

REQUIREMENTS

Required for schools:

- Effective August 24, 2021, the Health Department has issued a local [public health order](#) for Oakland County educational institutions and settings requiring face masks indoors, this order was amended on November 22, 2021.
- There is a [CDC order](#) that requires face coverings on school bus transportation.
- Schools must also follow the MDHHS Order [Reporting of Confirmed and Probable Cases at Schools](#), which requires schools to post data about case counts on their websites. In addition, standard school infectious disease policies mandate requiring students and staff to stay home when sick.

ISOLATE IF YOU TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

Students, teachers and staff who test positive for COVID-19 and/or display COVID-19 symptoms should isolate regardless of vaccination status.

- If asymptomatic, monitor for symptoms for days 0-10, AND
- Isolate at home for days 0-5 (day "0" is day symptoms begin or day test was taken for those without symptoms), AND
- If symptoms have improved or no symptoms developed, return to school, while wearing a well-fitted mask for days 6-10 OR
- Stay home for days 0-10 if unwilling/unable to wear a mask

If you have a fever, stay home until you are fever free for a period of 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medications.

It is strongly recommended that unvaccinated individuals take a rapid antigen test on day 5 of isolation and return only if it is negative. If you test positive or unable to test, remain out for 10 days

QUARANTINE IF YOU WERE EXPOSED TO SOMEONE WITH COVID-19

UP TO DATE ON VACCINES – NO NEED TO QUARANTINE

If you have been boosted or completed the primary series within the last 5 months.

Defined as:

- For children 5 years through 17 years of age, 2 doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.
- For persons 18 and older, a 2-dose series of an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna) **or**
- A single-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine) within the last 2 months **or**
- Had COVID in last 90 days and is asymptomatic

NOT UP TO DATE ON VACCINES – NEED TO QUARANTINE

If you are unvaccinated or completed the primary series over 5 months ago.

Defined as:

- For children 5 years through 17 years of age, 2 doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.
- For persons 18 and older, a 2-dose series of an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna) **or**
- A single-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine) over 2 months ago **or**
- Not boosted

Close contact can remain at school and should:

- Wear a mask around others for 10 days.
- Test on day 5 if possible.

If you develop symptoms get a test & stay home.

Close contact quarantines at home for at least 5 days following exposure.

- Wear a mask for 10 days.
- Test on day 5 if possible

If you develop symptoms get a test & stay home.

Under no circumstances should schools allow someone with COVID-19 to return in fewer than 5 full days. Cases that return after 5 days should avoid people who are immunocompromised or at high risk for severe disease until after at least 10 days.

OCHD recommends students, teachers, and staff age 5 and up get vaccinated, and that students, teachers, and staff ages 12 and up receive their booster as soon as they're eligible.

This is an evolving situation and information/resources will be updated as available at www.oakgov.com/covid. Our Nurse on Call is available at 800-848-5533