

# Student Symptom Decision Tree

## Low-risk: general symptoms



Fever ( $\geq 100.4^{\circ}\text{F}$ )



Sore throat



Congestion/runny nose



Headache



Nausea/vomiting/diarrhea



Fatigue/muscle or body aches

## High-risk: red flag symptoms



Cough



Difficulty breathing



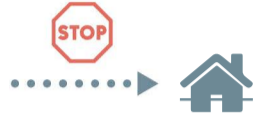
Loss of taste/smell

### Exposure to a COVID-19 positive person?

*within 6 ft of a COVID + or clinically compatible person for >15 min in a 24 hr period, regardless of masking, and occurring in any location (indoor or outdoor)*

**NO**

► **1 low risk symptom**



Send home



Return to school 24 hrs after symptom resolution (without fever reducing medication).

►  **$\geq 2$  low risk symptoms OR 1 high risk symptom**



Send home



Evaluation by health care provider

**1** Health care provider confirms alternative diagnosis for symptoms. A health care provider's note must be on file. Certified SARS-CoV-2 PCR or Antigen Test not needed



Return to school after 24 hrs without fever and symptoms improving

**2** **Negative** certified SARS-CoV-2 PCR or Antigen Test



Return to school after 24 hrs without fever and symptoms improving

**3** **Positive** certified SARS-CoV-2 PCR or Antigen Test  
**OR**  
No provider visit or test



**Return to school after 10 days since symptom onset and 24 hrs with no fever without the use of fever-reducing medications and other symptoms of COVID improving. Quarantine close contacts of confirmed cases. Contact HCA if questions.**