



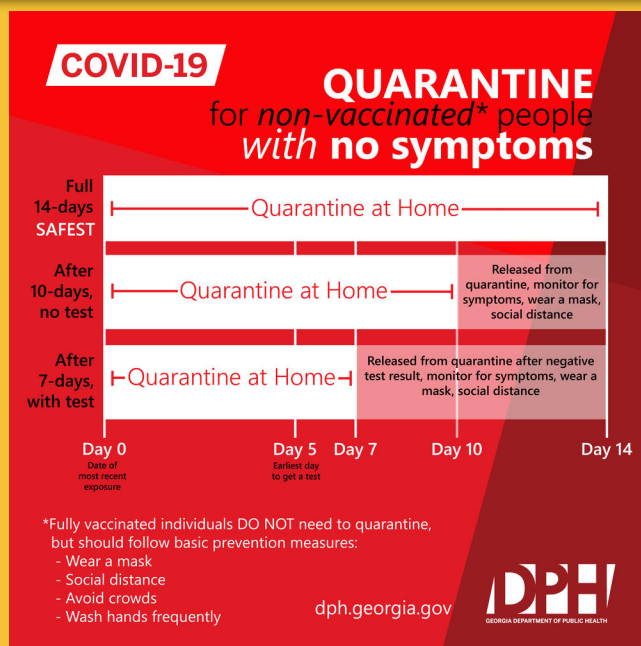
YELLOW QUARANTINE PROTOCOL

FOR STUDENTS IDENTIFIED AS CLOSE CONTACTS

Where did close contact with confirmed case of COVID-19 occur?

IN SCHOOL:

- Student may attend school.
- Student must wear mask while at school through Day 14, if medically able.
- If medically unable to wear a mask, student must quarantine at home under DPH guidance.
- Student must remain symptom-free. If symptoms develop, student must quarantine at home under DPH guidance.



OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL:

VACCINATED

(or recovered from COVID-19 with documentation within 90 days)

UNVACCINATED

- Student may NOT attend school.
- Student must quarantine at home and follow DPH guidance, which can be found at link and in red DPH graphic at left: <https://dph.georgia.gov/dph-covid-19-guidance>

OPTION 1: Return Day 8

- Proof of PCR/Antigen negative test required, with specimen collection after Day 5;
- Student must wear mask from Day 8 through Day 14.

OPTION 2: Return Day 11

- Student must wear mask from Day 11 through Day 14.

OPTION 3: Return Day 15

- No mask required.

Quarantine Guidance: What to do if you were exposed to someone with the novel coronavirus (COVID-19)
Isolation Guidance | Georgia Department of Public Health



ORANGE QUARANTINE PROTOCOL

FOR STUDENTS IDENTIFIED AS CLOSE CONTACTS

The following quarantine protocol is based on guidance provided to school districts by the Georgia Department of Public Health.

QUARANTINE:

UNVACCINATED STUDENT:

Keep your child at home except in the case of emergency or to be tested for COVID-19. If your child does not experience any COVID-19 symptoms (fever, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, or diarrhea), your quarantine may discontinue after 10 days of remaining symptom-free and your child wears a mask in the school setting, if medically able, through the 14-day quarantine period. During the quarantine period, your child may utilize Canvas for class work during his/her absence from school.

VACCINATED STUDENT:

(FULLY VACCINATED STUDENT OR RECOVERED FROM COVID-19 WITH DOCUMENTATION WITHIN 90 DAYS)

You may elect to send your child to school during the 14-day quarantine period if the following conditions are met:

- o Your child wears a mask, if medically able, and
- o Your child remains COVID-19 symptom-free.

MONITOR:

For a period of 14 days, take your child's temperature twice per day and monitor for any symptoms of respiratory illness. If at any time, your child experiences any symptoms of COVID-19, including cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fever (a measured temperature over 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit or a feeling of feverishness), chills, muscle pain, sore throat, or new loss of taste or smell, the quarantined child shall be considered a person with suspected COVID-19 and shall follow the requirements for isolation by the Georgia Department of Public Health: <https://dph.georgia.gov/isolation-contact>, contact your healthcare professional as needed, and keep your child home from school.

The COVID-19 pandemic requires that we remain vigilant in our daily lives until we can safely return to everyday activities, and we appreciate our community coming together to help slow the spread of coronavirus disease. For additional information regarding PCSD's COVID-19 response and protocols, please review our district's COVID-19 webpage at: <https://www.paulding.k12.ga.us/Page/45777>.