

COE Child Care Briefing Meeting Chat 1.24.22

Good morning!

From Destiny Malone to Everyone 10:00 AM

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From Crissy Roubal to Everyone 10:00 AM

good morning

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:00 AM

Good morning! I'm on a computer without a mic or camera today :D

From Nora Caruso (she/her) to Everyone 10:02 AM

Hey everybody. I'm driving home from LA and listening only today. Hope everyone is hanging in there....

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 10:05 AM

Tests at those locations are for kids too?

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:05 AM

What's concerning about the antigen test results is that we had a teacher test negative on an antigen but 3 days later her PCR came back positive. Both tests were taken at the same time.

From kimberleysaxton to Everyone 10:05 AM

That is GREAT news, Faris!

From Amy Fair to Everyone 10:06 AM

I'm wondering if we could do a review of how to count the days? 5 days? 10 days? If symptoms started on a Thursday and they tested positive on the Friday when do you start counting? It seems like some have gone off on their own and I want to be sure we're still in alignment with the health dept. Thanks!!

From Meghan Reilly to Everyone 10:07 AM

Santa Cruz County Emergency Child Care Supplies Distribution Registration Form:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EK5UtiKWAUS2PuqUVCFIai9-4A2XNYdCiCdfY0Xnd7VUODhQTUQxQjBUUgyMIZPUjRaWjY4VzIWRYQIQCN0PWcu>

From Faris Sabbah (He/Him) to Everyone 10:08 AM

COVID-19 Questions

(831) 466-5904

COVIDprotocols@santacruzcoe.org

From Meghan Reilly to Everyone 10:09 AM

Link for Santa Cruz County Emergency Child Care Supplies Distribution Registration Form above. Supply give away on Feb 5th from 10-12 at the COE.

From Nancy Cohen to Everyone 10:10 AM

Will preschools be able to use modified quarantine any time soon?

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:10 AM

Faris, thank you for assisting me with getting our 11-month-old infants tested. Unfortunately, the number you shared for Inspire's manager, Juan, wasn't the correct number so I had the parent take your email to the test site which worked.

From Stephanie Simmons Coastal Community Preschool to Everyone 10:10 AM

The Cabrillo site is saying the only test Staff and children.

From Kristen to Everyone 10:11 AM

I have had 2 students test positive with antigen and negative with PCR taken on the same day. I am going with the positive but this makes it so confusing

From Donna Cherie to Everyone 10:11 AM

If a child is still testing positive at 10 days?

From Destiny Malone to Everyone 10:12 AM

Is there any concern to test us infants under 11 months with our antigen tests we received from the training?

From Amy Warren to Everyone 10:12 AM

Preschool child gets COVID, returns to school and gets exposed by another child. Do they have to be quarantined? Test? The PCR could be positive for 90 days after COVID.

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:13 AM

Have you heard of a person being ineligible for a booster until they have had 90 days pass from being COVID positive?

From Kathryn Berens to Everyone 10:13 AM

I had a positive antigen after 10 days in a student

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:14 AM

Cabrillo is following the 10-day isolation period

From Paulette Carney to Everyone 10:15 AM

How can they mask if they are napping?

From Destiny Malone to Everyone 10:16 AM

They can't, it's best to do 10 days for positive cases, can't meet the requirement between nap, eating etc.

From Maria Castro to Everyone 10:18 AM

That's why we have to quarantine for 10 days....

Unless it's a half day program with no naps.

From Stephanie Simmons Coastal Community Preschool to Everyone 10:18 AM

Can we get updates on the Rapid PCR vans?

From Kimberleysaxton to Everyone 10:18 AM

I was told by licensing that temperature checks are still required and ideating to do it twice daily. Is everyone still doing this? I thought public health said this wasn't really the best tool to use.... However, I guess this is a hard requirement still from licensing. Ugh.

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 10:19 AM

after 10 days they can be outside with no mask, right?

From Crissy Roubal to Everyone 10:19 AM

I do tests and daily health checks.

From Stephanie Simmons Coastal Community Preschool to Everyone 10:19 AM

The day of exposure is day zero.

From Crissy Roubal to Everyone 10:19 AM

sorry i meant temp checks not testing

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:19 AM

Kimberly, we are continuing to take temperatures, and our health check in questionnaires daily.

From Nancy Cohen to Everyone 10:24 AM

AT what point will preschools be allowed to do modified quarantine?

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:24 AM

Inspire sites will do both PCR & antigen at the same time.

From Mindy to Everyone 10:25 AM

We still do daily temp and health checks.

From Amy Warren to Everyone 10:26 AM

We still take temps and screen children daily.

From Donna Cherie to Everyone 10:28 AM

I am so sorry that the call dropped. If a child is testing positive on a rapid test after 10 days, with no symptoms, when can they return?

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 10:30 AM

could please share the locations for testing.

thank you

From Nancy Cohen to Everyone 10:30 AM

Thank you!!

From Donna Cherie to Everyone 10:31 AM

You can also find the sites here: <https://covid19test.santacruzcoe.org>

From Mindy to Everyone 10:31 AM

I thought the childcare flow chart that you put out recently did include the 5 day return with modified quarantine. Or is this different?

From Amy Warren to Everyone 10:31 AM

We have different children in the facility on different days of the week. Modified quarantine would be difficult.

From Faris Sabbah (He/Him) to Everyone 10:35 AM

<http://covid19test.santacruzcoe.org>

Staff Guidelines

https://docs.google.com/drawings/d/1zyNOgObFfXUSpuNuZy_3wNVafEvAVVkcX_XqNEoHs8/edit?usp=sharing

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 10:39 AM

Anyone positive at home daycare we need to close right?

Thank you, Christina and Brenda.

Thank you

From Ester Chávez to Everyone 10:39 AM

También nos darían para niños cubrebocas de cirugía??

From Brenda Ruiz to Everyone 10:39 AM

COVID-19 Surge Employer Town Hall

Monday, January 24 6:00pm-7:00pm

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From Faris Sabbah (He/Him) to Everyone 10:39 AM

Si temenos mascararas de cirujia

From Mercedes to Everyone 10:40 AM

When and where can we pick up the masks?

From Ester Chávez to Everyone 10:40 AM

Para niños??

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 10:41 AM

Do you still require tuition when you close home daycare?

From Mindy to Everyone 10:41 AM

We allow the preschool child back, but they have to go home for lunch and nap.

From Mercedes to Everyone 10:41 AM

for adults the KN9

From msluggett to Everyone 10:43 AM

Are the masks you have at the COE for students the KN 95 type?

From Leticia Nolasco to Everyone 10:45 AM

Just to be clear... we only have to report to licensing if children are positive?

From Mindy to Everyone 10:47 AM

Please repeat the info on how far back is considered exposure. They used to say 4 days prior to the positive test. I thought someone just said now they only go back 2 days. Is that correct?

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:48 AM

After isolating for 10 days good to go, watch for symptoms for 14 days

From Maria Castro to Everyone 10:49 AM

Are parents getting letters explaining this protocol at the schools? Is there a letter we can send to ECE parents?

From Amy Warren to Everyone 10:49 AM

Yes, it is in our contract.

From Faris Sabbah (He/Him) to Everyone 10:49 AM

@Lisa - only 10-day snow

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:49 AM

Yes, we are

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:49 AM

We credited Full Fee families for the days we were closed.

From Kathryn Berens to Everyone 10:49 AM

yes, however if there is a hardship we address it individually

From Donna Cherie to Everyone 10:49 AM

It's part of our contract that the tuition is "regardless of usage"

From kimberleysaxton to Everyone 10:49 AM

100% yes, we are still charging. We are still paying staff, insurance, etc.

From Troylene to Everyone 10:49 AM

Yes. They are paying for the spot.

From Nancy Cohen to Everyone 10:50 AM

Yes, us too. it's in their contracts

From Paulette Carney-UCSC to Everyone 10:50 AM

No credit is given. Tuition is still at 100%

From Faris Sabbah (He/Him) to Everyone 10:50 AM

@Lisa only 10 days monitoring symptoms

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:50 AM

Yes, That's correct Nora

From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 10:51 AM

I received 9 notices in 5 days

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:52 AM

Faris, I went to Cabrillo at 4:00 on Saturday, and the website says they close at 5:00. Are the hours on the website up to date? I figured they ran out of tests.

From Mindy to Everyone 10:52 AM

We are officially ROU, but I am giving 50% covid precaution credit when a child is out for a full week due to quarantine or isolation. Of course, we have all of our costs, but our parents have trouble since they may not be getting paid while out of work.

From Lily Hasebe to Everyone 10:53 AM

Cabrillo Saturday hours are until 3:00

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:54 AM

Yes!!

From Meghan Reilly to Everyone 10:56 AM

Here is the link for the **Feb 5th supply give away link**. Deadline to sign up is **2.3.22**

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EK5UtiKWAUS2PugUVCFIai9-4A2XNYdCiCdfY0Xnd7VUODhQTUQxQjIBUUGyMIZPUjRaWjY4VzIWRyQIQCN0PWcu>

From Lisa Hindman Holbert to Everyone 10:56 AM

What is the deadline for that?

From Brenda Ruiz to Everyone 11:00 AM

Free at Home Kits <https://special.usps.com/testkits>

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From Lisa Hirahara to Everyone 11:01 AM

Thank you Faris and everyone!

From Laura Tobias to Everyone 11:02 AM

Thank you! These meetings are so helpful.

From Irene Aguirre to Everyone 11:02 AM

Thank you!!!!

From kimberleysaxton to Everyone 11:02 AM

Thank you so much!

From Amy Warren to Everyone 11:02 AM

Thank you!

From Nancy Cohen to Everyone 11:02 AM

Yay for this forum!

From Elvira Ruiz to Everyone 11:02 AM

gracias a todos buen día

From Brenda Ruiz to Everyone 11:02 AM

Porfavor registese para su kit de covid - totalmente gratis

From Leticia Nolasco to Everyone 11:02 AM

Thank you

From Brenda Ruiz to Everyone 11:02 AM

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