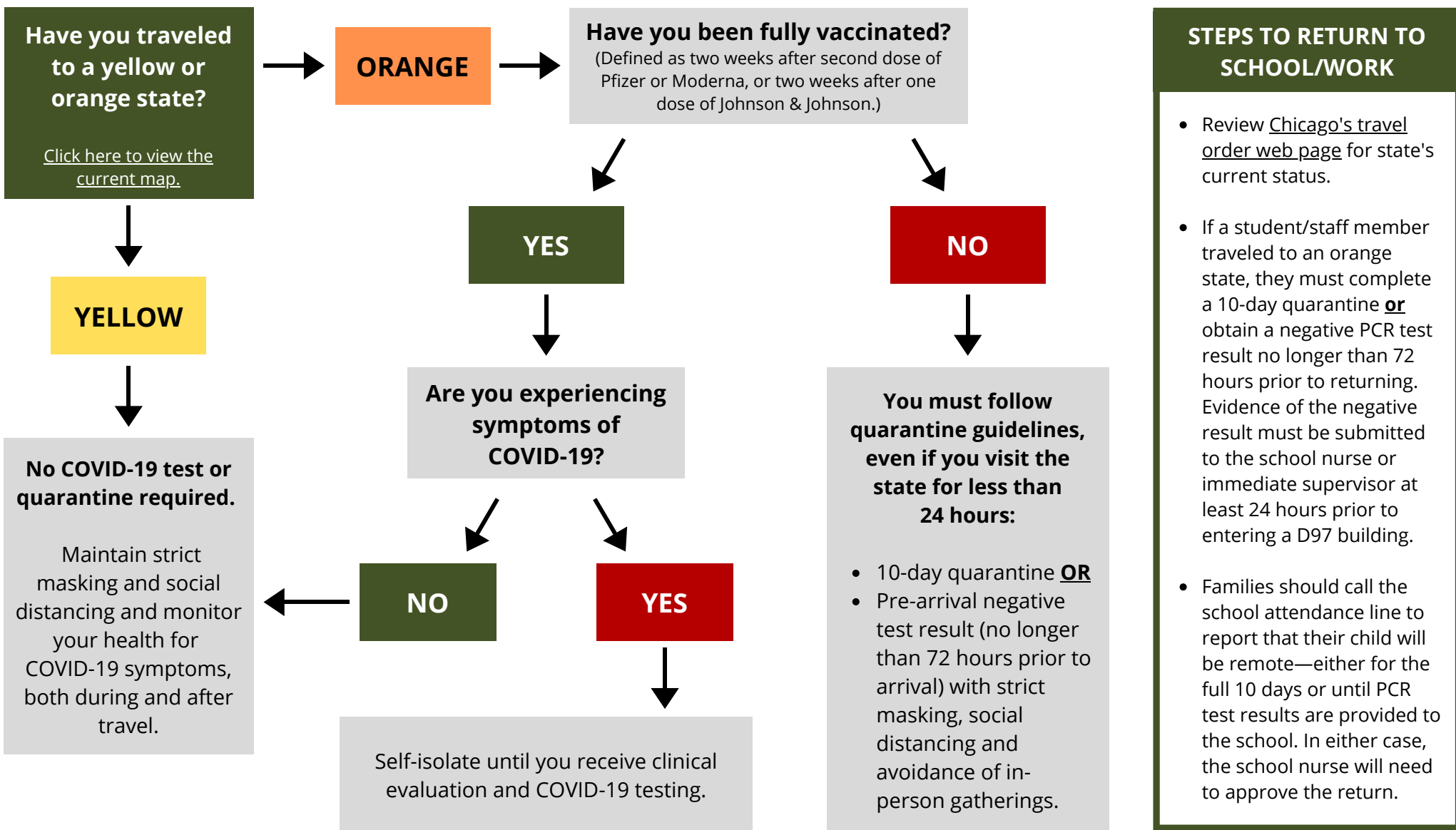




TRAVEL GUIDELINES FOR STAFF & STUDENTS

On Feb. 25, 2021, the Oak Park Department of Public Health updated its travel guidelines to align with guidance from Cook County and the City of Chicago. Under the new system, states are categorized as Yellow or Orange based on the level of community-wide spread of COVID-19, and are subject to different quarantine requirements. International travelers should continue to follow the requirements of the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Avoiding unnecessary travel remains paramount to maintaining the health and safety of our school community. It is the district's expectation that families and staff who travel out of state comply with the updated guidance before returning to school/work.



STEPS TO RETURN TO SCHOOL/WORK

- Review [Chicago's travel order web page](#) for state's current status.
- If a student/staff member traveled to an orange state, they must complete a 10-day quarantine **or** obtain a negative PCR test result no longer than 72 hours prior to returning. Evidence of the negative result must be submitted to the school nurse or immediate supervisor at least 24 hours prior to entering a D97 building.
- Families should call the school attendance line to report that their child will be remote—either for the full 10 days or until PCR test results are provided to the school. In either case, the school nurse will need to approve the return.