



## YOUR CHILD HAS TESTED POSITIVE OR BEEN EXPOSED TO COVID-19. WHAT'S NEXT?



### CHILD HAS TESTED POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

#### DAY 1

- The school will contact you to pick up your child
- When you arrive, the School Nurse will meet with you to discuss next steps and answer questions
- Your child can enroll in HISD's Temporary Virtual Program
- Monitor your child's symptoms and contact your healthcare provider if you have questions

#### DAY 6

- Your child has been isolated for **5 days** and can return to in-person school on Day 6 if they have been fever free for a full 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication and their symptoms are improving. If your child continues to have a fever or feel poorly, they should continue to isolate at home
- Your child must report to the school nurse before returning to class



### UNVACCINATED\* CHILD HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A CLOSE CONTACT OF A CONFIRMED CASE

#### DAY 1

- The school will contact you to pick up your child
- When you arrive, the school nurse will meet with you to discuss next steps and answer questions
- Your child can enroll in HISD's Temporary Virtual Program

#### DAY 5

- Your child has been quarantined for **5 days**
- Get a COVID-19 test
- Send a copy of the COVID-19 test results to the school nurse as soon as they are available

#### DAY 6

- Your child is eligible to return to school if they do not have symptoms, or if their symptoms are improving and they have been fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication



### VACCINATED\*\* CHILD HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A CLOSE CONTACT OF A CONFIRMED CASE

#### DAY 1

- Check in with your child to see if they are experiencing symptoms
- As long as they do not have symptoms, your child does not have to quarantine
- If your child starts experiencing symptoms contact your healthcare provider and get them tested for COVID-19

\*Unvaccinated refers to those who are unvaccinated or not fully vaccinated and have been identified as the close contact of a confirmed case.

\*\*Vaccinated refers to those who are boosted or fully vaccinated and have been identified as the close contact of a confirmed case.

