Testing
Addendum to Family Guidebooks for Reopening Schools
### NECSD COVID Safety Response Protocols

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#### Testing Process

Any individual within the school facility who screens positive for COVID-19 exposure or symptoms, will be immediately sent home with instructions to contact their health care provider for assessment and testing.  
**Orange County COVID-19 Testing Locations and Resources**

The District Medical Director has consulted with leadership at Emergency One Urgent Care Center to establish priority testing for staff and students.  

**Emergency One Urgent Care**  
306 Windsor Highway,  
New Windsor, New York 12553  
845-787-1400

Students who are being sent home because of a positive screen (e.g.,onset of COVID-19 symptoms) will be immediately separated from other students and supervised until their parent/legal guardian or emergency contact can retrieve them from school.

The Health Resource Officer will immediately notify the local health department regarding a confirmed, diagnostic positive case for COVID-19.

#### Return to Work or School

The Health Resource Officer will consult with the local health department(s), about the requirements for determining when individuals, particularly students, who screened positive for COVID-19 symptoms can return to the in-person learning environment.

At a minimum the student/staff member will provide documentation from a health care provider following evaluation, negative COVID-19 diagnostic test result, and symptom resolution, or if COVID-19 positive, release from isolation.

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**LEVEL** | **DISTRICT IS NOTIFIED OF:** | **IMMEDIATE ACTION** | **NOTIFY** | **CONTACT TRACING** | **CLEANING & DISINFECTING** | **CLOSING** | **RETURN**
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1 | COVID+ STUDENT/STAFF (Lab Confirmed Positive Test) | Confirm Name Confirm Location | School Nurse COVID-19 Resource Coordinator | DOH takes the lead with district support | Follow CDC guidance | Based on Discussion with DOH | NYS DOH provides guidelines
2 | QUARANTINED (Contact of a known COVID+) | Confirm Name Confirm Location | COVID-19 Resource Coordinator | COVID-19 Resource Coordinator | District log (unless person under quarantine tests positive) | Follow CDC guidance | NO ACTION REQUIRED | Upon completion of issued quarantine orders (unless person under quarantine tests positive)
3 | COVID TEST PENDING | Confirm Name Confirm Location | COVID-19 Resource Coordinator | COVID-19 Resource Coordinator | DOH directed with district support | Follow CDC guidance | NO ACTION REQUIRED | NO ACTION REQUIRED

#### Student/Staff Presents with COVID Symptoms on Campus

- Contact nurse
- Hold in place
- Isolate
- Student & staff check-in

#### COVID Resource Coordinator

- COVID Resource Coordinator to update log
- Seal room for 24 hours if possible, and clean and disinfect

#### COVID Resource Coordinator to Custodial

- Custodial

#### COVID Resource Coordinator to Safety Team

- Safety Team

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