

COVID SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FLOW CHART

Should my child go to school today?

Answer the following questions:

Q: Has my child been in close contact (closer than 6 feet for more than 15 minutes) with an individual who tested positive for COVID-19?

YES

- Keep student home.
- Inform the school – 215-949-1700, ext. 2186 or email: attendance@bcths.com;
- Call your healthcare provider;
- Call the COVID-19 Hotline: 215-345-3318
- Student remains at home for 14 days from the date of last personal contact with a positive individual;

Q: Does my child have one or more symptoms in Group A or two or more symptoms in Group B?

<p>Group A (1 or more)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cough Shortness of Breath Difficulty breathing Loss of Taste Loss of Smell 	<p>Group B (2 or more)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fever (100.4 or greater) Chills Hot/Cold flashes Muscle Pain Headache Sore Throat Nausea/Vomiting Diarrhea Fatigue Runny nose/Congestion
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YES

- Keep student home.
- Inform the school – 215-949-1700 x2186 or email attendance@bcths.com.
- Prioritize rest and recovery.
- Call your healthcare provider if symptoms worsen.

Notify BCTHS if your child tests positive for COVID-19 or has been exposed to someone who has tested positive. Our school nurses will work with the Bucks County Dept. of Health to determine a safe return date.



Return to School Criteria

Keeping your child home when they are sick will help reduce the spread of infection. If your child experiences symptoms that could be associated with COVID-19, they may not return to school until the following criteria are met:

1. Respiratory symptoms have improved; **AND**
2. Free of fever for at least 24 hours without use of fever-reducing medication; **AND**
3. Negative test result or note from a medical provider indicating the student may return to school.

OR

1. Note confirming an alternative diagnosis from a healthcare provider that explains COVID-19-like symptoms; **OR**
2. Quarantine for 10 days.