School Protocol for Symptomatic or Positive COVID-19 Student or Employee

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Student or Employee is Symptomatic
Fever, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea

Isolate and send home immediately. Inform student or employee they must seek medical attention and must have provider note and negative COVID-19 test before returning.

Allow Student or employee to return when has
- note from a medical provider, and
- negative COVID-19 test, and
- resolution of symptoms

If the above three steps are not performed, student or employee will
- Isolate for a minimum of 10 days from start of symptoms (Public Health will release),
- Be 3 days without a fever without use of antipyretic (Tylenol or Ibuprofren), and
- Have progressive improvement in symptoms

Student or employee tests positive for COVID-19

Local Health Department contacts student, parent, or employee to perform case investigation and contact tracing. Contact tracing begins 48 hours prior to the start of symptoms or 48 hours prior to the positive test for an asymptomatic person. All persons within 6 ft for more than 10 minutes during that time frame will be quarantined for 14 days, monitored for symptoms and tested. Local Health Department will notify school for collaboration with contract tracing.

Positive student or employee will be isolated for a minimum of 10 days from start of symptoms. Student or employee must be 3 days without a fever, without use of antipyretic (Tylenol or Ibuprofen) and have progressive improvement in symptoms before returning.

Contacts to positive case are referred to local testing sites and can return to school after 14 day quarantine period