STUDENT RETURN TO SCHOOL FLOWCHART

RETURN TO SCHOOL FLOWCHART FOLLOWING A COVID-19 RELATED ABSENCE

Scenario 1

Student had close contact with someone who tested positive or is suspected of having COVID-19

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May Return After:
A 14-day quarantine period from the date of last contact with individual and asymptomatic

Due to changing guidelines, we will follow any updated guidance from the CDC and KDHE

Scenario 2

Student tested positive or is suspected of having COVID-19 AND had symptoms

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May Return After:
1. At least 10 days have passed since symptom onset
AND
2. At least 72 hours since resolution of fever and symptoms greatly improved (with the exception of lingering cough)**
**meaning, a minimum of 10 days

Scenario 3

Student tested positive for COVID-19 but had NO symptoms

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May Return After:
At least 10 days have passed since date of first positive COVID-19 test and symptoms have not developed.
If symptoms have developed during 10-day period, follow the criteria for Scenario 2

If there are questions, concerns or other issues, please contact Sumner County Health Department @ 620-326-2774

Scenario 4

Student exhibits one or more symptoms of COVID-19, but is not suspected of having COVID-19

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Some Examples:
Seasonal Allergies, Ear infection, Seasonal Flu, Strep Throat, migraines, etc.
May be possible to return in <than 10 days after onset of symptoms and 24 hours fever free
*if there is evidence of alternative reasons for symptoms, a return to school letter/note may be requested from medical provider

Scenario 5

Student returns from travel area restricted by KDHE

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May Return After:
14-day quarantine from date of return trip and asymptomatic

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