

BRITTON-HECLA SCHOOL DISTRICT 45-4

COVID-19 Symptoms Chart UPDATED 9/15/2020

Section 1-Symptoms

- Temperature of 100.4 or higher when taken by mouth
- Sore throat
- New uncontrolled cough that causes difficulty breathing (students with chronic allergic/asthmatic cough, a change in cough from baseline)
- Diarrhea, vomiting, or abdominal pain
- New onset of severe headache, especially with fever

Section 2-Close Contact/Potential Exposure

- Had close contact-within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes-with confirmed COVID-19
- Live in or traveled to a county where the SD-DOH is reporting substantial spread of COVID-19 cases
 - Visit the SD-DOH website at: <https://doh.sd.gov/news/Coronavirus.aspx#SD>
 - Check the level of community spread in the county where you live or plan to travel:
 - Use your cursor to hover over the county, or
 - Click on Tables to see county list



YES to Orange symptom alone=

Exclusion for COVID-19 NOT necessary. Follow existing school policy.

Yes to both Orange Symptom + Blue Exposure =

- Any individual with both symptom(s) and exposure should contact their medical provider to discuss testing
- Exclude individuals while awaiting test results
- If untested, students or staff must be excluded at least 10 days after symptom onset AND 24 hours without fever AND 24 hours after symptoms improved
- When exclusion occurs due to living in or traveling to a county with substantial spread, a student or staff may return to school with a medical doctor's note IF symptom(s) are due to an illness other than COVID-19

*****Close Contacts*****

Anyone identified as a close contact must meet the 14-day quarantine period and cannot be released early with testing OR a note from a medical provider, even if showing no symptoms. Close contacts that develop symptoms should call their medical provider.