

# Childcare Safety Plans for COVID-19

What to do if:	What should the person of concern do?	What actions should the facility take?	Who should the facility tell?
<p><b>1. A child or staff member says “yes” to a screening question, has a temperature of above 100.4, or has symptoms of COVID-19</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The person should not enter the childcare setting</li> <li>• They should call their doctor to see if they can get tested</li> <li>• They should not come back until they have had no symptoms such as fever, cough, etc. for 24 hours and it’s been at least 10 days since symptoms started, even with a negative test result</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air out all the rooms by opening windows</li> <li>• Disinfect toys and surfaces that are regularly touched (door handles, light switches, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You would only need to tell other families or the health department if the person tests positive</li> <li>• See #4 for more information</li> </ul>
<p><b>2. Someone begins experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 while at the care facility</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This person should plan to go home as soon as possible</li> <li>• They should call their doctor for advice on testing</li> <li>• They should not come back until they have had no symptoms such as fever, cough, etc. for 24 hours and it’s been at least 10 days since symptoms started, even with a negative test result</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the person with symptoms needs to be picked up, he/she should stay in a room away from others and use a separate bathroom</li> <li>• If there is no separate room, keep the person at least 6 ft. away from everyone else</li> <li>• Open all windows to increase air flow</li> <li>• Disinfect everything that they have touched</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You would only need to tell family or the health department if the person tests positive</li> <li>• See #4 for more information</li> </ul>

## Childcare Safety Plans for COVID-19 (continued)

<p><b>3. A staff member, a child, or parent reports close contact or is living with someone who is positive for COVID-19</b></p> <p><b>Close contact = spending 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period within 6ft of someone who has COVID-19</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call their doctor to see if they can get tested</li> <li>• Self-quarantine for 10 days: This person should self-quarantine even if their COVID-19 test is negative</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Disinfect toys and surfaces that are regularly touched (door handles, light switches, etc.)</li> <li>• Open windows to air out all rooms</li> <li>• Do not allow this person to be at childcare until their quarantine is over or they have been cleared by their doctor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call Public Health at (530)-666-8614, so they can guide you on how to get tested</li> <li>• Call this Direct Advice Line, if you have questions or need direction: 833-965-6268</li> <li>• Call and send a letter to all families letting them know that someone at the facility has had close contact with a COVID-19 positive person</li> </ul>
<p><b>4. A child or staff member tests positive for COVID-19, or receives a clinical diagnosis of probable COVID-19 by a medical provider.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They should isolate themselves at home and follow their doctor's and Health Department's guidance</li> <li>• They should not come back to childcare until they have had no symptoms such as fever, cough, etc. for 24 hours <b>and</b> it's been at least 10 days since symptoms started</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close for 10 days</li> <li>• Open windows to air out the facility</li> <li>• Wait 24 hours after the infected person was last in the room before disinfecting. This lets any respiratory droplets that might be in the air settle.</li> <li>• Do not allow this person to be at childcare until their quarantine is over or they have been cleared by their doctor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call Public Health at (530)-666-8614, so they can guide you on how to get tested</li> <li>• Call this County Direct Advice Line, if you have questions or need direction: 833-965-6268</li> <li>• Call and send a letter to all families letting them know that they have been exposed and should stay home and quarantine</li> <li>• If you are a California Childcare Licensed facility, please file a report.</li> </ul>