



Child Care Resource & Referral (R&R) Program

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Webinar Etiquette

- Please use the Q&A box to submit your questions to the presenters.
 - We are not able to answer questions on State guidance. Questions should be addressed to the CDPH COVID hotline 1-833-4CA-4ALL (1-833-422-4255)
- Your audio will be muted.
- If you are experiencing technical difficulties while viewing the webinar, please submit a question in the Q&A.



Welcome

- We will hold webinars on most Tuesday nights to provide information and answer questions.
- **Today, we will be presenting on COVID19 vaccination.**
- Please write questions you have on any topic into the Q&A. Questions that we are unable to answer today we will answer in next week's webinar.



COVID Vaccination for ECE Staff



MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

- County of Santa Clara COVID-19 Information Page www.sccfreevax.org
- Call the appointment line at (408) 970-2000, 7 days a week

IF YOU NEED HELP MAKING AN APPOINTMENT

- Call the Healthier Kids Foundation Support Line at 1-833-560-0560
- The phone line is open Monday - Friday 8 AM - 5 PM
- Help is offered in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese

THINGS TO KNOW

- At your appointment, you will be asked to sign a form stating the kind of work you do
- Bring photo ID with name and address, can be current or expired AND document(s) showing that you live or work in Santa Clara County

Non-Santa Clara County residents who provide childcare in Santa Clara County are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine.

All People Who Provide Childcare in Santa Clara County Can Now Get the COVID-19 Vaccine



NOW ELIGIBLE

- Childcare providers, educators, and staff working or living in Santa Clara County (Family Child Care Home providers, parks & recreation preschool programs, library programs for children)
- Family, friends, and neighbors providing childcare in their homes in Santa Clara County

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Workers in formal and informal childcare became eligible for COVID19 vaccination on February 28th.

You can find information on vaccination and how to make appointments at www.sccfreevax.org.

You can also contact your healthcare provider to schedule vaccination.

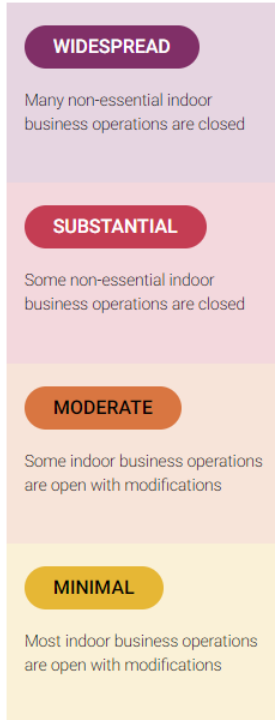


ECE Staff Vaccination Requirements

- Senate Bill No. 792 requires childcare staff and volunteers in California to show proof of vaccination against these dangerous diseases: measles, whooping cough, and flu. Proof of flu vaccination is required annually.
- Contact your Child Care Licensing Regional Office for questions on the requirement (SB 792 - <http://bit.do/regionaloffices>)
- Additional resources: www.shotsforschool.org



Current Risk Level - Red



Santa Clara County has moved to the second highest risk level with substantial COVID transmission.

The County and State have reduced some restrictions, but others continue to apply.

Continue to follow risk reducing strategies like hand washing, wearing face coverings, and physical distancing



Current Travel Recommendations

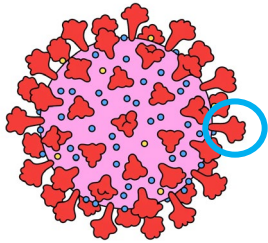
The County has rescinded its travel guidance and the quarantine post travel requirement. The current state travel recommendation is that:

"Californians should remain local (not traveling more than 120 miles from their home or other place of residence) and avoid non-essential travel. Travelers from other states or countries entering into California for tourism and recreation are strongly discouraged ... If you do travel into California, you should self-quarantine for 10 days after you arrive."



How the Vaccines Work

Vaccines work by helping your immune system recognize the virus so that it is ready to fight an infection before it starts.



The COVID vaccines use a piece of the spike to show your immune system what to look for. The vaccines do not include the rest of the virus.

You cannot catch COVID, or give it to anyone else, from being vaccinated.



Pfizer, Moderna and J&J Vaccines

PFIZER	MODERNA	J&J (JANSSEN)
2 Shots	2 Shots	1 Shot
Three weeks apart	Four weeks apart	N/A
Age 16 and above	Age 18 and above	Age 18 and above

In clinical trials, no one who received a vaccine was hospitalized or died from COVID. The vaccines are up to 95% effective in preventing illness. **You should take whichever vaccine you are offered.**



Side Effects

Common side effects include:

- mild pain, swelling, or redness at the injection site;
- mild to moderate flu-like symptoms e.g., fever, fatigue, headache, chills;
- serious side effects are very rare.

All side effects should resolve in a few days.

Not everyone will get side effects. If you get side effects, it is because your immune system is responding to the vaccine. **You cannot catch COVID from being vaccinated.**



Why Should I Get Vaccinated?

- It makes it much less likely that you will catch COVID.
- If you do catch COVID, the vaccine may help keep you from getting seriously ill.
- Getting vaccinated yourself may protect people around you, including your family and the children you work with.
- Vaccination is a safer way to help build immunity than catching COVID.
- Vaccination is an important tool to help us get back to normal.



After You Are Vaccinated

- You can gather indoors with fully vaccinated people without wearing a mask.
- You can gather indoors with unvaccinated people from one other household without masks, unless any of those people or anyone they live with has an increased risk for severe illness from COVID-19.

But you should continue to **stay home and isolating from others when sick**, wearing masks in public, washing hands often and keep physical distancing and avoiding crowds.



What We're Still Learning

- How effective the vaccines are against variants of the virus. Early data show the vaccines may work against some variants but could be less effective against others.
- How well vaccines keep people from spreading the disease. Early data show that the vaccines may help keep people from spreading COVID.
- How long vaccines can protect people.



Common Questions

Am I eligible to be vaccinated?


Everyone who works in childcare (formal or informal) and who lives or works in Santa Clara County is eligible.

How do I get vaccinated?

Book an appointment with your healthcare provider or through www.sccfreevax.org.

How much does it cost?

Vaccines are free for eligible people.



Make an appointment at any location that is offering the vaccine by visiting sccFreeVax.org

The vaccine is free, safe and effective

All eligible people are welcome regardless of immigration status.

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The graphic features a blue and purple gradient background. On the left, there is an illustration of a laptop with a mouse cursor pointing to the address bar, which contains the text 'sccFreeVax.org'. On the right, there is a text box with the main message. At the bottom right, there is a logo for Santa Clara County Public Health, which includes a small globe icon.



Common Questions

How do I prove I'm eligible?

You will be asked to sign a form that says you work in childcare. You should also take a document that shows you work or live in Santa Clara County.

Can I choose which vaccine I receive?

Some sites may give you a choice. All the vaccines are safe and effective, and you should be vaccinated as soon as you can.

You may be asked to sign paperwork saying that you understand the benefits and risks of the vaccine. You may be asked to sign paperwork confirming that you are eligible for the vaccine.

This paperwork is available in many languages, including Spanish and Vietnamese. If you want the paperwork in another language, please ask.



sccFreeVax.org



Common Questions

If I am pregnant or breastfeeding, can I be vaccinated?

Women who are pregnant or breast feeding (and are part of an eligible group) can receive the vaccine. However, since vaccine clinical trials did not include pregnant women or breastfeeding mothers, you should talk with your healthcare provider on the risks and benefits of vaccination.

When do the full benefits of the vaccine occur?

You are considered "fully vaccinated" two weeks after your final injection.



Common Questions

Do I still need to follow the public health orders after I have been vaccinated?

Yes. Unless a public health order or directive says otherwise, a person's vaccination status does not exempt them from State and County public health orders and directives.

I had COVID / was exposed to COVID. Do I need the vaccine?

Yes. Due to the severe health risks associated with COVID-19 and the fact that reinfection with COVID-19 is possible, you should be vaccinated.



Common Questions

Do I still need to quarantine after being exposed to someone with COVID if I've been fully vaccinated?

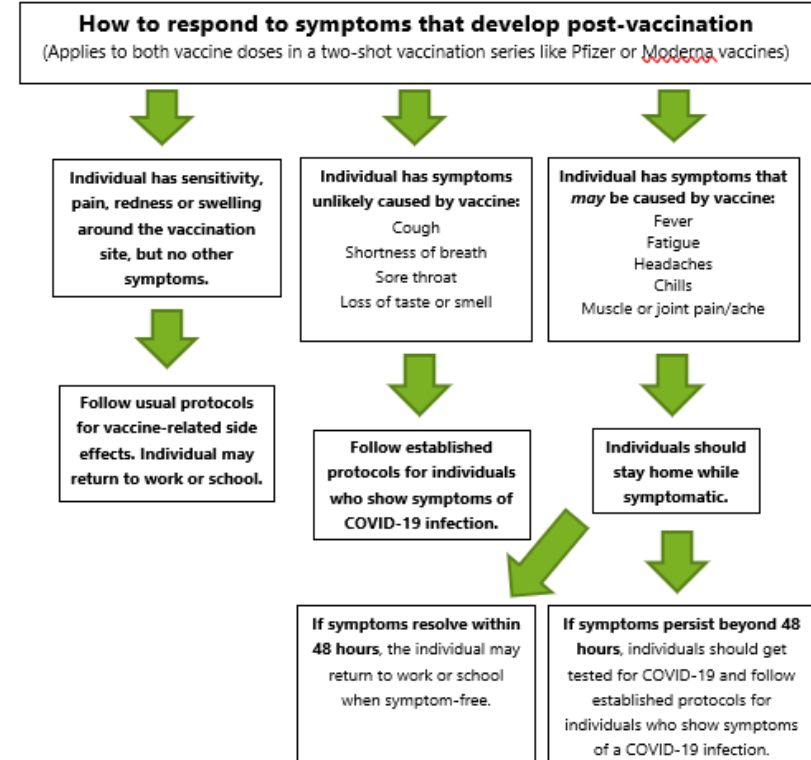
No, if you meet all the following criteria:

- Your exposure occurred after 14 days and less than 90 days after the completion of your vaccine series
- You do not have any COVID-19 symptoms



What to do?

- A staff member reports symptoms within a few hours after receiving their 1st or 2nd COVID vaccination

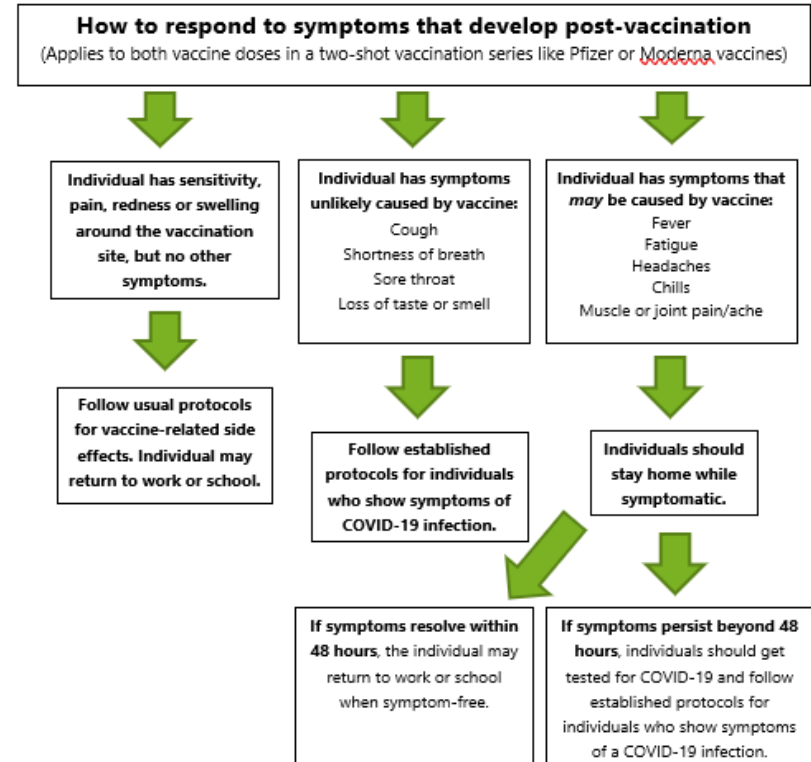


Post-Vaccination Symptoms

Scenario:

A teacher reports on her daily symptom check that she had a fever the previous day. You follow up, and she tells you she was vaccinated the previous afternoon.

Think about what you would tell the teacher.



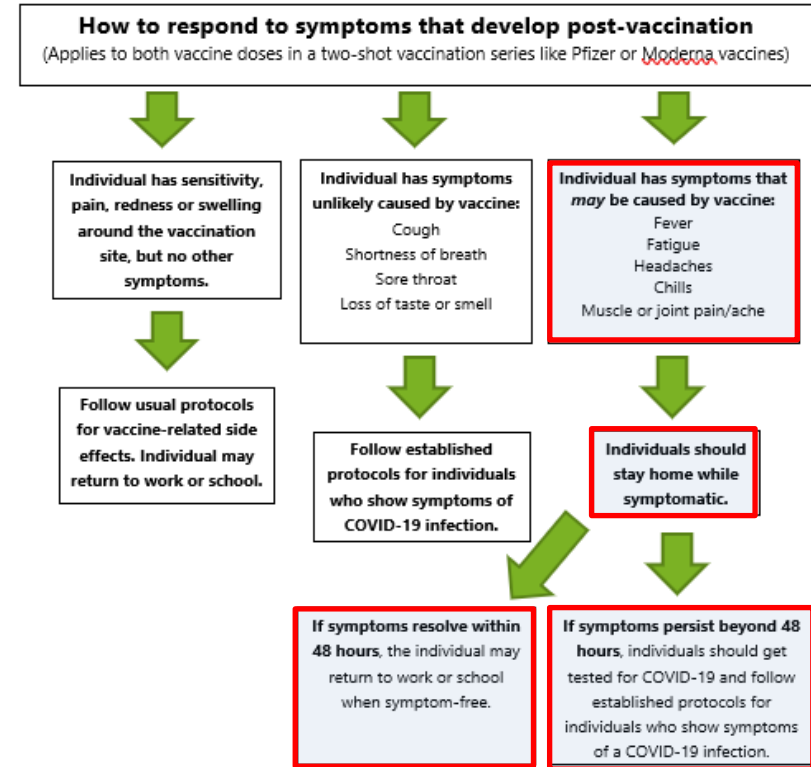
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A teacher reports on her daily symptom check that she had a fever the previous day. You follow up and she tells you she was vaccinated the previous afternoon.

She should:

1. Stay home while symptomatic.
2. If symptoms resolve, return when symptom-free.
3. If symptoms don't resolve in 48 hours, follow protocols for individuals with COVID-19 symptoms.

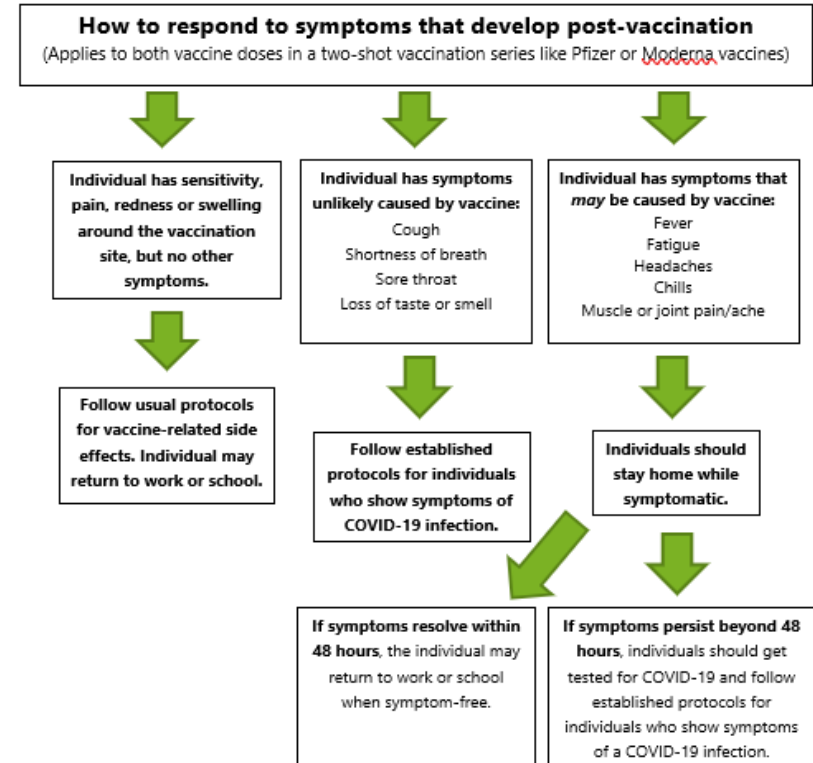


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A custodian says she has a sore throat and a cough. When contacted, she states she had her first dose of the vaccine and thinks she has a “mild case” from the shot.

What do you advise?



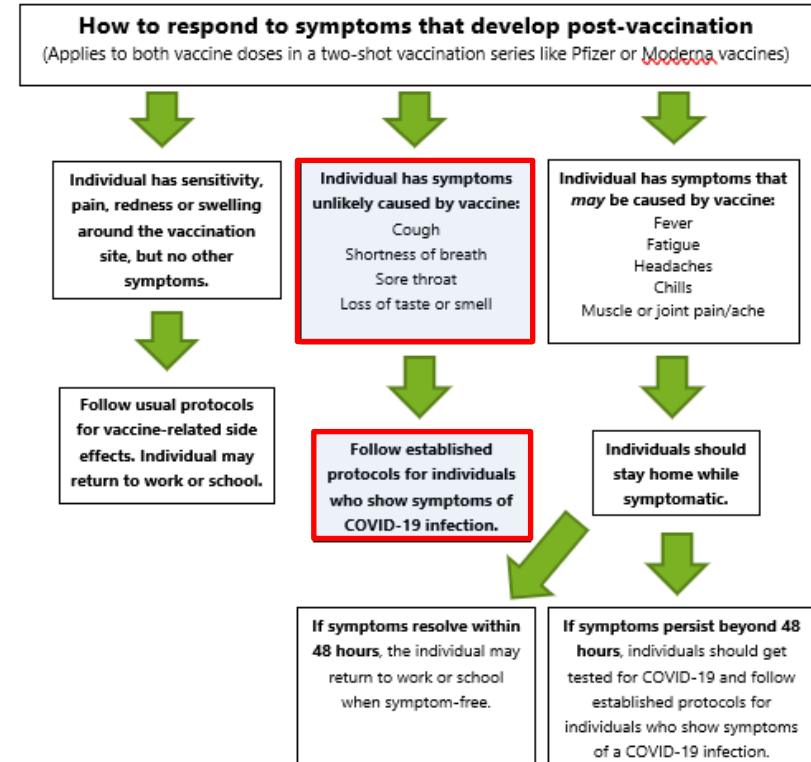
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Follow protocols for individuals with COVID-19 symptoms.

Remember, people do not get COVID from the vaccination.

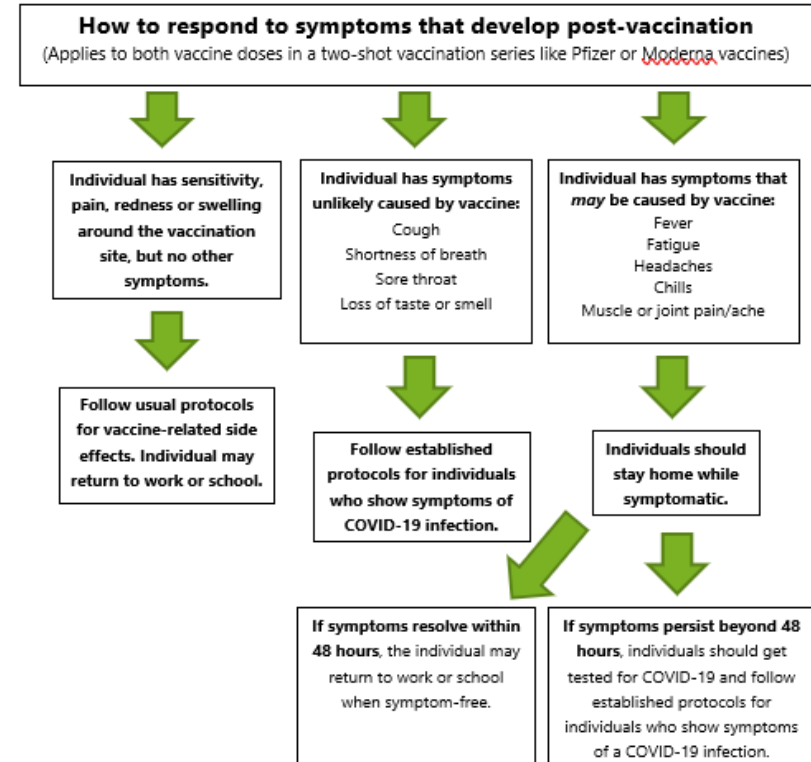


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Scenario:

A co worker checks that she has “muscle or joint pain” on her daily symptoms check. When you talk to her, she tells you she got her COVID vaccination, and her arm is red, swollen and hurts. The pain is limited to the injection site.

What do you tell the co worker?

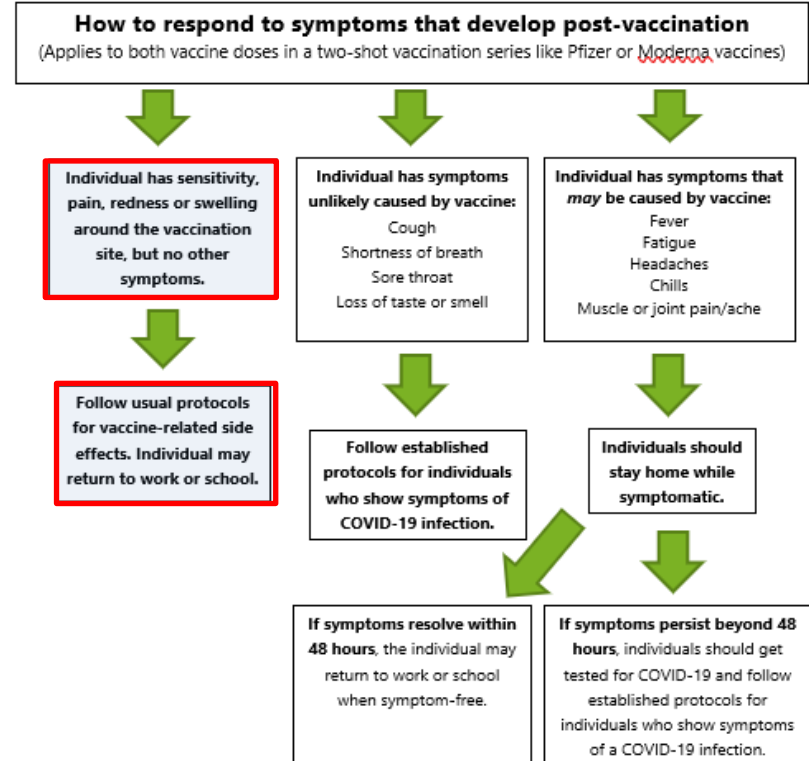


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As long as the pain is localized to the injection site, she may return to work. If the pain was more generalized, Follow protocols for individuals with COVID-19 symptoms.



New Tool! Worksheet for reporting portal

EDUCATION REPORTING PORTAL WORKSHEET Santa Clara County PUBLIC HEALTH
DATA COLLECTION FOR SURVEY ENTRY

This form is to assist case/contact reporters in collecting the information that needs to be submitted. It outlines all possible questions, but note that not all may be relevant to the case you are reporting. The survey will automatically lead you through the appropriate questions for your case report.

IMPORTANT: This is not an alternative to using the online reporting portal and is for preparation purposes only. ALL CASES/CONTACTS MUST BE SUBMITTED VIA THE PORTAL.

Tip:
Google Chrome is the recommended internet browser for completion of the survey. If you encounter technical issues, please try clearing your cache and cookies.

Please complete the following case and close contact report for each confirmed case of COVID-19 at your worksite/school/program.
Please include as much information as you can.
You will not be able to go back to review previous questions, so please answer each question carefully.

The steps are as follows:

1. Enter information for how to contact you in case follow-up is needed.
2. Follow the prompts to enter the information for each case (person infected with COVID-19) and then to enter information on all potential close contacts of the case.
3. To submit multiple cases during your single submission, along with the close contacts for each case, repeat step 2.

Once you complete the survey, you will not be able to view the information on the close contacts that you entered in the summary. Unless you receive an error message, assume all entries were received.

Once the survey is complete, you can download and save a PDF copy of the survey responses for your records. To save your responses, click the "Download PDF" button on the Survey Completion page.

Please enter your contact information:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Direct Phone Number: _____

Direct Email: _____

Position: _____

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Was this case (being reported) a close contact of another COVID-19+ person *at the school/program*?
NOTE: A close contact is someone who was within 6 feet of the infected person for at least 15 minutes at any time beginning 2 days before the infected person had symptoms or tested positive, regardless of whether either person wore a face covering during their interaction.
Additionally, please note that everyone in a cohort is considered a close contact.

Yes
 No

If yes, list contact details of other COVID-19+ person at the school/program:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Date of Last Contact (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

Was this case (being reported) a close contact of another COVID-19+ person *outside of the school/program*?
NOTE: A close contact is someone who was within 6 feet of the infected person for at least 15 minutes at any time beginning 2 days before the infected person had symptoms or tested positive, regardless of whether either person wore a face covering during their interaction.
Additionally, please note that everyone in a cohort is considered a close contact.

Yes
 No
 Unknown

If yes, list contact details of other COVID-19+ person outside of the school/program:

Relationship to person: _____

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Date of Last Contact (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

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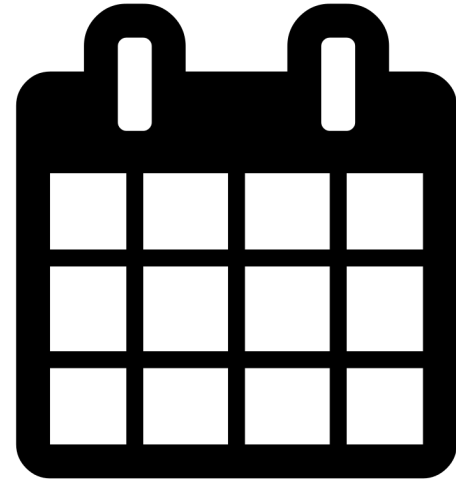


Next Meetings

March 23 from 6:00-7:00

April 13 from 6:00-7:00

April 27 from 6:00-7:00



Other Important Resources

State COVID guidance: <https://covid19.ca.gov/industry-guidance/>

County COVID guidance www.sccgov.org/covid19

COVID Vaccination information: www.sccfreevax.org

Free COVID testing information: www.sccfreetest.org

Influenza vaccination information: www.sccphd.org/flu

Resource and Referral website: www.childcarescc.org



Contact Us

Santa Clara County Office of Education
Resource and Referral Department
childcarescc@sccoe.org
669-212-KIDS (5437)



Questions about COVID Guidance

Guidance from California Public Health Department

Call the COVID-19 Hotline

1-833-4CA-4ALL
(1-833-422-4255)

M-F 8am-8pm
Sa-Su 8am-5pm

Guidance from Santa Clara County Public Health Department

EOC Schools Unit

M-F 8am-8pm
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schools@eoc.sccgov.org

