

Return to School Protocol Update

January 11, 2021

- 1. Students/Staff who screen positive for COVID-19 symptoms must have the following before returning to campus:
 - Provide a doctor's note indicating that the COVID-19 lab-based PCR test was negative OR
 - Provide a copy of the negative lab-based PCR test result OR
 - Provide a doctor's note specifying an alternate diagnosis that explains the onset of symptoms OR
 - Complete 10 days of isolation with a symptom review indicating symptoms are improving **AND** student/staff member is fever free for at least 72 hours without use of fever reducing medicines.
- 2. Students/Staff who test positive for COVID-19 must have the following before returning to campus:
 - Health care provider evaluation AND
 - Symptom resolution, including
 - o Fever free for 72 hours
 - No vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours AND
 - Dated release from isolation from local health department

Find a test site near you - https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/find-test-site-near-you