

# COVID-19 DECISION TREE

**CLOSE CONTACT TO COVID+ PERSON**  
(WITHIN 6ft for >15 MIN)

**MUST STAY HOME**

Immediately quarantine for a minimum of **14 days** from date of last contact and monitor for symptoms

**PERSON REMAINS ASYMPTOMATIC**      **PERSON BECOMES SYMPTOMATIC**

Continue to complete original quarantine dates

**HOUSEHOLD MEMBER TESTS POSITIVE**

Can this person be isolated within the household?

**NO**

**MUST STAY HOME**

Immediately quarantine for **14 days AFTER** positive household member is released from isolation

**YES**

**MUST STAY HOME**

Immediately quarantine for a minimum of **14 days** from date of last contact and monitor for symptoms

**FEELINGS OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:**

- Fever (100.4 F or higher)
- Chills
- Muscle pain
- Sore throat
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Runny nose and congestion
- Gastrointestinal symptoms of diarrhea, vomiting or nausea
- Cough
- Shortness of breath
- Headache

Are you currently at school?

Please visit school health room for evaluation and further direction for individual

For those with a COVID-19 diagnosis WITHOUT a lab test

**OR**

For those with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 WITHOUT medical evaluation

**GET TESTED FOR COVID-19**

What were your test results?

**MUST STAY HOME**

Negative test results but **diagnosed with other illness** (ie. strep throat)

Stay home until symptoms have improved. Follow specific return guidance from health care provider. If symptoms related to a pre-existing condition change or worsen, talk to a health care provider to determine next steps. Siblings and household members **DO NOT** need to stay home for 14 days. If you were previously quarantined for a COVID exposure, you must stay home until the duration of the quarantine.

**NEGATIVE**

**POSITIVE**

Negative test results but has symptoms with **no other diagnoses**

Stay home until they are feeling better and they have not had a fever for 24 hours **WITHOUT** using any medication to reduce fever. Please provide a copy of the negative test for the return of school. If you were previously quarantined for a COVID exposure, you must stay home until the duration of the quarantine.

**MUST STAY HOME**

Stay home at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared **AND** until **no fever for at least 24 hrs without medication AND improvement of other symptoms. Siblings and household members also stay home for 14 days**

**MUST STAY HOME**

**TO COME BACK TO SCHOOL...**

....student needs a negative COVID test **OR** a MD note which states an alternative diagnosis **OR** an MD note that states child does not have COVID **OR** they need to stay home for 10 days and be fever free for 24 hours without the use of medication and symptoms are better