

School COVID-19 Resources

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K-12 Recommendations:

When reviewing information on CDC or MDHHS webpages, it is important to look at the “updated” date near the top of the page. When new information is obtained and analyzed, the CDC updates relevant webpages; sometimes, information on one page may be updated before that same information is added to other webpages.

- CDC [Guidance for COVID-19 Prevention in K-12 Schools](#) ○
 - [Considerations for Case Investigation and Contact Tracing in K-12 Schools and Institutions of Higher Education \(IHEs\)](#)
 - CDC Directory of [Guidance Documents for Schools and School Administrators](#)
- MDHHS [Recommendations for Safer School Operations during COVID-19 \(Aug 2, 2021\)](#)
- MDHHS [When to Wear a Face mask Guidance \(Aug 4, 2021\)](#)
- MDHHS [School Guidance for Managing Students Exposed to COVID-19 \(September 8, 2021\)](#)
 - [What to do when a student is exposed but doesn't have symptoms](#)

Laws, Orders, Rules, and other Requirements:

- Exclude children ill with communicable illness (such as COVID-19) from school as specified under [Michigan Administrative Code \(R 325.175\(2\)\)](#)
- [Managing Communicable Diseases in Schools](#) from the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and Michigan Department of Education
- Reporting suspected and confirmed COVID-19 (and all other reportable diseases, outbreaks, and unusual occurrences) to the health department ([R 325.171\(9\)](#))
- Assist local health department with contact tracing as specified under Michigan Administrative Code ([R 325.174\(2\)](#))
- Michigan [Epidemic Orders](#)
 - [Epidemic Order: Reporting of Confirmed and Probable Cases of COVID-19 at Schools](#)
- Keep employees sick with or exposed to (if unvaccinated) COVID-19 out of the work environment ([Public Act 339](#))
- CDC [Face Mask Order](#) while on public transportation (school buses)

Jackson County Health Department Resources

- [Coronavirus Directory](#)
- [Business/School COVID Reporting](#)
- [School Quarantine Guidance](#)

COVID-19 Case and Positivity Rate Data:

- CDC [COVID-19 Integrated County View](#)
 - Provides information on the level of Community Transmission
 - Used to determine Low, Moderate, Substantial, or High community spread of COVID-19
- [MI Safe Start Map:](#)
 - Information on Michigan COVID-19 Risk level, daily cases, deaths, and positivity rates

Vaccine Information:

- CDC [When You've Been Fully Vaccinated](#) guidance
- CDC [Safety of COVID-19 Vaccines](#) information
- [Find a COVID-19 Vaccine](#)

COVID-19 Testing:

- [Find a COVID-19 Testing site](#)