



The Holland Landing Highlights

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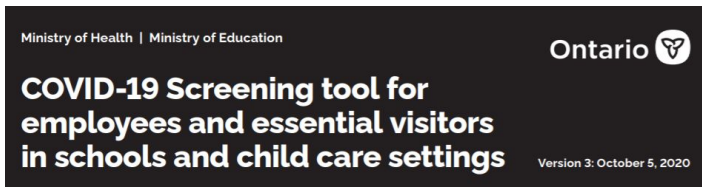
November 6, 2020

From the Office



Daily Screening Tools

The screening tool for students and children in school should be used daily by families before sending their child to school.



The screening tool for employees and essential visitors is used daily by staff as a self-check before attending work. This staff screening tool is also used in the school office to prompt visitors to the building to complete a self-screening when arriving at the school.

These screening tools cannot diagnose you. If you have medical questions, please ensure you contact your health care provider, or contact York Region Public Health at 1-877-464-9675 (Access York). Additional information can be found on York Region Public Health website: www.york.ca/wps/portal/yorkhome/health/

[COVID-19 Screening Tool for Students and Children in School and Child Care](#)

[COVID-19 Screening Tool for Employees and Essential Visitors in Schools and Child Care Settings](#)

York Region Public Health Decision Trees

York Region Public Health has provided schools with “decision trees”. These Decision Trees serve as a flow-chart to assist schools in determining and understanding the steps required in the health and safety protocols developed by Public Health.

The decision trees are included below, and are posted on our school website. To access a .pdf copy of the decision tree, please use the following links:

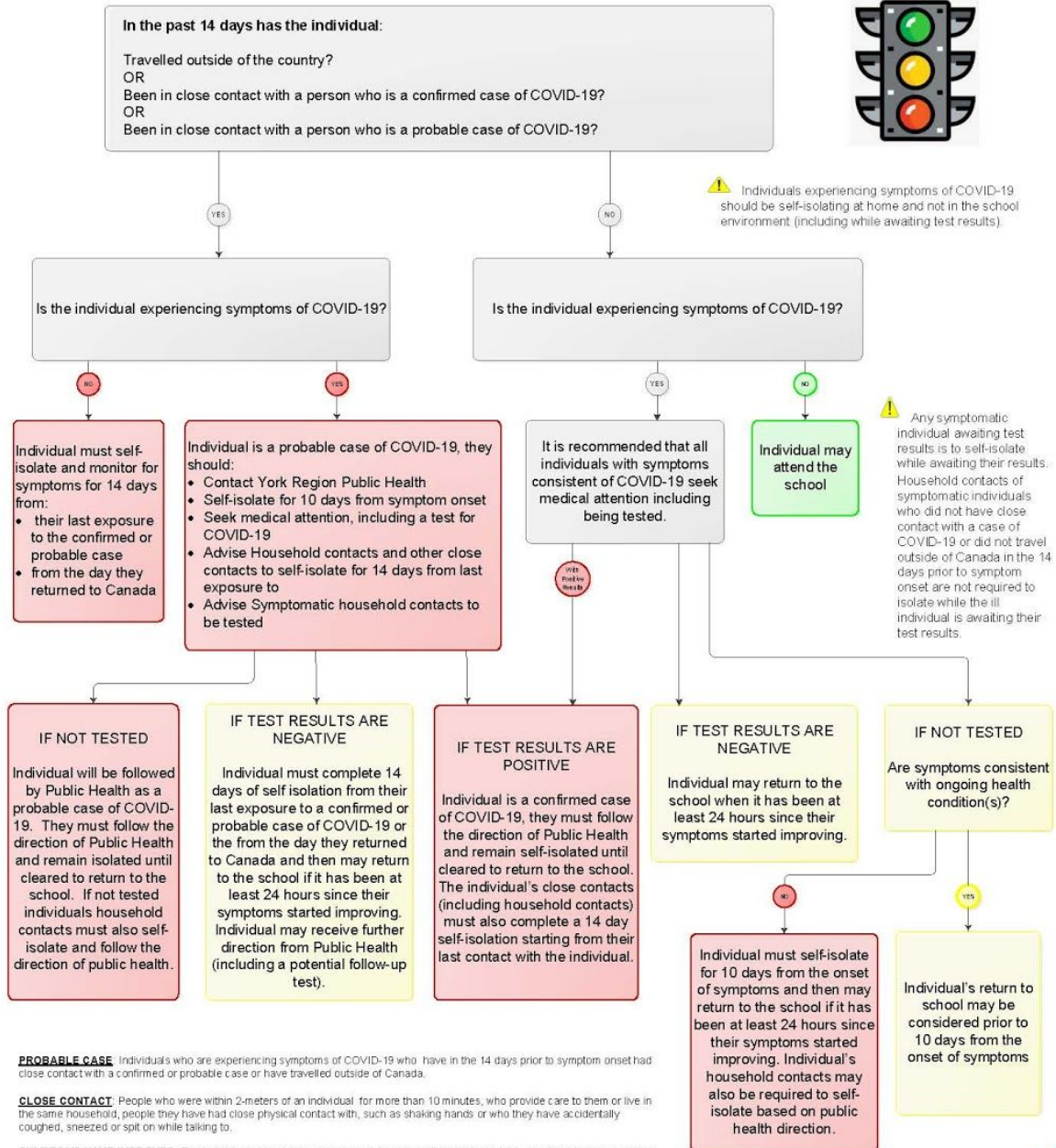
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PREVENTING COVID-19 EXPOSURES IN THE SCHOOL

GUIDANCE REGARDING STAFF/VISITORS

Making sure adults who may be carrying the virus do not enter the school.



PROBABLE CASE Individuals who are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 who have in the 14 days prior to symptom onset had close contact with a confirmed or probable case or have travelled outside of Canada.

CLOSE CONTACT People who were within 2-meters of an individual for more than 10 minutes, who provide care to them or live in the same household, people they have had close physical contact with, such as shaking hands or who they have accidentally coughed, sneezed or spit on while talking to.

SYMPTOMS HAVE IMPROVED: The individuals symptoms are improved, however mild symptoms (e.g., cough and runny nose) are known to persist. Individual must be free of fever for at least 24 hrs and not experiencing any new or worsening symptoms.

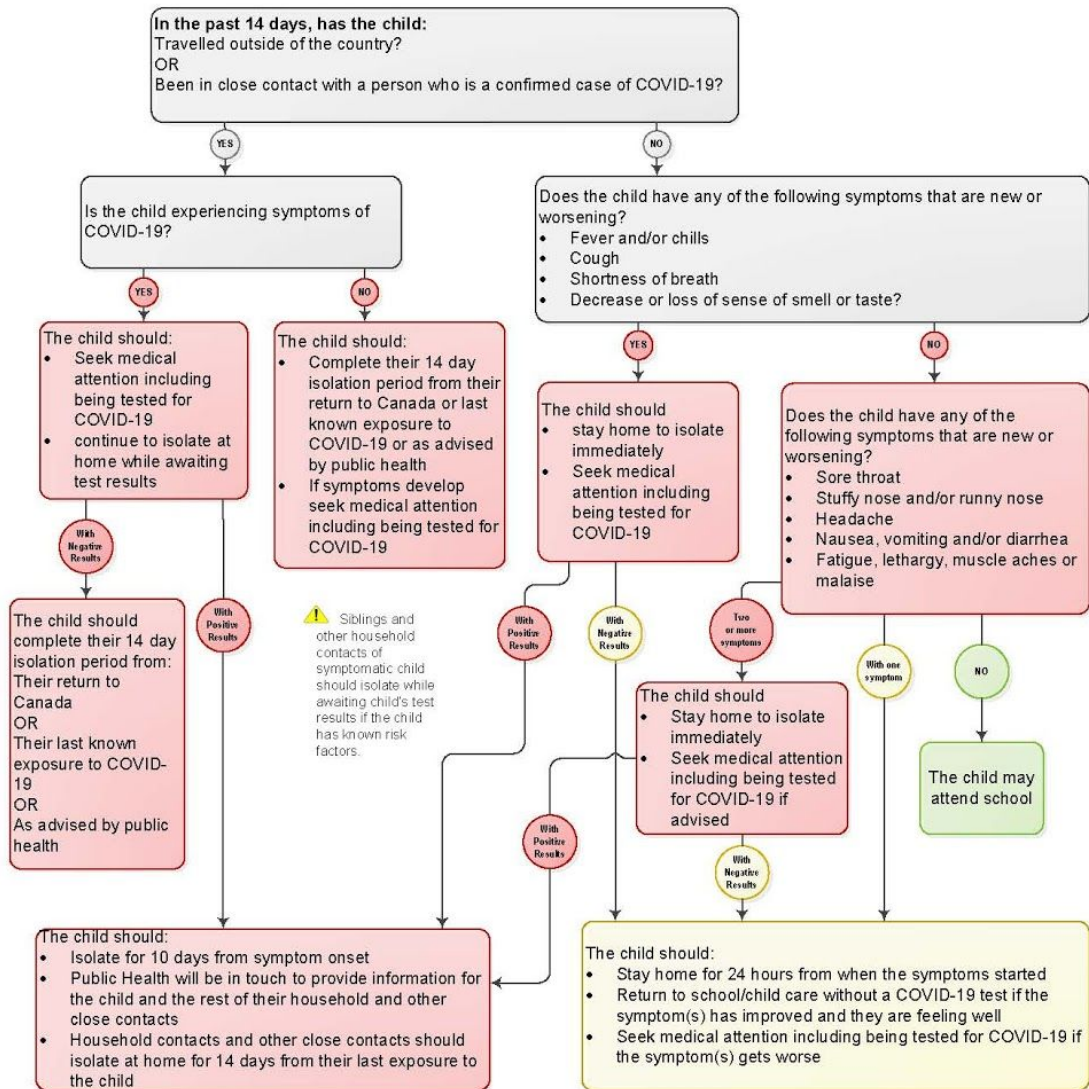
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PREVENTING COVID-19 EXPOSURES IN THE SCHOOL

GUIDANCE REGARDING STUDENTS

Making sure students who may be carrying the virus do not enter the school

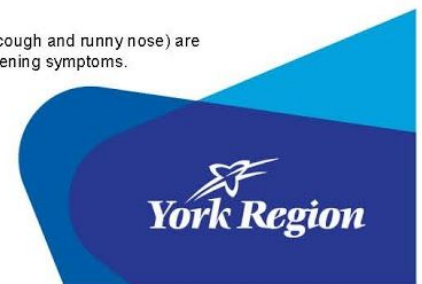


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Reminders

- Families should ensure their child brings their lunch and snacks required for the day at school. Lunch drop offs will not be available, including access to lunch delivery services.
- All students should have a reusable water bottle to refill at the filling station throughout the day. Drinking fountains are not in use.
- When a student arrives late:
 - Parents/guardians are asked to ring the front door buzzer when they arrive at school.
 - Once the door is unlocked by the office, only the student is to enter the building and proceed to the office.
 - Parents/guardians are not to enter the building.
- Picking up a student during the school day:
 - Parents/guardians contact the office to pre-arrange the time of pick-up.
 - Upon arrival at the school, parents/guardians are asked to ring the front door buzzer and communicate their identity.
 - Office staff will contact the classroom and ask for the student to be sent to the office.
 - Office staff will release the student to parents/guardians outside at the front door.
- Thank you!

Preparing for Colder Weather

Even though the forecast is unseasonably warm (and we won't complain about any extra sunshine!), it is time to begin looking ahead to colder, wetter weather.

Please ensure your child has a pair of "indoor" shoes that can be left at school. For safety reasons, it is important that children change out of their "outdoor" shoes or boots when they enter the school (all students, K-8).

It may also be helpful for students to have an extra pair of labeled mittens/gloves, socks, and/or change of clothing for the winter months that can be kept in their cubby or backpack.

School Council

Reach Out!

If you have a question for our School Council, or any items you would like to be brought to our attention, please email our Chair - Zalema Mavor holland.landing.ps@sc.yrdsb.ca

