

COVID-19 Reopening & COVID-19 Mitigation Plan

Changes & Considerations

Two Plans

COVID-19 Prevention Plan:

- Developed early on with information and guidelines provided by California Department of Health (CDPH)/Cal OSHA to allow for conducting essential business

Reopening & COVID-19 Mitigation Plan:

- Developed with VCOE and Ventura County Public Health (VCPH) template and plan requirements for limited reopening of in-person instruction. Approved by VCOE 8/26/20

Same Control Strategy

- Access Control
- Physical Distance
- Promote Healthy Hygiene
- Use of Face Covering
- Safe Handling of Sick Persons
- Intensified Cleaning & Disinfection
- Training

Access Control

Passive Screening

**DON'T FEEL WELL?
STAY HOME WHEN YOU ARE SICK**

Tell your mom, dad, or caregiver before you come to school. Tell your teacher or an adult if you become sick at school



cough



Shortness of breath
or problem breathing



chills



sore throat



loss of taste
or smell



muscle pain

Active Screening



Passive Screening for Student

- Information to parents on symptoms, spread, and prevention of COVID-19
- Parents asked to perform wellness check at home
- Need to have verification system/procedures

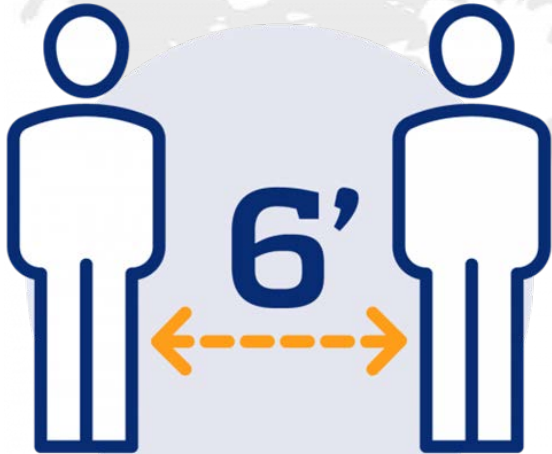


Active Screening for Adults

- Person conducting assessment wears glove and face shield (optional)
- Temperature threshold 99.5 degrees
- Ask about symptoms and close contact with someone testing positive within 14 days
- Complete log sheet and send copy to Risk Management at end of each week

Physical Distancing

- Place work/learning stations at least 6 feet apart whenever possible
- Spacing for lines (floor signs)
- One way foot traffic patterns (floor signs)



Physical Barriers

- Use at points of contact within 6 feet
- Secondary protection – still require the wearing of masks
- Now being fabricated by Maintenance Dept.

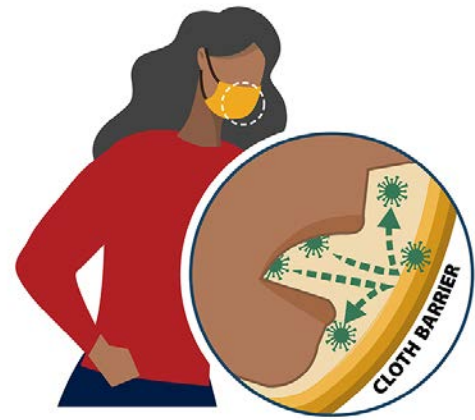


Hand Hygiene

- Wash hands frequently – primary control
- Use hand Sanitizer – secondary control if handwashing facilities not available
- Hand hygiene schedule

Face Coverings

- Not Personal Protective Equipment
- Mask or alternative must be worn
- Exceptions: eating/drinking, napping, strenuous activity



Face Coverings – Young Children

CDPH Guidance:

Face coverings are strongly encouraged for young children between two years old and second grade, if they can be worn properly.

A face shield is an acceptable alternative for children in this cohort who cannot wear them properly.

Face Covering Alternatives

- Face shield with drape and Clear Mask
- Necessitated by teaching or medical considerations
- If for medical reason, doctor's note required



Face Covering - Accommodation

Students and staff who are exempt from wearing either a face covering or face shield due to medical reasons or disability will be permitted to be on campus only if alternative control measures can adequately provide a reasonable level of protection for other students and employees. Each need for an accommodation will be individually evaluated. Remote learning or work are considered to be a reasonable accommodation for students and staff, respectively, in cases where adequate and reasonable alternative control measures are unavailable.

Safe Handling of Sick Persons

- Evaluation in an isolation room
- Referred for treatment and testing
- **If Positive Test:**
- Quarantine close contacts (within 6', +15 min.)
- Clean and disinfect area
- CDC criteria for safe return

Discontinuing Isolation for Persons with COVID-19:

- At least 10 days* have passed since symptom onset **and**
- At least 24 hours have passed since resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications **and**
- Other symptoms have improved.

Isolation Room Criteria Ranked:

1. Does not interconnect with a room with well persons
2. No or minimal common passages
3. Stocked with necessary PPE (N95 mask, gowns, face shield, gloves) and disinfectant
4. Two entrances to direct flow in/out of the room
5. Sink, soap, paper towel dispenser
6. Adjoining restroom
7. Tables, cots, privacy screens that can be easily disinfected
8. Operable windows and blinds
9. HVAC that does not commute with other room
10. Tile floor, not carpet

Cleaning & Disinfection

- Clean & Disinfect High Touch surfaces at least daily, Target 2X day
- Use EPA approved disinfectant
- Increase ventilation and air filtration
- Added precautions for areas occupied by person testing positive

Summary of Disinfection Strategy for COVID-19 Virus

Virus	Time Virus is Contagious*	Disinfection Method
Corona Virus (Covid-19, Novel, SARS)	Airborne up to 3 hours 72 hours on hard surfaces 48 hours wood and cloth 24 hours cardboard	Disinfect with an EPA Registered disinfectant for all hard, wipeable and sprayable soft surfaces if contaminated within last 72 hours. Print material should be “isolated” for 24 hours. Books with plastic or fabric covers isolated for 72 hours

***Source:** <https://www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/new-coronavirus-stable-hours-surfaces>

Clean & Disinfect High Touch surfaces

Disinfection Process

- Ensure ample ventilation
- Don PPE
- Clean surface
- Apply EPA disinfectant
- Wet for contact time
- Ventilate room before re-occupancy

High Touch Surfaces

Examples:

- Doorknobs and handles
- Light switches
- Tables, desks, and countertops
- phones
- keyboards
- toilets
- faucets and sinks

Use EPA approved disinfectant

Disinfectant	Active Ingredient	EPA Registration Number	Contact time (Minutes)	PPE Required Diluted Solution
Waxie 910 Finale FS	Quaternary ammonium	1839-86	10	Impervious Gloves Safety Glasses
Waxie 730 HP Disinfectant	Hydrogen Peroxide	45745-11	5	Impervious Gloves Safety Glasses
Purell Surface Disinfectant	Ethanol (Ethyl alcohol)	84368-1	1	Impervious Gloves Safety Glasses
PurTabs Electrostatic application	Sodium dichloroisocyanurate (triclosene)	71847-6	1	Impervious Gloves Safety Glasses

Use of Electrostatic Sprayer Disinfectant

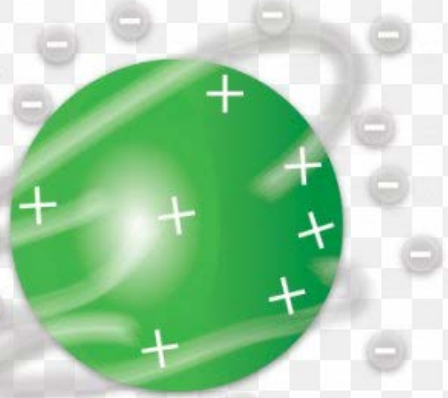


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Atomized droplets pass an electrode inside the nozzle. Negatively charged electrons are attached to the droplets.

2

The droplets will reverse direction and move against gravity to coat even hidden surfaces.



3

The negatively charged droplets are carried in an air stream towards the surface. Since the surface has a natural positive charge, the droplets are magnetically attracted to the surface.



Increase ventilation and air filtration

- HVAC System make-up air increased to allow for more fresh air
- Increased ventilation during room disinfection
- Where feasible, HVAC filtration increased to MERV 13

Added precautions for areas occupied by person testing positive

- Close area - Consult with VCPH on areas needing to be closed
- Wait 24 hours or longer before disinfection of the area
- Custodial staff to wear additional PPE as procedures require

Training

- Online Training - General training on COVID-19 symptoms, spread, and control
- Task specific training involving increased risks – Custodial, health care, handling items, child nutrition

