Fever (100.0° Fahrenheit or higher), chills, or shaking Close Contacts - Any symptoms Any patient having symptoms at any time Any Known positive patient start here Unvaccinated - Any symptoms Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath in protocol starts or returns to here. Vaccinated - Only first four New loss of taste or smell symptoms Muscle aches or body aches ·Cough (not due to other known cause, such as chronic cough) ·Sore throat, when in combination with other symptoms ·Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea when in combination with other Protocol A **Symptomatic Duration**: Self-isolation for COVID-19 positive cases is a minimum of 10 days after symptom ·Headache when in combination with other symptoms onset or after positive PCR or antigen test, if ·Fatigue, when in combination with other symptoms asymptomatic. Nasal congestion or runny nose (not due to other known Test Result Posittive Return to school: After 10 days and once they causes, such as allergies) when in combination with other symptoms -Been without fever for 24 hours (and without taking fever-reducing medications); and -Experienced improvement in other symptoms Exempt individuals must monitor for symptoms and stay home and get tested if they experience symptoms *Note that CDC recommends testing 3-5 days after the date of your Duration: Dependent on symptom resolution exposure and wear a mask in public indoor settings for 14 days after Return to School: Individuals may return to exposure or until a negative test result. Exempt (any) school after they: -Fully vaccinated or had COVID-19 in Protocol B1 - "Test and Stay" - ONLY APPLIES FOR SCHOOL -Have received a negative PCR test result for past 90 days EXPOSURES. Use protocol B2 or B3 for other exposures.. COVID-19. Note: So long as the individual is -Classroom: masked and spaced at least Exposed Duration of Test and Stay: 7 days from the date of exposure not a close contact, if a medical professional 3 feet apart Return to School: Close contacts can remain in school and do not have to makes an alternative diagnosis for the -Bus: masked on buses when windows quarantine, as long as they: COVID-19-like symptoms, the individual may Exposed -Negativeare open -Are asymptomatic use this recommendation (e.g., for influenza -Wear masks in school at all times, other than when eating or drinking. or strep pharyngitis) in lieu of a PCR test. When these individuals cannot be masked (i.e., when eating or drinking) Νo -Have improvement in symptoms Νο they should maintain 3 feet of distance from other individuals to the extent -Have been without fever for at least 24 hours feasible. without the use of fever-reducing medications **Daily School Testing** -Take a rapid antigen test (e.g., BinaxNOW) on each school day and *Note that a patient who is considered Prefered symptomatic (see top left) at school and has a receive a negative result. When the 7 days from date of exposure includes negative antigen test is still sent home. They weekends or holidays, individuals should quarantine on weekends, and if are to follow protocol C including PCR test. they remain asymptomatic, upon return to school to school be tested Testing in this scenario immediately. If the individual remains negative, they can stay in school. would include travel or -Conduct active monitoring for symptoms through day 14, and self-isolate After symptoms **resolve** and they receive a pre-op testing at home if symptoms develop. negative PCR test, they should follow Protocol OR *As part of Test and Stay, quarantine is still strongly recommended for B-1 for Test and Stay. individuals outside of school settings. -If Test and Stay is not available or the family If an individual tests positive at any time, they should follow the protocol or adult individual opts not to participate, they for individuals who test positive for COVID-19 (Protocol A). follow Protocol B-2 or B-3. Protocol B2: Protocol C-2 Duration: Quarantine is at least 7 days from the date of exposure Duration: Isolation is at least 10 days from Return to School: After 7 days, returning on day 8, provided that they: symptom onset -Remain asymptomatic Return to School: After 10 days, returning on routine care -Not Tested **Testing Day 5** -Receive a COVID test (PCR or rapid antigen) on day 5 or later and day 11, assuming they: Test result Negative and monitor -Have improvement in symptoms receive a negative result for symptoms -Have been without fever for at least 24 hours -Conduct active monitoring for symptoms through day 14, and without the use of fever-reducing medication. self-isolate if symptoms develop. If an individual tests positive at any time, they should follow the protocol Positive Positive Test for individuals who test positive for COVID-19 (Protocol A). Protocol A Protocol B3 **Courtesy of** Duration: Self-isolation for COVID-19 Duration: Quarantine is at least 10 days from the date of exposure. positive cases is a minimum of 10 days Return to School: After 10 days, returning on day 11, provided that they: Pediatrics West **Declines Testing** after symptom onset or after positive -Have not experienced symptoms up to this point PCR or antigen test, if asymptomatic. -Conduct active monitoring for symptoms through day 14 and self-isolate Return to school: After 10 days if symptoms develop. Russell Coleman, MD If an individual tests positive at any time, they should follow the protocol Jessica Wright, PA for individuals who test positive for COVID-19 (Protocol A). 26 August 2021