

Amador County Public Health

Protocols for the Onset of Symptoms, Potential Exposure to and/or Close Contact with an Individual Testing Positive for COVID-19 in a School Classroom/Cohort Setting

1

Scenario

A student or staff member either exhibits COVID-19 **symptoms**, answers yes to a health screening question or has a temp of 100.4 or above.

Action

- Student or Staff: Sent Home
- Testing recommended
- **Cohort OPEN**

Communication

No action needed

2

Scenario

A student or staff member is a **close contact** with someone that tests positive for COVID-19.

Action

- Student or Staff: Sent home, Quarantine for 14 days from last exposure
- Contact Healthcare provider/ Public Health for testing student or staff member
- **Cohort OPEN**

Communication

To: Student Families and Staff

Template Letter:
[Scenario 2 Letter](#)
[COVID-19 Close Contact](#)

3

Scenario

A student or staff member tests positive for COVID-19.

Action

- Student or Staff: Report information to administrator, sent home, isolate
- Families of Students and Staff: quarantine and contact Healthcare provider/ Public Health for testing
- **Cohort CLOSED for 14 days from last exposure**

Communication

To: Student Families and Staff
- Phone call and

Template Letter:
[Scenario 3 Letter](#)
[Confirmed Covid-19 Case](#)

4

Scenario

A student or staff member tests negative for COVID-19 after any of the reasons in scenarios 1 or 2

Action

- Student or Staff: May return to school 24 hours after symptoms resolve, (48 for diarrhea) however must continue quarantine if in contact with COVID-19 positive family member
- **Cohort OPEN**

Communication

To: Student Families and Staff

Template Letter:
[Scenario 4 Letter](#)
(Only send as follow up to scenario 2)

