

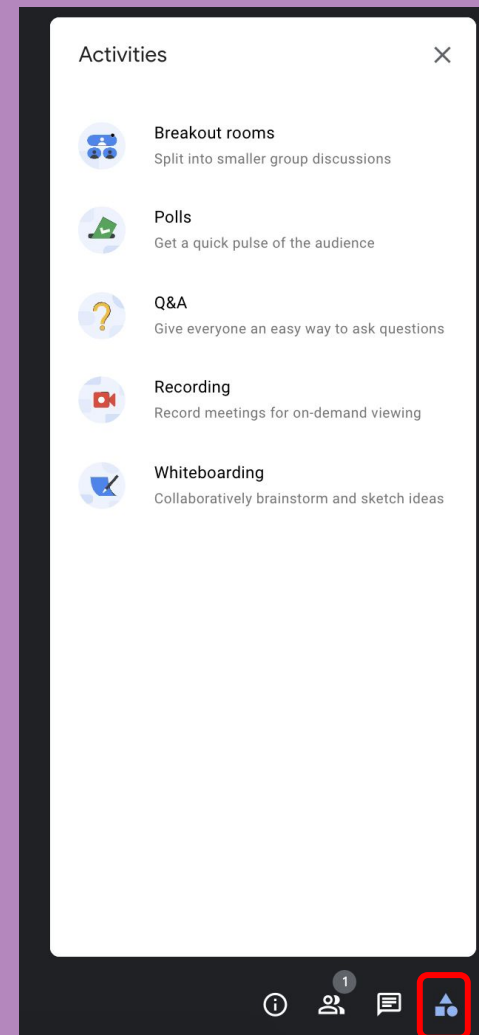
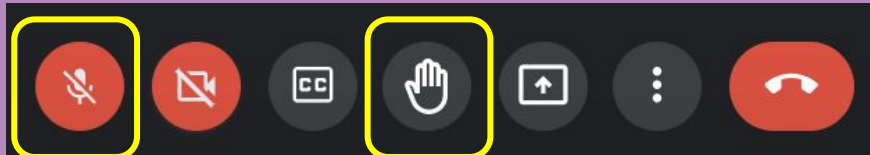
New Field Town Hall Updated Quarantine Guidelines

Friday, February 4, 2022

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Notes & Norms

- The meeting will be recorded to share with others.
- Please mute microphone.
- There will be opportunities throughout to ask questions. Use the “raise your hand” feature.
- I will get through as many questions as I can in the allocated time. If I can't get through them, I will collect questions and share answers in my weekly newsletter



Today's Agenda

- Welcome
- Current Data, Vaccine Clinic
- New 5-Day Isolation/Quarantine Period
- Questions

New Field Student COVID-19 Vaccination as of 2/1

Age Range	% of Students Fully Vaccinated
Ages 5 - 11	31%

COVID-19

Vaccination Event @ New Field

Wednesday, February 9:
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

REGISTER HERE

[HTTPS://EVENTS.JUVARE.COM/IL-IDPH/726589AD-1495-4AD0-94AA-386F7CA54087/1246731/](https://events.juvar.com/IL-IDPH/726589AD-1495-4AD0-94AA-386F7CA54087/1246731/)





****Booster, 1st, 2nd Doses
available, please bring
your vaccination card**

****VACCINES FOR
5 YEARS AND OLDER**

Vaccination Clinic COVID-19

Date: Saturday February 5th

Place: Centro Romero

6216 N Clark St, Chicago, IL 60660

Time: 10 am- 3:00pm

**To schedule your
appointment call
872-268-7590**

**Walk-ins
are welcome**

**Scan me to
register**



****Refuerzo, 1ra, 2da dosis
disponibles, por favor de
traer su tarjeta de vacunación**

****VACUNAS DE
5 AÑOS EN ADELANTE**

Clínica de Vacunación Contra COVID-19

Fecha: Sábado 5 de Febrero

Lugar: Centro Romero

6216 N Clark St, Chicago, IL 60660

Hora: 10 am- 3:00pm

**Para programar
su cita llamar al
872-268-7590**

**Visitas sin cita previa
son bienvenidas**

**Escanéame
para registrarte**



COVID-19 Vaccine Opportunities for Ages 5+

Heartland Health Centers will be hosting COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics EVERY THURSDAY beginning 2/3/22

- Parents can make appointments directly with the clinic at 773-366-7704
- The Heartland Clinic will follow up with families about scheduling a 2nd vaccine
- Parents are welcome to be present, but can provide consent for administration of the vaccine in their absence
- Visit cps.edu/vaccinations for a complete list of vaccine opportunities that are available weekly for your family.



What Does It Mean To Be Fully Vaccinated?

A New Definition of Fully Vaccinated

With the shift to a 5-day quarantine period comes a new definition of what it means to be “fully vaccinated” in CPS. To be considered fully vaccinated, staff must have:

- Received both doses of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine PLUS a booster if it has been more than 5 months since their second vaccine dose
- Received the single dose Johnson & Johnson vaccine PLUS a booster if it has been more than 2 months since their vaccine

CPS is now asking all staff to update their vaccination status by sharing their booster information at <http://cps.edu/booster>. The deadline by which all eligible employees must report their booster status is March 1, 2022.

In School COVID Testing as of 1/31

Date Range	Total Tests Released	Positive Tests	Positive Test Rate
YTD	1,802	31	1.7%
October	503	1	0.2%
November	319	0	0%
December	243	2	0.84%
January	596	25	4.3%

In School COVID Testing - January 2022

Date Range	Total Tests Released	Positive Tests	Positive Test Rate
Week of Jan. 2nd	166	15	9.2%
Week of Jan. 9th	64	1	1.5%
Week of Jan. 16th	199	7	3%
Week of Jan. 24th	167	2	1.2%

Isolation & Quarantine Guidance Update



All updates being provided are confidential and should not be distributed

Reducing Isolation/Quarantine Periods

On February 1, Chicago Public Schools will reduce isolation/quarantine periods from 10 days to **five days**.

This change is recommended by public health agencies:



CDC: The majority of COVID-19 transmission “occurs early in the course of illness, generally in the 1-2 days prior to onset of symptoms and the 2-3 days after.”

If Your Child Tests **POSITIVE** for COVID-19...

...they must isolate for a minimum of five (5) days, regardless of vaccination status.

After Day 5, if your child still has a fever or if symptoms are not improving, they must continue to isolate at home for the full 10 day period.

After Day 5, if your child has been fever-free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication and symptoms are improving, they can return to school with the following precautions:

- From Days 6 - 10, students must keep their masks on at all times, including while outdoors, except when eating or drinking.
- When masks must be removed for eating and drinking, students must maintain six feet of social distance from others wherever possible. (**Note: Students with mask exemptions must isolate for the full 10 days**)

If Your Child is **UNVACCINATED** (or not up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccines) and is exposed...

...they must quarantine for a minimum of five (5) days.

If your child develops symptoms at any point, please get them tested and isolate them until a negative test is confirmed.

If your child does not develop symptoms, after Day 5, your child can return to school with the following precautions:

- From Days 6 - 10, students must keep their masks on at all times, including while outdoors, except when eating or drinking.
- When masks must be removed for eating and drinking, students must maintain six feet of social distance from others wherever possible.

If Your Child is **Up-To-Date on COVID-19 Vaccines** and is exposed...

...they DO NOT need to quarantine at all, but should continue to wear a mask around others for 10 days. If your child develops symptoms, get them tested immediately and isolate them until they receive a negative test result.

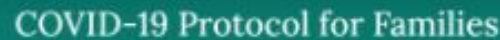
As a reminder, vaccinated students:

- Are less likely to be infected by COVID-19 than unvaccinated students
- Are less likely to develop serious symptoms if they do get infected
- Are not required to quarantine if exposed to someone with COVID-19

For vaccine opportunities through CPS, visit cps.edu/vaccinations

Bottom line: Vaccines are the most effective way to protect yourself from COVID-19

For more detailed information, visit cps.edu/isolationguidance



- Fever 100.4 or higher, chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath
- Difficulty breathing
- Sore throat
- New loss of taste or smell
- New muscle or body aches
- Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea
- Headache
- Runny nose or congestion
- Fatigue

Close contacts who are unvaccinated or are not up to date on their COVID-19 vaccines will be required to wear a face mask, must quarantine* for 5 days from the last date of exposure. A negative COVID-19 test does not shorten the quarantine period.

Close contacts who are up to date on their COVID-19 vaccines will not need to quarantine but do need to wear a mask for 14 days.

A negative test is not required in order to return to school.

If one person in your household is quarantining as a close contact and remains not symptomatic, the household members (including siblings) who were not directly exposed to COVID-19 are not required to quarantine.

Additional quantitative information
available can be found here:
[https://docs.google.com/document/
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Call your child's healthcare provider

Get student tested for COVID-19 within 24 hours of symptoms onset. Student must stay home awaiting results.

If there is high suspicion the student is COVID-19 positive, all unvaccinated household members (including siblings) must stay home on the day student has test results.

If student is unable to be tested within 24 hours of onset, isolated household members must stay home until the sick student has test results.

POSITIVE

Report the positive case at
www.hse.ie/ale/hse/alert.htm ASAP
to begin contact tracing

Positive/possible contact should
immediately "lock" a 5 days from start
of symptoms or 10 days from start
of SCOT measures for non-symptomatic
testing period. A negative
test is not required for return to
school, work or public places. If
non-symptomatic cases show signs you
are no longer infectious.

Non-symptomatic individuals who
are non-symptomatic or not yet
symptomatic and have a 14-day LFD
negative result in place for
5 days and wear a mask
for an additional 5 days.

Non-symptomatic individuals who
are not-symptomatic and
not-symptomatic are not

Stay home and
Wear a cover

- ✓ Symptomatic
immediately isolate
- ✓ Testing for
children, as well
non-symptomatic
- ✓ No return to school
through
- ✓ No working
or training
for 14 days

Call symptomatic partner's

Does Medicare provide any of
symptomatic persons funds
a CT scan, if any?

YES NO

Let sick person
Isolated for COVID-19

HEIN

Does this
mean that

over household
wastewater, and
domestic water

Up to date on
new COVID-19
information, visit
www.cdc.gov/covid19

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Students can return to school

1. Case contact: An individual who was either a sex of a known case for 10 hrs or more during the 48-hour period 3 days before onset and 10 days after onset.

† Quarantine: keeps a person who was in close contact with someone from COVID-19 away from others.

* High suspicion for colonitis if pt is highly febrile, is infected with *Salmonella* or due to a close contact with a cattle herd (colitis) or because they are presenting with less than 10 stools

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So, everyone quarantines for 5 days now instead of 10?

- No, it depends on the severity of the case.
- If the the individual's symptoms have not improved or if they still have a fever after 5 days, they should continue to isolate at home for the full 10 day period. In that case, the person continues to isolate for Days 6 to 10 and returns on Day 11. Even if their symptoms get better after Day 5, they stay out the full 10 days. They will continue to receive remote instruction. Remote learning will continue for these individuals on Days 6-10.
- If someone's symptoms have gone away on Day 5, they can return on Day 6. For Days 6 to 10, we still take extra precautions. The person must mask at all times except when eating or drinking. This includes wearing a mask **outdoors**. When eating or drinking, they must be 6 feet from others. *****This classroom will be spaced further apart in the cafeteria and will receive priority for eating in the cafeteria. This includes breakfast in the cafeteria instead of the classroom***

Does this change WHO has to quarantine?

- For kids, no.
- Anyone who tests positive for Covid has to quarantine whether or not they're vaccinated.
- Fully vaccinated close contacts do not have to quarantine.
- Unvaccinated close contacts do have to quarantine unless they have recovered from Covid in the last 90 days.

Has travel quarantine changed?

- Unvaccinated people who travel to a state with high Covid rates must quarantine when they return. **That quarantine has been changed to 5 days.**
- Vaccinated travelers do not have to quarantine.
- This is a City of Chicago order, not just a CPS rule.

[COVID-19 Travel Guidance \(updated\)](#)

Travel Guidance – Unvaccinated Individuals...

Before travel, **unvaccinated individuals** traveling to a high-risk (“orange”) state should:

- Get tested 1-3 days prior to departure.

After travel, **unvaccinated individuals** returning from a high-risk (“orange”) state should:

- Get tested with a viral test 3-5 days after travel AND stay home and self-quarantine for a full 5 days.
- If you test negative or do not get tested, stay home and self-quarantine for the full 5 days; you can leave your house after 5 days and should continue to wear a mask around others for 5 more days. Students who have a mask exemption must stay home for the full 10 days.
- If your test is positive, isolate yourself to protect others from getting infected.
- Avoid being around people who are at increased risk for severe illness for 10 days, whether you get tested or not.

What about remote learning?

Students who must quarantine because they test positive for COVID or because they are an unvaccinated close contact will receive remote learning during their quarantine. *Remote learning begins the second school day after notification.*



Thank you! Please continue to mask up, social distance and get vaccinated or boosted.

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