Isla Vista Youth Projects Children's Center Guidelines for Excluding Children & Staff with Illness

Revised 11/17/2020 COVID - 19 Pandemic

Symptom/Diagnosis	When Child/Staff will be excluded	When Child/Staff May Return** Including contacting CDC/SBCPH for tracing
	(sent home or asked to stay home)	
 Has COVID Symptoms Fever Cough Shortness of Breath Sore Throat New loss of taste/smell Chills Head or Muscle Aches Nausea/diarrhea/vomiting 	Immediately	 At least 3 days (72 hours) have passed since recovery defined as resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications and improvement in respiratory symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath); and At least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared
Has Been in Contact with someone who has a confirmed case of COVID-19	Immediately upon learning child (or staff) has had contact	After a 14-day quarantine period AND no other symptoms have developed
Has Been in Contact with someone under Quarantine for a suspected case of COVID-19	Immediately upon learning child has had contact	After a 14-day quarantine period AND no other symptoms have developed OR After contact person has been tested and proven to be NOT positive.
Has been in contact (outside of the Children's Center) with someone (including other family members) who has any of the following symptoms: Fever Cough Shortness of Breath Sore Throat New loss of taste/smell Chills Head or Muscle Aches Nausea/diarrhea/vomiting (undiagnosed illness)	Immediately	After 48 hours after exposure as long as they are not exhibiting symptoms
Family/child has traveled internationally, in last 14 days	Until person who traveled has been home for 14 days (quarantine/isolation)	After 14 days of returning AND they are not exhibiting symptoms

Guidelines for Excluding Children & Staff with Illness (Cont'd)

Symptom/Diagnosis	When Child/Staff will be excluded (sent home or asked to stay home)	When Child/Staff May Return**
Chicken Pox	When lesions are noticed or present	When ALL lesions are dried and crusted– Typically takes 6+ days
Cold Symptoms Runny or Stuffy Nose Sneezing Itchy or Watery eyes See Above for Cough	If accompanied by Fever (see fever criteria)	When exclusion criteria is resolved or with a doctor's note stating the child/staff is no longer contagious
Diarrhea	On the 2 nd occurrence within 24 hours	After 24 hours of last diarrhea occurrence and no other symptoms are present
Diaper Rash	If sores are oozing and leak body fluid outside the diaper	When exclusion criteria is resolved
Fever	See Covid-19 guidelines (>100.4)	See Covid-19 guidelines
Hand, Foot & Mouth Syndrome	When lesions are noticed or present	When exclusion criteria is resolved Typically takes 6+ days
Head Lice	When nits (eggs) nymphs (teenagers) or Adults are noticed or present	When exclusion criteria is resolved (meaning none are visible, present)
Irritability	If irritability cannot be redirected and/or prevents child from being able to participate	When child is able to be redirected
Itching	If itching is suspected to be caused by any of the following: Scabies, Impetigo, Ringworm or anything listed above	When exclusion criteria is resolved OR with a doctor's note stating the child is not contagious
Lethargy	If lethargy prevents participation	When exclusion criteria is resolved
Mouth Sores	When sores cause drooling	When exclusion criteria is resolved OR with a doctor's note stating the child is not contagious
Pink Eye (Conjunctivitis) or Sty	 When discharge is noticed Pinkish/red swollen or irritated eyes 	When exclusion criteria is resolved OR after 48 hours of antibiotic medicine OR at least 5 days of home isolation has passed and no visible sign of infection
Rash	When unidentified rash is noticed and is accompanied by: Behavior change Fever Has oozing/open wound Child is unable to participate	When exclusion criteria is resolved or with a doctor's note stating the child is not contagious
Strep Throat	If child has a positive strep culture	After at least 48 hours of antibiotic medicine
Vomiting	On the 2 nd occurrence within 24 hours	After 24 hours of no further vomiting occurrences and no other symptoms

^{**} IVYP Children's Center Director (or 'acting director') reserves the right to exclude/include children/staff as they see fit or deemed necessary. Note that in some instances, our return times are longer than what your doctor may prescribe.