



## Health Screening Handout (Provide to families if denied access)

In order to maintain safety of all staff and children, we must instill strict guidelines when it comes to our Illness Policy. The policy applies to all staff and children attending the camp. Open transparency and candor around guidelines below is required. Although this may lead to some challenging conversations, staff and families need to acknowledge and respect the necessity of openness during the pandemic. We sincerely appreciate your compliance and understanding.

Children with symptoms must stay home until symptoms resolve or for 10 days, whichever is longest. In the event of a negative COVID-19 test, children may return to the facility once child is symptom-free for 48 hours. Fever, diarrhea and vomiting require the child to additionally be symptom-free, without fever reducing medications, for 48 hours following the last symptom.

See Illness Policy regarding length of time absence is required.

Next steps to follow if you or your child are experiencing COVID-19 like symptoms should be conducted and can be found here <https://www.islandhealth.ca/learn-about-health/covid-19/symptoms-testing-and-isolation>

## Illness Policy

Parents are expected to complete a health review of their child at home. This should include taking their child's temperature. Parents will additionally be asked health check questions by the staff each morning, confirming that their child is symptom-free and has not been given acetaminophen or ibuprofen in the last 12 hours. In the event that a parent is found to not be answering this statement truthfully or withholding important medical information, child care will no longer be provided to that family.

Symptom	May return when
Temperature of 100 F / 37.8 C or higher (orally) or 99 F / 37.2 C or higher (under the arm) or 100.4 F / 38 C or higher (forehead/ear)	May return to child care after a medical note or negative COVID-19 test confirms the child does not have COVID-19 <b>and</b> the child is symptom-free for 48 hours.
Runny nose, cough, sore throat, difficulty breathing or wheezing	May return to child care after a medical note or negative COVID-19 test confirms the child does not have COVID-19 <b>and</b> the child is symptom-free.
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Symptom	May return when
Unexplained fatigue, aches or cold/flu-like symptoms	May return to child care after a medical note or negative COVID-19 test confirms the child does not have COVID-19 <b>and</b> the child is symptom-free.
Sinus congestion	May return to child care after a medical note or negative COVID-19 test confirms the child does not have COVID-19 <b>and</b> the child is symptom-free.
Eye infections, discharge, red/pink eyes	May return to child care after a medical note or negative COVID-19 test confirms the child does not have COVID-19 <b>and</b> the child is symptom-free.
Children who have, or children with others living in the same home who have just returned from international travel	May return after self-isolating for 14 days <b>and</b> being symptom-free.
Children who have, or children with others living in the same home who have been identified as at-risk of potential COVID-19 exposure	May return after self-isolating for 14 days <b>and</b> being symptom-free.
Known or suspected communicable diseases (measles, chicken pox, pink eye, hand foot and mouth, etc.)	May return after being symptom-free for a minimum of 72 hours.
Unexplained rashes <b>or</b> any rash that is not confirmed by doctor to be non-contagious	Seek medical confirmation and provide doctor's note to return.
Unusual, unexplained loss of appetite, fatigue, irritability, diarrhea, vomiting, nausea, headache, ear infection not related to possible COVID-19 symptoms	May return after being symptom-free for a minimum of 48 hours.