



TRCS Protocols for COVID-19 in School/Classroom

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	Scenario	Action	Communication
1	A student/staff member exhibits COVID-19 symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> BinaxNow test provided to student/staff, recommend PCR test Student/staff is sent home Student/staff may return after being fever free for 24 hours, symptoms improve and negative BinaxNow antigen test upon return to school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No action needed
2	Student/staff tests positive for COVID-19 at school or at home.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student/staff must isolate for up to 10 days. Isolation may end after Day 5 with a negative test at school or documented results from a health care provider, symptoms are improving and fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication. Student/staff ending isolation early before Day 10 must wear a <u>well fitting mask</u> for the remainder of the 10 day period. Day 0 is the date symptoms started with return on Day 10. Recommend PCR test 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case
3	Student/staff close contact with COVID-19 positive person at school or at home. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No ongoing contact at home (positive person at home is able to isolate). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student/staff may continue to attend school and all activities. BinaxNow test provided. If student/staff <u>has symptoms</u>, they must stay home, isolate and test. May return after being fever free for 24 hours, symptoms improve and negative BinaxNow antigen test. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case at school.
5	Student/staff close contact with COVID-19 positive case at home and <u>isolation is not possible</u> (ongoing contact).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student/staff must wear a mask at school until person at home reaches Day 10. BinaxNow test provided. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No action needed