

Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated Unit Schools

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Illness & Mask Policy For In-Person Instruction

1. Students awaiting COVID testing results, regardless of the circumstance, may not attend any in person learning.
2. Parents/Guardians must notify school office of a positive COVID result. This will also include close contacts within the household.
3. A student who presents with symptoms of illness during school will be sent to the Health Office. Parents/Guardians are required to have their symptomatic child(ren) picked up immediately. Symptomatic children should be taken to their primary care physician for further medical evaluation/testing. Students experiencing ANY one or more of the following should NOT enter the building: **fever (100.4 or higher), new onset of moderate to severe headache, shortness of breath, new cough, sore throat, vomiting, diarrhea, new loss of sense of taste or smell, fatigue from unknown cause, muscle or body aches from unknown cause.**
4. Documents supporting negative laboratory-based results must be submitted for review prior to student returning
5. The health office will report any COVID diagnoses to the McHenry County Department of Public Health.
6. Parents/guardians MUST contact the school for contactless pick-up of learning materials for remote learning.
7. Masks should include two or more layers of fabric, completely cover nose, and mouth, and fit snugly against the sides of your face. Gators may be worn if they are also two or more layers of fabric, or can be folded to make two layers and fit snugly. DO NOT wear masks that have exhalation valves or vents that allow particles to escape.

***Please refer to the following chart when determining a student's eligibility to safely return to in-person instruction and activities, in conjunction with school policy and health office approval. All guidance is subject to change.

Symptomatic Individual (unvaccinated or fully-vaccinated) experiencing one or more of the following: Fever (100.4 or higher), new onset of moderate to severe headache, shortness of breath, new cough, sore throat, vomiting, diarrhea, new loss of sense of taste or smell, fatigue from unknown cause, muscle or body aches from unknown cause	Asymptomatic Sibling/Household Member	Close Contact To Confirmed Covid-19 Case
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •May return to school after submitting <u>laboratory-based</u> Negative Rapid or PCR Covid test for verification AND symptom improvement <p>**Subject to Change</p> <p style="text-align: right;">OR</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Asymptomatic siblings may attend in-person if symptomatic child is tested within 24 hours <p style="text-align: right;">OR</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Fully-vaccinated close contacts who remain asymptomatic may continue in-person learning <p style="text-align: right;">OR</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Remain home for 10 days from when symptoms first appeared & fever free for 24 hours with symptom improvement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Asymptomatic siblings are excluded for 10 days with symptomatic sibling when no testing is performed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Unvaccinated/partially vaccinated close contact should remain home for 14 days from the last date of exposure to the positive case •Home exposures and lunchroom exposures to positive cases will NOT be eligible for modified quarantine

***When selecting Covid-19 testing sites, please use established locations. Such facilities may include physician offices, urgent care, Curative Testing (<https://curative.com/>), Walgreens (<https://www.walgreens.com/>), and CVS (<https://www.cvs.com/> pharmacies).