

## TONAWANDA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT Pupil Personnel Office

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## AMY EDGERTON Director of Pupil Personnel Services

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## Hello Parents:

You completed a recent survey indicating you would like child/ren to receive a PCR COVID test weekly.

Our district has partnered with USA Medical to complete non-invasive (nasal swab in the lower part of the nostril) weekly testing every Wednesday. *This is NOT a test site for individuals who require a test to return to school or work*.

To participate in this free, in-district testing opportunity, you need to go online to create an account using the link/QR code below. This will allow you to be in the secure portal which sends you your results weekly.

- 1. If you are a parent, do NOT scan your license. Enter your child's first and last name. You will need to complete the online form for <u>each</u> child and repeat the process for each child you wish to be tested
- 2. Provide your email and cell number; this is how you will receive your weekly results. If you do not want your cell number used, type in 111-111-1111.
- 3. Please click "uninsured" so your insurance is not billed. USA Medical is fully funded through the Federal Relief COVID funding. Respond NO to "Employed in a healthcare setting?"
- 4. There are three questions for you to answer. Click to the left of each question indicating with whom you want the information shared.
- 5. Type your name indicating your signature; this is your consent for testing to occur.
- 6. You sign <u>your</u> name after answering the three questions with whom you want the information shared.
- 7. Testing is only conducted at the MS/HS. If your child is in grades UPK 4th, you will need to bring your child for testing.

Please register, using the information below PRIOR to arriving. The first date of testing will be Wednesday, October 20, 2021. Once registered, you will not receive any correspondence from USA Medical until approximately 2-4 days after your child's first nose swab/test.

https://quicktest.labxchange.io/patientintakequeue?testguid=363ED7DC1BDD400



After registering, please follow the directions below to schedule your weekly appointment time for testing.

The weekly testing will be on Wednesdays in the PPS Conference Room at the MS/HS Complex. To schedule your appointment, please call 213-4601 or ext. 2015 (Keisha) or 694-7687 or ext. 1037 (Ashley). When your child's appointment is scheduled for October 20, 2021, that will be the established time each Wednesday. There is no testing on days the district is closed (holiday, snow day, superintendent conference day, etc.).

<u>UPK through 4th grade students</u>: 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. (Parent <u>MUST</u> accompany student)

5th grade through 12th grade students: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. OR 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. (student will be provided a pass to come to PPS without a parent)

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Amy Edgerton at 694-7684 or ext. 1002 (aedgerton@tonacsd.org).

Sincerely,

Amy Edgerton Director of Pupil Personnel Services