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EDUHSD COVID-19 Testing and Tracing Information

EDUHSD Community,

The following message contains information regarding free COVID-19 testing opportunities and contact tracing protocol for students and staff in the El Dorado Union High School District.

COVID-19 Testing:

Please read carefully as there is specific information regarding what is available and the related registration links for each opportunity.

Members of the EDUHSD learning community may test with Heal 360 at the testing pod located at El Dorado High School Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. PCR testing must be completed before 3:30 p.m. each day. Students and staff may use the following link to pre-register for testing with Heal360:

<https://inspirediagnostics.com/el-dorado-union-high-school-district>.

Please do not block driveways of neighbors or create a traffic problem for the neighborhood.

Beginning Thursday, January 20, 2022, additional rapid antigen and PCR testing with Heal360 is available for **all members of the public** at Green Valley Community Church (3500 Missouri Flat Road, Placerville, CA 95667) Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (PCR tests must be completed before 3:30pm). Community members may register for testing at Green Valley Community Church using the following link:

<https://inspirediagnostics.com/el-dorado-county/>

Additional community testing opportunities are available using the following link from El Dorado County Public Health: [EDCCOVID-19 Get A Test](#)

California Department of Public Health Guidelines and Contact Tracing:

For your reference, information on “Isolation and Quarantine Recommendations for the General Public (not applicable to healthcare personnel)” may be found using the following link: [CDPH Isolation and Quarantine Guidelines](#)

Also, the CA Department of Public Health has updated guidance pertaining to contact tracing for COVID-19 exposure. Information may be found using the following link: [Group-Tracing Approach to Students Exposed to COVID-19 in a K-12 setting](#)

Based on this new guidance, the method that we use to share information with families has changed. We are now using group tracing instead of close contact tracing. This means that students and staff who have come into contact with someone in a shared indoor airspace who has tested positive for COVID-19 will receive an updated, “Notification of Exposure”.

If you need to report a positive case of COVID-19 or have questions about COVID-19, please contact the EDUHSD COVID-19 Response Team: covid19@eduhsd.k12.ca.us or (530) 622-5081 ext. 7238.

We appreciate your ongoing cooperation and adherence to guidelines and protocols relating to the prevention of the spread of COVID-19.