MUNICIPAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT



School informed of

Scenario #1:

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Guidance for Management of COVID Scenarios

Positive case (student or staff member)
Test date:
Symptom(s):
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Was student/staff in school?
Check up to 48 hours before onset-
List dates
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Are there siblings that attend school?
Do they have any signs and symptoms?
Have they been tested?
Are there other household members that work at school? • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Was there distancing between students 3 feet apart?
Was masking consistent on students and staff?
Were other barriers used?
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If YES (social distancing was observed and masking was consistent)
No contact tracing
Inform LHD of positive case
And inform them of no direct
contact.
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If NO (social distancing not observed or non-consistent
proper masking- or both)
Let LHD know you have a positive case with possible contacts.
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Contact tracing is needed if the definition of possible
direct contact has been met.
Compile list of these contacts: Name, DOB, Address, Parent name, Phone#
(Would be helpful if email was sent from school to inform parents in that

class to pick up call from School Nurses.)

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The School Nurses will give guidance regarding quarantine, testing, what is required to come back to school, virtual learning.

Contact tracers can assist with the list of possible direct contacts after school nurses make the initial call.

Inform LHD when list is available.

Contact tracer will do follow up on this contact list and inform LHD of any issues. They will input all information into CommCare Data Base.

List of definitions:

Possible direct contact: Being within 6 feet of a suspected Or known COVID19 case for 15 mins of more in 24 hours or Being coughed on or sneezed upon by a positive COVID19 case. Exception: In K-12 Indoor classroom, close contact excludes students who were within 3-6 feet of infected student-and where both the infected student and the exposed student correctly and consistently were wearing well-fitting masks the entire time. Infected student definition: "Covid-like" symptoms or a positive lab result.

Quarantine Guidelines

(Household or Non-Household) contact tracing

Quarantine for 10 days from last date of contact with the positive case.

May return on Day 11. No doctor's note required.

Option to test with a PCR on Day 5,6,or 7 from last date of possible contact. May come off quarantine on Day 8 if negative result received by school nurse.

This time frame for Quarantine may change according to the number of cases.

This is tracked weekly by the NJ DOH.

Quarantine means no school or outside activities.

*Important: Anytime during quarantine that you experience Covid Compatible symptoms, you should be tested as soon as possible and isolate away from family until you have the test results.

If you test positive you are then considered a positive case and will isolate for 10 full days from the date of symptom onset. You can come off isolation if fever free for 24 hours and your symptoms are mostly resolved.

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Scenario #2: Student/Staff: In school onset of **Covid Compatible Symptoms:** (See The Road Forward, pg. 10: 3.1, 3.2, 3.3) Remove student or staff member from area or class to isolation room (not nurse's office) Inform Office or Principal Have a person monitoring Isolation room (distance 6 ft) Have gloves and mask (medical quality available) If person needs to be closer. Call parent to pick-up student or if staff unable to drive, reach out to family member. Interview parent or staff. Was child c/o any symptoms today or in the past few days? Was there any known exposure to anyone who was sick or diagnosed with Covid in the last 14 days? Check if there are siblings or any family members that attend or work at school. Household members of person with Covid compatible symptoms stay quarantined until we have the PCR Test result for the symptomatic person. This includes other activities. Symptomatic student or staff must isolate. Get tested with a PCR. Keep away if possible from family-Especially people more at risk for severe illness. (elders, pregnant woman, those with chronic illness)

This includes isolation from outside activities-

e.g.: sports, dance, etc until we have a PCR result.

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Scenario #2:

Student/Staff:

In school onset of

Covid Compatible

Symptoms:

(See The Road Forward, pg. 10: 3.1, 3.2, 3.3)

Managing Test Results:

Negative PCR- return when feeling better (Provide negative PCR result)

Positive PCR- This is a case. Isolation for 10 days. Any possible direct contact must quarantine. Refer to: The Road Forward Guidelines page 12.

Household members of a person with Covid are always considered possible direct contacts. They are required to quarantine unless they are fully vaccinated. All possible direct contacts, whether vaccinated or not vaccinated, should monitor themselves for symptoms of Covid for 14 days from last contact with the positive case. They should test as soon as possible if they have Covid compatible symptoms.