



#StopTheSpread

Understanding Transmission & Close Contacts

IDENTIFYING CLOSE CONTACTS

A close contact is considered someone **CLOSER THAN 6 FEET** together **WITH OR WITHOUT A MASK** for **MORE THAN 10 MINUTES** within **48 HOURS PRIOR** to **POSITIVE CONTACT'S SYMPTOM ONSET** or a **POSITIVE TEST** result.



Close Contacts Should:

- Quarantine for 14 days & monitor symptoms daily.
- If symptoms develop, individual should get tested immediately.
- Some individuals may want to get tested right away for various reasons. Public Health recommends waiting until 7-10 days post exposure.



CONTACTS OF A CLOSE CONTACTS

Contacts of close contacts are individuals who have been around identified close contacts of a confirmed/probable case prior to the close contact being quarantined.

What to do:

- Continue Practicing Safety Protocols
 - Social Distancing
 - Wear a Face Covering
 - Clean and Disinfect Surfaces
 - Practice Frequent Handwashing
 - Self Check for Symptoms



When would the situation change?

- If the close contact tests positive or begins to develop symptoms and you have had close contact within 48 hours PRIOR to their positive test, you should quarantine.

