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Watertown School District Student Coronavirus (COVID-19) Illness Procedure

DOCUMENTATION: CONTACT TRACING

When a student is referred to the Nurse's Office, a Contact Tracing Form will be completed. Documentation of symptoms and names of people considered in close contact will be noted. Close contact is defined as when a person is within 6 feet of the sick person for at least 15 minutes.

STUDENT HEALTH ASSESSMENT:

Symptoms appear 2-14 days after exposure and can include: fever or chills, loss of taste or smell, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle/body aches, headache, sore throat, congestion/runny nose.

A student who presents any of the following symptoms will be sent home:

- Temperature of 100.4 degrees
- New loss of taste or smell
- · Diarrhea
- Nausea/vomiting

Students experiencing any other symptom will require further knowledge of student's health history and current conditions before making a decision to remain in school or go home. This may be a discussion with school administration before making a final decision.

Students may return to school only after 48 hours with no symptoms, medication free.