

Summary of updated BCPH Isolation and Quarantine Guidance for Child Care Attendees: Effective Monday January 3, 2022

Scenario	Children (Pre-K and younger)
<p align="center">Positive COVID-19 test or Symptoms after exposure to COVID-19</p>	<p>All vaccination statuses: Must isolate at home for 10 days, returning on Day 11 if fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medication and symptoms have improved.</p> <p>Effective Jan. 17, 2022, the isolation period for children will be shortened to seven days from ten days for all ages. BCPH encourages child care providers to take any additional measures necessary to allow for seven-day isolation periods as soon as practicable.</p>
<p align="center">Exposure to COVID-19 in child care setting</p>	<p>All vaccination statuses: Can continue to attend care/work if symptom-free. Test on Day 5 if possible (date of exposure is Day 0). Follow home isolation guidance above if symptoms develop.</p>
<p align="center">Exposure to COVID-19 in household setting</p>	<p>Unvaccinated or undervaccinated*: Must quarantine at home for five days after most recent exposure**. The most recent exposure refers to the last date of contact with the positive individual or any shared spaces in the home during the first five days of the positive individual’s home isolation period. May return on Day 6 and must continue wearing a mask while around others for additional five days. <u>If a mask cannot be worn around others (with the exception of when eating, napping or during outdoor play), must complete a full 10 day quarantine period.</u></p> <p>Fully vaccinated: Can continue to attend care/work if symptom-free. Test on Day 5 if possible (date of most recent exposure is Day 0). Isolate immediately if symptoms develop and get tested.</p> <p>**Exception for those who have tested positive for COVID-19 within the past 90 days on or after December 19, 2021: Follow fully vaccinated guidance.</p>

* For the purpose of this table, undervaccinated means that a person received their second dose of Pfizer/Moderna vaccine over 6 months ago or their single dose of J&J vaccine over 2 months ago and has not since received a booster dose