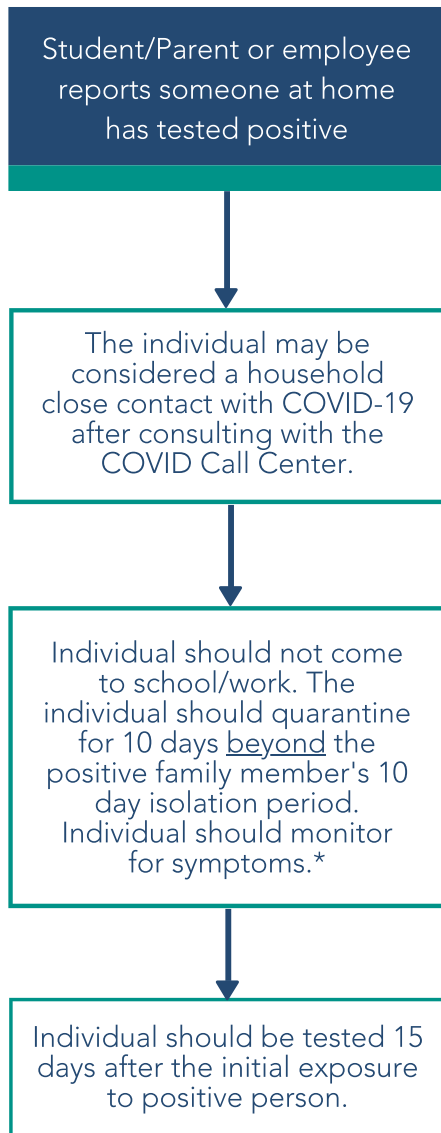


# COVID-19 QUARANTINE: **HOUSEHOLD CONTACT**

What is a Household Contact? A household contact is someone who lives in the same household as you and has a known case of COVID-19.

Students and staff should be excluded from school if they have symptoms of COVID-19 with or without fever. Students and staff that have been fully vaccinated will not need to quarantine if identified as a close contact to a COVID-19 case.



## COVID-19 SYMPTOMS

One or more of the following symptoms:

- Trouble breathing or shortness of breath
- Loss of taste or smell
- New or worsening cough
- Fever of at least 100.4

Or two or more of the following symptoms:

- New onset of severe headache
- Fatigue
- Persistent or worsening sore throat
- Congestion or rhinorrhea
- Myalgia (pain in a muscle or group of muscles)
- Nausea/vomiting
- Diarrhea

\*For an additional option to shorten quarantine period to 17 days, refer to:

**SHORTENED QUARANTINE PERIOD:**  
**HOUSEHOLD CONTACT**

Household Isolating from the positive case: Household members who can isolate from the household member with COVID-19 should quarantine as a close contact based on their date of last contact with the positive household member. Unable to isolate from the positive case: For household members who are not able to separate from the household member with COVID-19 because they are caring for them or do not have a separate room they can use, they will quarantine for the positive person's 10-day isolation period and then apply the 7-day or 10-day criteria to shorten the quarantine period based on the day when the COVID-19 case is no longer in isolation.