

Warren Woods Public Schools Student Self-Screening Questions 2021-2022

The following screener has been created by the Macomb County Health Department and will be used by Warren Woods Public Schools (WWPS). Parents/guardians are expected to screen their child(ren) **before leaving for school or sending them to school.** These symptoms may indicate a possible illness that may decrease your child's ability to learn and put them at risk for spreading illness to others.

Section 1: Symptom Questions

- □ Temperature 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit or higher when taken by mouth
- Sore throat
- Loss of taste or smell
- New uncontrolled cough that causes difficulty breathing (for students with chronic allergic/asthmatic cough, a change in their cough from baseline)
- Diarrhea, vomiting, abdominal pain
- □ New onset of severe headache, especially with a fever

${f W}$ If the answer is YES to any of the symptom questions, keep your child(ren) home from school.

Section 2: Close Contact/Potential Exposure Questions

In the past 14 days has your child(ren):

Had close contact (within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes over the span of 24 hours) with a person confirmed to have COVID-19

AND/OR

□ Lives with a person who has recently lost taste or smell

AND/OR

□ Lives with a person that is awaiting COVID test results OR is awaiting their own COVID test results.

OR

□ Traveled to or lives in an area with a high level of transmission of COVID-19

If the answer is YES to any symptom question and YES to any close contact/potential exposure question, call the school as soon as possible and let them know the reason your child(ren) will not be there today. Call your healthcare provider right away. If you do not have one or cannot be seen, go to http://www.mi.gov/coronavirustest or call 2-1-1 to find a location to have your child tested for COVID-19.

Section 3: Symptom Guidance

If the answer is YES to any of the symptom questions, but NO to all close contact/potential exposure questions, your student may return to school when symptoms subside or improve.

Click <u>Managing Communicable Diseases in Schools</u> for additional return-to-school timeframes.

- Fever: At least 24 hours have passed with no fever, without the use of fever-reducing medications.
- Sore throat: Improvement of symptom (If strep throat, do not return until at least 2 doses of antibiotic have been taken)
- Cough/shortness of breath: Improvement of symptom
- Diarrhea, vomiting, abdominal pain: No diarrhea or vomiting for a full 24 hours
- Severe headache: Improvement of symptom

DISCLAIMER: This screening tool is subject to change based on the latest information on COVID-19. Source: Center for Disease Control and Prevention; <u>Screening K-12 Students for Symptoms of COVID-19</u>; <u>Limitations and Considerations</u>