

TO: GCSD Families

FROM: K-12 Nurses at GCSD

RE: Advisory from New York State Department of Health

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COVID-19 ALERT IN REGARDS TO CHILDREN:

NYS Department of Health, at the direction of Governor Cuomo, has issued an advisory regarding a serious inflammatory disease presenting in a low percentage of children, which may be associated with the COVID-19 virus

Please contact your Healthcare Provider if your child has any of the following symptoms:

- Prolonged fever (more than five days)
- · Difficulty feeding (infants) or is too sick to drink fluids
- · Severe abdominal pain, diarrhea or vomiting
- Change in skin color becoming pale, patchy and/or blue
- Trouble breathing or is breathing very quick
- Racing heart or chest pain
- · Decreased amount of frequency in urine
- Lethargy, irritability or confusion
- Rash on body

For more information please contact the NYSDOH website