarantine</b>.</li> <li>If the exposure is to a household member and the case cannot properly <b>isolate</b> away from others at home, the last date of contact may be the last day of <b>isolation</b> for the positive person.</li> <li>If an individual who is a close contact becomes symptomatic, refer to the symptomatic scenarios.</li> </ul>
<b>Tested and negative for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual must <b>quarantine</b> for 14 days after contact with the COVID-19-positive person, even if the student has an alternate diagnosis for symptoms.</li> <li>If still symptomatic after the 14 days, individual must wait to return to school until fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications and improvement of symptoms.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must <b>quarantine</b> for 14 days from the date of last exposure before returning to school or day care.</li> <li>If the exposure is to a household member and the case cannot properly <b>isolate</b> away from others at home, the last date of contact may be the last day of <b>isolation</b> for the positive person.</li> <li>If an individual who is a close contact becomes symptomatic, refer to the symptomatic scenarios.</li> </ul>
<b>Tested and positive for COVID-19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The individual must <b>isolate</b> at home for at least 10 days since the first symptoms began AND be fever free without the use of fever-reducing medications for 24 hours AND with improvement in symptoms.</li> <li>Repeat testing is NOT recommended for making decisions about when people can return to work or school.</li> <li>Siblings, household members, and other close contacts should also follow this chart to determine <b>quarantine</b> length.</li> <li>If the close contact tests positive, <b>isolation</b> starts on the day of symptom onset and <b>isolation</b> may end prior to the last day of <b>quarantine</b> or after the 14 days of quarantine.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must <b>isolate</b> at home for 10 days after the day the sample was collected.</li> <li>Siblings, household members, and other close contacts should follow this chart.</li> </ul>