

My Child Did NOT Pass the Screening for COVID-19 Symptoms

(Please see [COVID-19 Screening](#) for details on symptoms and screening.)

Does your child have a chronic medical condition?

Yes

No

Are your child's symptoms worse / different than normal?

No

Yes

Children with stable symptoms of a known chronic medical condition may attend school. If there are concerns, consult your health care provider and follow their guidance.

Call the school and inform them of your child's illness and absence.

**Your child must not attend school
AND
Should seek medical advice**

If an alternate diagnosis from a health care provider is received (e.g. it is not believed to be COVID-19), your child may return to school once they are symptom-free for 24 hours

OR

If the child was tested for COVID-19 they are required to self-isolate while test results are pending. If the test results are negative and the child has no known exposure to COVID-19, the child may return to school when the symptoms are resolved for at least 24 hours

OR

If the child was given no alternate diagnosis and was recommended for testing for COVID-19 but did not get tested, they must begin self-isolation period for minimum of 14 days from onset of their symptoms.



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Please note:

- Your Local Public Health Unit (LPHU) is unable to provide clinical assessment or determine the suitability of a child returning to school.
- All household members of the ill child are to self monitor for 14 days. They can continue to go to school or work as long as they have not developed symptoms themselves, and as long as the ill child has not been diagnosed with COVID-19.
- If positive COVID-19 result, the LPHU will conduct case and contact management and provide guidance.
- Visit your Local Public Health Unit website for information on where to get tested.
 - Peterborough Public Health – www.peterboroughpublichealth.ca
 - Durham Region Health Department – www.durham.ca
 - Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit – www.hkpr.on.ca