

GSFS COVID-19 Policy Transition

21/22 Academic Year

Ongoing GSFS COVID-19 Policy - 21/22 Academic Year				
	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4
Formal Guidance For additional detail on the guidance summarized below, please visit the below links. GSFS follows PDPH as a minimum requirement, as required by law. https://www.phila.gov/programs/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19/guidance/guidance-documents/schools-guidance/ https://policylab.chop.edu/sites/default/files/pdf/publications/PolicyLab-Guidance-In-person-Education-K-12%20Educational-Settings-January-2022.pdf				
Masking	Indoor Masking Required Outdoor Masking Optional	----->	----->	Masking Optional Indoors
Screening Testing	Weekly testing of students who are unvaccinated.	Discontinue testing of asymptomatic individuals	PDPH Requirement during Response Levels 2 - 4: Screening Testing of 10% of Unvaccinated Student Population	----->
Extracurriculars	Weekly testing of students who participate in extracurriculars.	Discontinue testing of asymptomatic individuals	----->	----->
Symptomatic	10-Day Isolation	Option 1: 5-Day Isolation, strict masking for 5 additional days. Option 2: Test for COVID-19**	----->	----->
Contact Tracing / Physical Distancing	Cohorts maintained both indoor and outdoor	Indoor Cohorting Continues Discontinue outdoor cohorts	Indoor Cohorting Ends, Separate Eating Area provided for returning Positive COVID individuals in days 6 - 10	----->
COVID-19 Positive Individual	10-Day Isolation	5-day isolation return after isolation if symptoms subside or 24 hours without fever. Continued masking days 6 - 10.	----->	----->
COVID-19 Exposure	Test to Stay Test within one day after exposure, testing every other day until 7 days post exposure.	Mask to Stay* Daily symptom screening exposed cohorts for 10 days. Recommend immediate testing.	----->	TBD
Household Exposures	10-Day Quarantine	Test to Stay* Test within one day after exposure, testing every other day until 7 days post exposure. Strict masking required for 7 days.	----->	TBD
Additional GSFS Mitigation Strategies				
Daily Attestation	Detailed daily attestation required before arrival using AUXS Safety App.	Simplified Daily Attestation required before arrival using AUXS Safety App	----->	----->
Visitors	By appointment only, extremely restricted approvals process.	Visits allowed by appointment, event form to be filled out for larger groups.	Restricted Visitor Policy Removed	----->
Hand Cleaning & Respiratory Etiquette	Hand hygiene stations in multiple locations. Routines for hand washing developed.	----->	----->	----->
Ventilation & Filtration	Maximized Air Changes & Outside Air, Installation of MERV 13 air filters, HEPA filters minimum in all locations	----->	----->	----->
Cleaning & Maintaining Healthy Facilities	High-touch surfaces cleaned and disinfected frequently. Additional cleaning remains in effect.	----->	----->	----->
LAUNCH DATE	9-Mar	21-Mar	11-Apr	TBD

Items in red = Minimum requirements per PDPH

* = We recognize that CHOP PolicyLab recommends these implementation layers during times of high transmission. We will continue to implement these layers at all transmission stages during Phase 2.

** = If you would like a COVID-19 test but cannot access this resource, please contact GSFS so that we can best support you.