



COVID-19 Student Case Protocols

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TOPICS

- Self-Screening and Symptoms Overview
- DOH-Pinellas Student Case Protocols
 - Confirmed
 - Symptoms
- Supervisor Responsibilities: Entry into PCS COVID Database





Department of Health-Pinellas *Collaboration and Communication*

- Department of Health-Pinellas is the lead agency for investigation, contact tracing and guidance for isolation and/or quarantine.
- COVID Team will follow Department of Health guidelines and review cases based on the guidelines at the time case is reported.
- Every case contains nuances based upon surrounding circumstances and will be handled individually.
- The Department of Health- Pinellas and Pinellas County Schools will follow CDC guidance, which is subject to change

COVID-19 Symptoms

Importance of Self-Screening

If anyone (student, employee, visitor) shows any symptoms or conditions of COVID-19, it is extremely important that they not enter any school or district building and should contact their healthcare provider for guidance. COVID-19 symptoms (not associated with previously diagnosed conditions) include:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Unidentified rash (student only)
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

POSITIVE CASE PROTOCOLS



Parent
Responsibility

Principal/Supervisor
Responsibility

PCS COVID Team
Responsibility

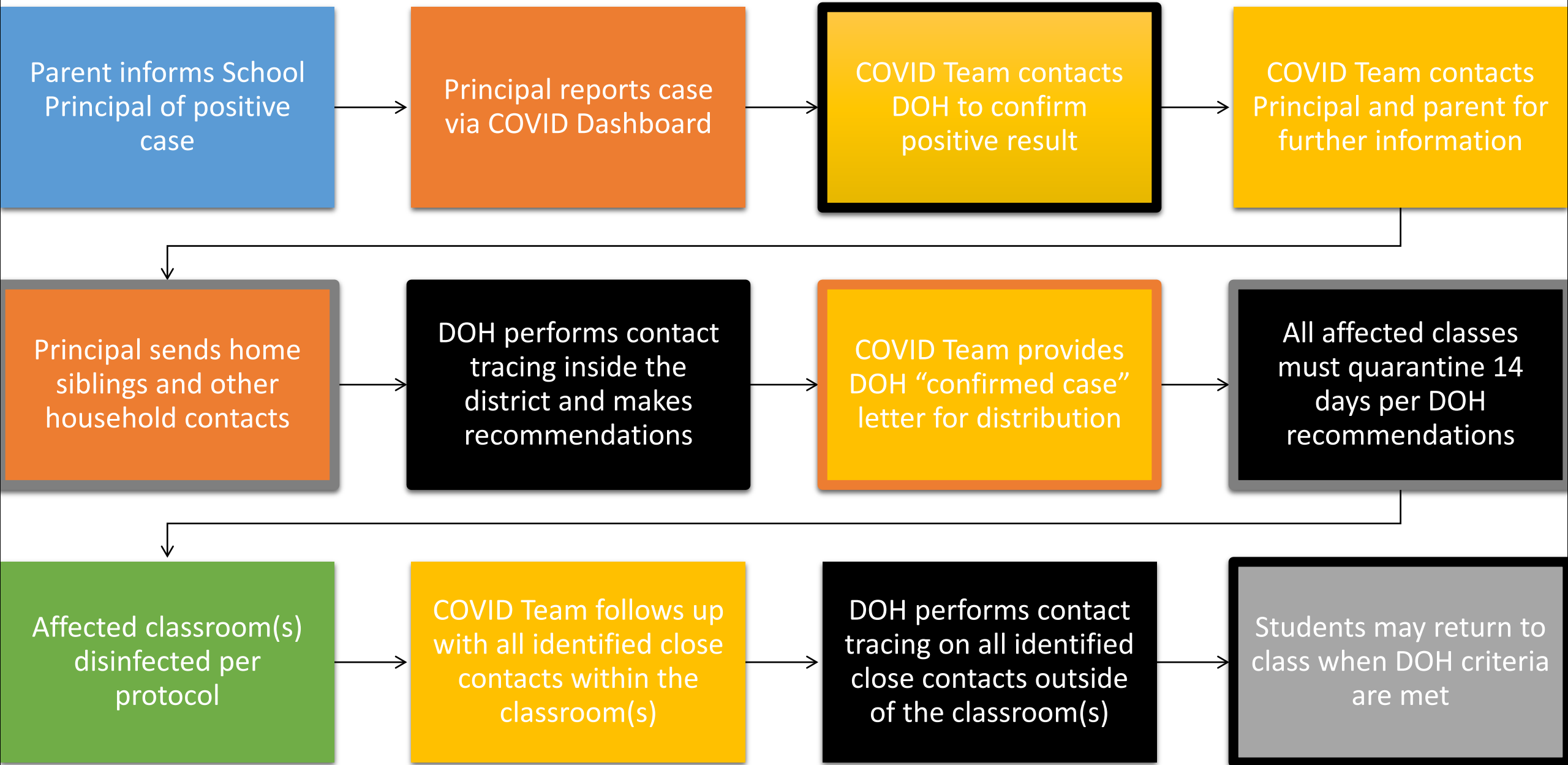
Plant Operations
Responsibility

DOH-Pinellas
Responsibility

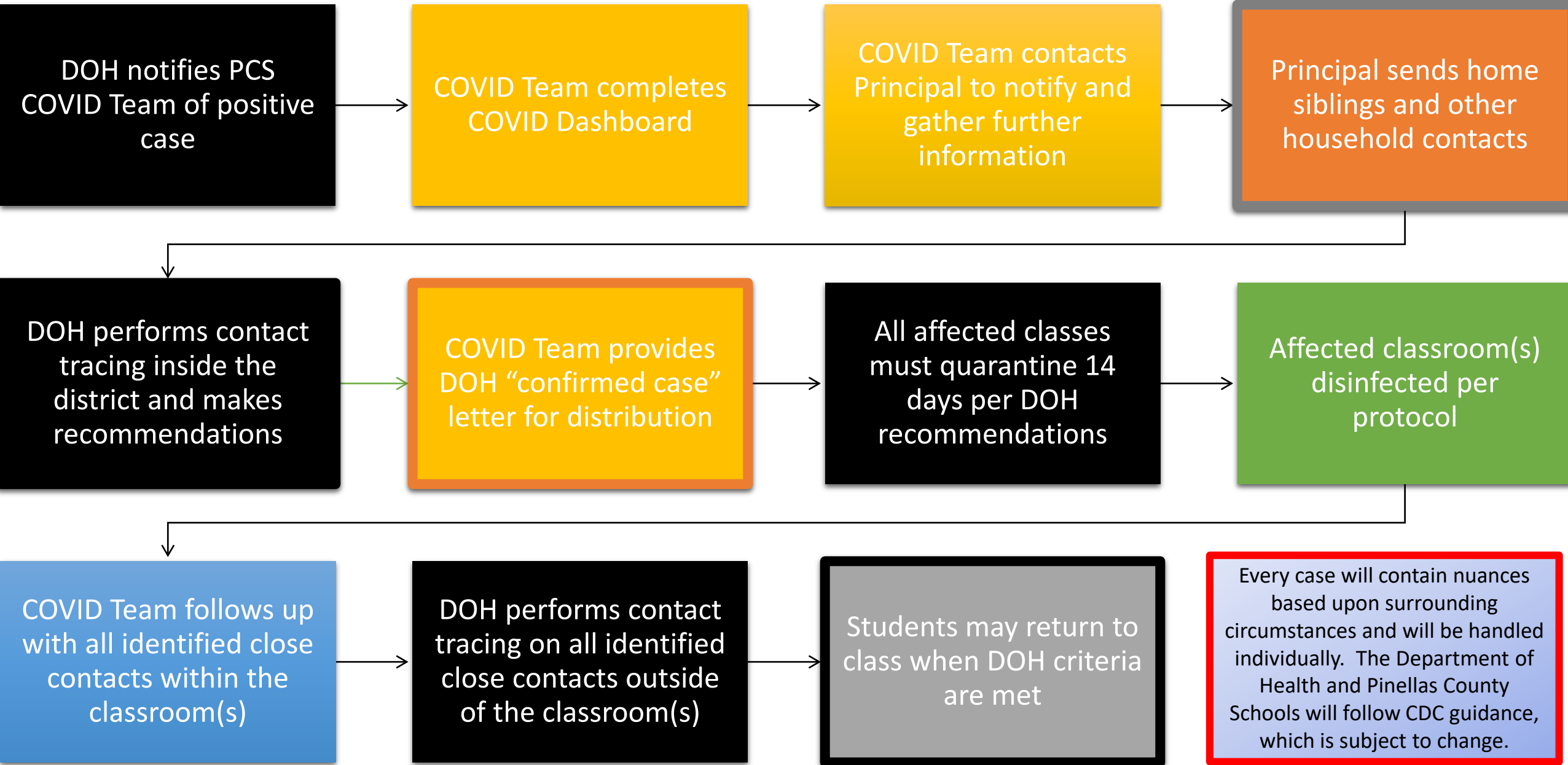
Student
Responsibility

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Current DOH-Pinellas Positive Case Protocol: Parent Notification for Student



Current DOH-Pinellas Positive Case Protocol: DOH Notification for Student



DOH-Pinellas Recommendations for Students with Symptoms

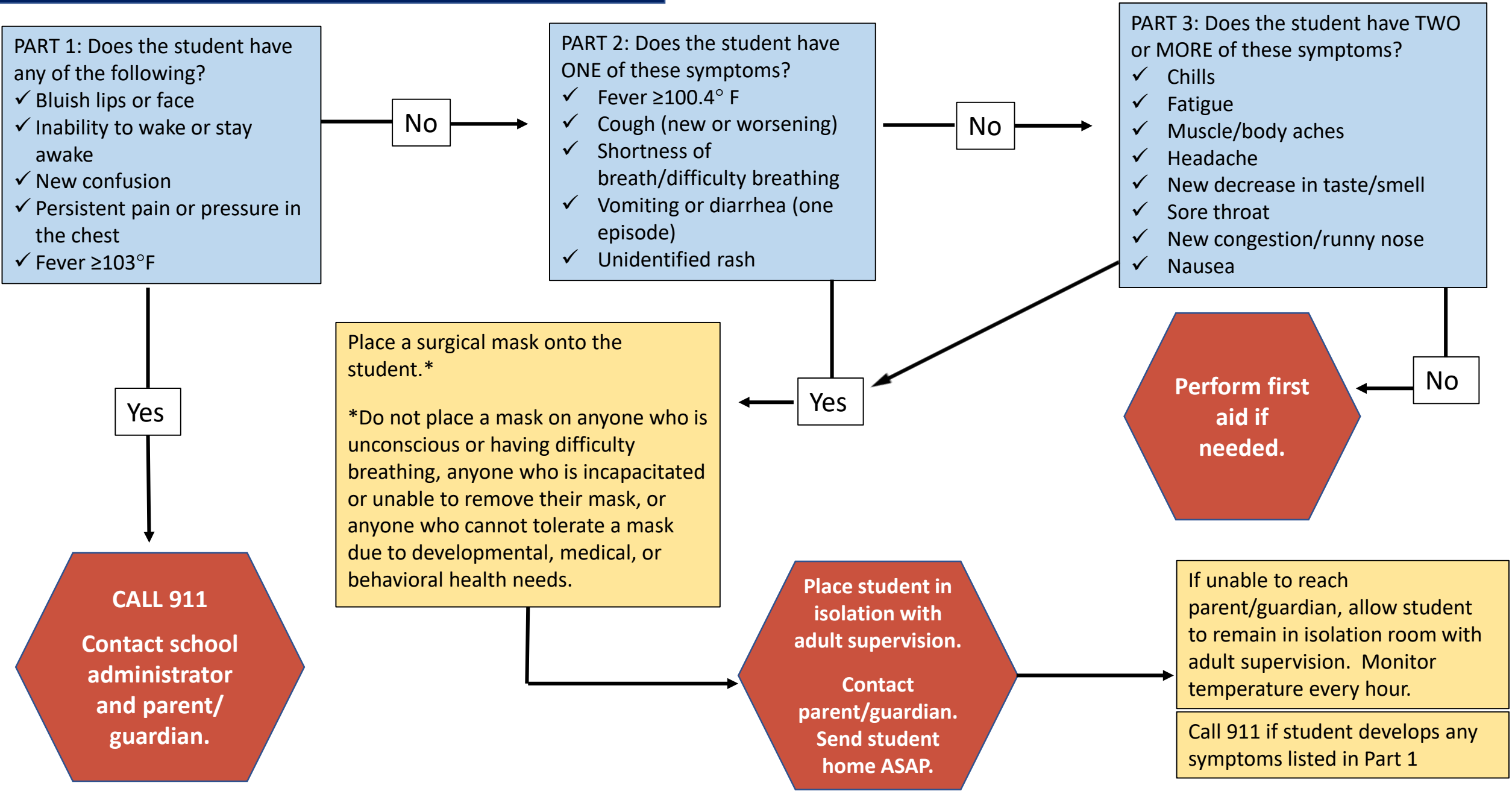
Return Home for any ONE of the following:

- Fever $\geq 100.4^{\circ}\text{F}$ via no-contact thermometer
- Cough (new or worsening)
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Vomiting or diarrhea (one episode)
- Unidentified rash

Return Home for any TWO or MORE of the following:

- Chills
- Fatigue
- Muscle/body aches
- Headache
- New decrease in taste or smell
- Sore throat
- New congestion or runny nose
- Nausea

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Supervisor Responsibilities

All processes that involve COVID-19 cases may necessitate case communication with the Department of Health- Pinellas, as the lead agency for case investigation, contact tracing and quarantine decisions. As always, all student information will remain confidential, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.