

COVID-19 SCHOOL BASED EXCLUSION

Is student experiencing any of the following symptoms:
 Cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, new loss of taste, new loss of smell
Or at least 2 of the following symptoms:
 Fever, chills, muscle aches, headache, sore throat, fatigue, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea
 *These symptoms should be outside of the student's baseline.

YES

SEND STUDENT AND ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS HOME

DIAGNOSED WITH ANOTHER ILLNESS?

YES

FOLLOW GUIDANCE FROM HEALTHCARE PROVIDER AND EXCLUDE USING WISCONSIN CHILDHOOD COMMUNICABLE DISEASE WALL CHART.
Household Members: all well individuals may return to school and work unless otherwise indicated based on diagnosed illness

IS STUDENT A CLOSE CONTACT TO A CONFIRMED CASE?

YES

PROBABLE CASE: PUBLIC HEALTH WILL FOLLOW-UP. EXCLUDE FOR 10 DAYS SINCE SYMPTOM ONSET AND 24 HOURS FEVER FREE AND OTHER SYMPTOMS IMPROVING
Household Members: excluded for 14 days since last exposure to ill individual

NO

WAS COVID TESTING DONE?
 If awaiting results, gather close contact list: individuals within 6 ft for longer than 15 minutes, cumulative within 24 hours

NO

SUSPECT CASE: EXCLUDE FOR 10 DAYS SINCE SYMPTOM ONSET AND 24 HOURS FEVER FREE AND OTHER SYMPTOMS IMPROVING. ENSURE PH IS NOTIFIED.
Household Members: The best practice from a public health perspective is to exclude household members for 14 days since last exposure to ill individual. However, the school nurse may consider if these symptoms are different from baseline of the ill student

YES

POSITIVE CONFIRMED CASE: PUBLIC HEALTH WILL FOLLOW-UP. EXCLUDE FOR 10 DAYS SINCE SYMPTOM ONSET AND 24 HOURS FEVER FREE AND OTHER SYMPTOMS IMPROVING .
Household Members: excluded for 14 days since last exposure to ill individual

NEGATIVE NOT A CASE: EXCLUDE STUDENT UNTIL 24HR SYMPTOM FREE WITHOUT MEDICATION USE
Household Members: all well individuals may return to school and work