

Rivergate Adventist Elementary School

Emergency Preparedness Plan-Confirmed Case of COVID-19

1. Confirm the reported case of an infected person from your campus by obtaining documentation of a positive test result for the virus or confirmation by your Local Public Health Association (LPHA).
2. Work with your School Safety Officer to follow the protocol as listed in the ***Planning and Responding to COVID-19 Scenarios in Schools***.
3. Notify your local superintendent.
4. Discourage all extracurricular activities and gatherings of staff, students and their families-both private and public during the time of cohort or school closure.
5. Notify your school community and anyone who the infected person may have had exposure to. The definition of exposure is being within 6 feet of a COVID-19 case for 15 minutes (or longer).
6. Evacuate any areas where the infected person was. Before cleaning, open all doors and windows and wait at least 24 hours before initiating a thorough cleaning and disinfection of the area.
 - Reference Rivergate Communicable Disease Management Plan and/or <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/clean-disinfect/index.html>
 - To reduce the risk of asthma, choose disinfectant products on the EPA List N with asthma-safer ingredients (e.g. hydrogen peroxide, citric acid, or lactic acid) and avoid products that mix these with asthma-causing ingredients like peroxyacetic acid, sodium hypochlorite (bleach), or quaternary ammonium compounds.
7. Continue to utilize the ***Planning and Responding to COVID-19 Scenarios in Schools*** and collaborate with local health officials as needed.

<https://www.oregon.gov/ode/students-and-family/healthsafety/Documents/Ready%20Schools%20Safe%20Learners%202020-21%20Guidance.pdf>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-schools.html>