



# DEFINITION OF A CLOSE CONTACT

## Definition

All of the following criteria must apply to be considered a Close Contact:

- Within 6 feet of a Covid-19 positive individual or within 3 feet in a classroom
- For a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period starting from 2 days before illness onset (or for asymptomatic people, 2 days before the test date)
- While indoors

## Exempt from Quarantine/Testing

If a student meets any of these criteria:

- Recovered from COVID-19 in the last 90 days
- Exposed in a classroom while both individuals masked and at least 3 feet apart
- Individuals on a bus, masked, and windows open
- Individual is fully vaccinated

...then they are exempt from quarantine and testing.

# COVID-19 SITUATION CHART

<p><b>SITUATION</b></p>	<p>Student identified as <b>SYMPTOMATIC</b></p>		
<p><b>IMMEDIATE STEPS</b></p>	<p>Student assessed by the Nurse and placed in a Medical Waiting Room until they can go home. Cannot be sent home by bus.</p>		
<p><b>TEST &amp; RESULT</b></p>	<p>Student will get a PCR/molecular COVID-19 Test</p> <p><b>POSITIVE</b></p>	<p><b>NOT TESTED</b></p>	<p><b>NEGATIVE</b></p>
<p><b>QUARANTINE or ISOLATION</b></p>	<p>Self-isolation for at least 10 days AND until 24 hours have passed without fever or other symptoms. <i>Notify your School Nurse and close personal contacts, if tested positive.</i></p>		<p>Return after 24 hours have passed without symptoms and free of fever off fever-reducing medication.</p>

**If an individual is symptomatic with COVID-19 WHILE AT HOME, they should stay home, call their healthcare provider, and get tested. Contact your School Nurse.**



# COVID-19 SITUATION CHART

SITUATION

FULLY VACCINATED student identified as **CLOSE CONTACT**

IMMEDIATE  
STEPS

Any COVID-19 Symptom  
Stay home and get PCR test.

TEST &  
RESULT

Student gets a PCR COVID-19 Test

**POSITIVE**

**NEGATIVE**

QUARANTINE  
or ISOLATION

Self-isolation for at least  
10 days AND until 24 hours  
have passed without fever or  
other symptoms.

*Notify your School Nurse and  
close personal contacts.*

Symptoms: stay home until  
improvement of symptoms. Then,  
return and follow Test & Stay (see  
next slide).

No Symptoms since Exposure:  
return to school.

# COVID-19 SITUATION CHART

## SITUATION

UNVACCINATED or PARTIALLY VACCINATED student identified as **CLOSE CONTACT**

## IMMEDIATE STEPS

Any COVID-19 Symptom  
Stay home.

No COVID-19 Symptoms  
Exposed during Extracurriculars or Outside of School. Stay home.

No COVID-19 Symptoms  
Exposed during School Day. Remain in school.

## TEST & RESULT

Student gets a COVID-19 Test  
**NEGATIVE**

Student gets a PCR COVID-19 Test on Day 5+  
**NEGATIVE**

Test & Stay for 7 days in school.  
**NEGATIVE**

## QUARANTINE or ISOLATION

14 days of strict quarantine

7, 10, or 14 days of strict quarantine, based on DPH quarantine guidelines.  
Actively monitor symptoms through day 14.

Remain in school if:

- Student has no symptoms and actively monitors for symptoms through day 14
- Student wears mask at all times, other than eating/drinking
- Student takes BinaxNOW test on each school day for 7 days
- Student quarantines outside of school day (e.g. no extracurriculars) through day 8

**POSITIVE at any point**

Isolate at home for at least 10 days AND until 24 hours have passed without fever or other symptoms. Notify your School Nurse and close personal contacts.