

Protocol for Staff Returning to Work

If you have...		You may return...
COVID-19 related symptom(s) + Not tested	➡➡	10 days after onset of symptoms if fever free (without fever reducing medication) and with improvement of symptoms for 3 days (72 hours)
COVID-19 related symptom(s) + Tested negative	➡➡	with symptom improvement, including being fever free for 24 hours (without fever reducing medication) AND With a note from a healthcare provider indicating the test was negative OR Provide a copy of the negative test result
No COVID-19 related symptoms (asymptomatic) + Tested positive	➡➡	upon release from isolation by the Tompkins County Health Department or local health department of residence
Known COVID-19 exposure	➡➡	upon release from quarantine by the Tompkins County Health Department or local health department of residence (14 days)
A member of your household with COVID-19 related symptoms	➡➡	if you remain symptom free AND the person with COVID-like symptoms tests negative for COVID-19
Traveled to a state with significant rates of COVID-19*	➡➡	after 14 days of self-quarantine

*See NYS COVID-19 travel advisory: <https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory>

Protocol for Students Returning to School



If you have...

You may return...

<p>COVID-19 related symptom(s) + Not tested</p>	➡➡	<p>10 days after onset of symptoms if fever free (without fever reducing medication) and with improvement of symptoms for 3 days (72 hours)</p>
<p>COVID-19 related symptom(s) + Tested negative</p>	➡➡	<p>with symptom improvement, including being fever free for 24 hours (without fever reducing medication)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>With a note from a healthcare provider indicating the test was negative</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Provide a copy of the negative test result</p>
<p>No COVID-19 related symptoms (asymptomatic) + Tested positive</p>	➡➡	<p>upon release from isolation by the Tompkins County Health Department or the local health department of residence</p>
<p>Known COVID-19 exposure</p>	➡➡	<p>upon release from quarantine by the Tompkins County Health Department (14 days from date of exposure)</p>
<p>A member of your household with COVID-19 related symptoms</p>	➡➡	<p>if you remain symptom free</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>the person with COVID-like symptoms tests negative for COVID-19</p>
<p>COVID-19 related symptoms + previous exclusion for the same symptoms</p>	➡➡	<p>with healthcare provider note diagnosing underlying chronic condition, including previous negative COVID-19 test</p>
<p>traveled to a state with significant rates of COVID-19*</p>	➡➡	<p>after 14 days of self-quarantine</p>

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