

Albany County Department of Health Protocol: Screening for COVID-19

No Flags:

Proceed to School.

LHD Confirmed Exposure, No Symptoms:

Exclude from school.

Placed on quarantine and monitored by LHD.

If remain asymptomatic, remain home for 14 days since last exposure.

Positive Diagnosis, No Symptoms:

Exclude from school.

Placed on isolation and monitored by LHD.

Remain home until released from isolation by LHD.

At Least 1 Symptom:

Exclude from school.

Refer to medical provider for evaluation and [COVID-19 testing](#).

If confirmed positive COVID-19 test: See protocol for Positive Case.

If negative COVID-19 test: See protocol for Symptomatic Student or Staff.

COVID-19 Symptoms

- Fever >100
- Chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- Sore throat
- New loss of taste or smell
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Congestion or runny nose

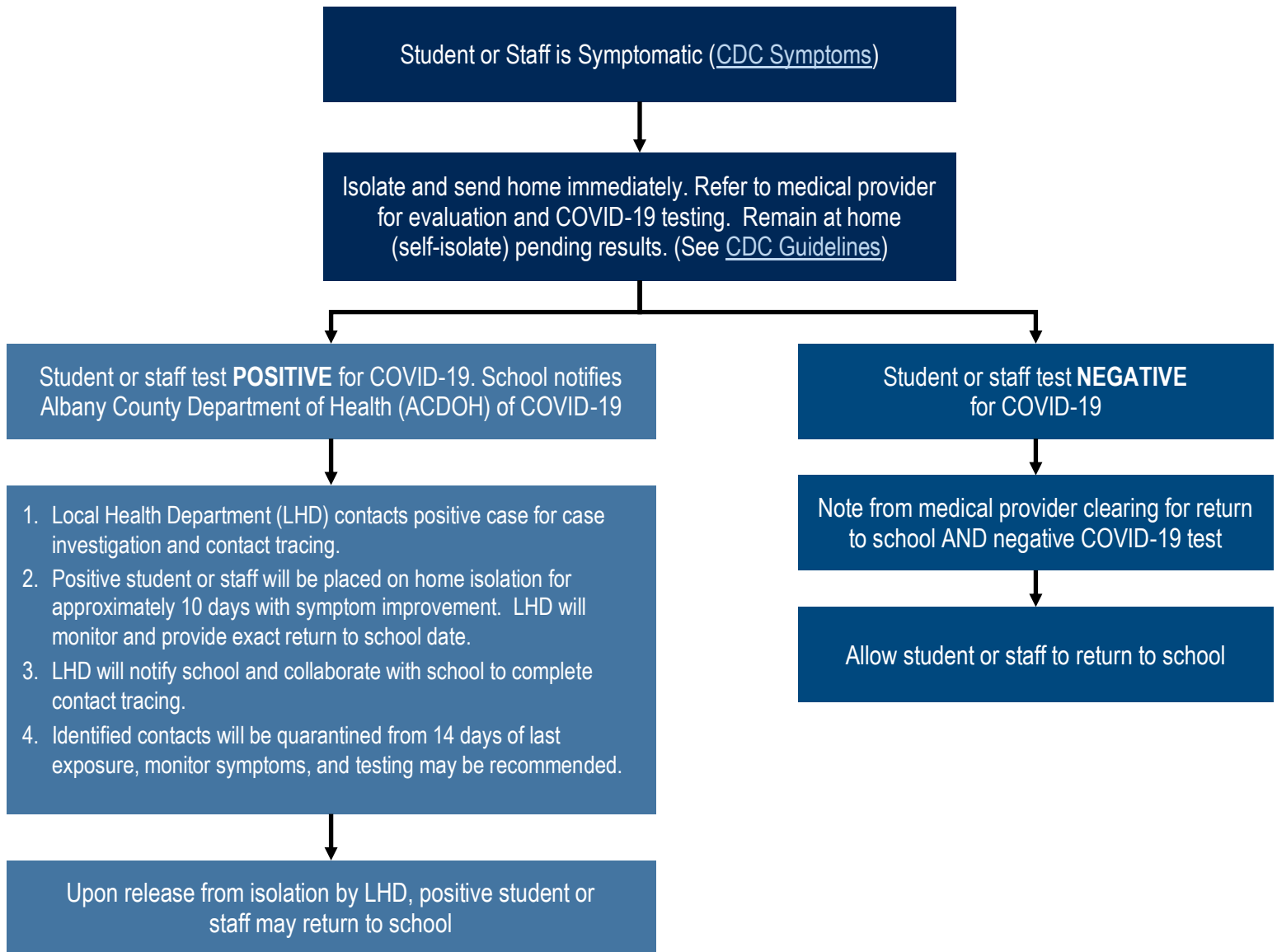
COVID-19 Symptoms Resource: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. 2020. *Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) – Symptoms*. [online] Available at: <<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>> [Accessed 18 August 2020].



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ACDOH COVID-19 Protocol for Symptomatic: Student or Staff (*not identified as contact*)



Contacts to positive case can return to school after 14 day quarantine period if asymptomatic. If symptomatic, LHD will continue to monitor and provide exact return to school date.

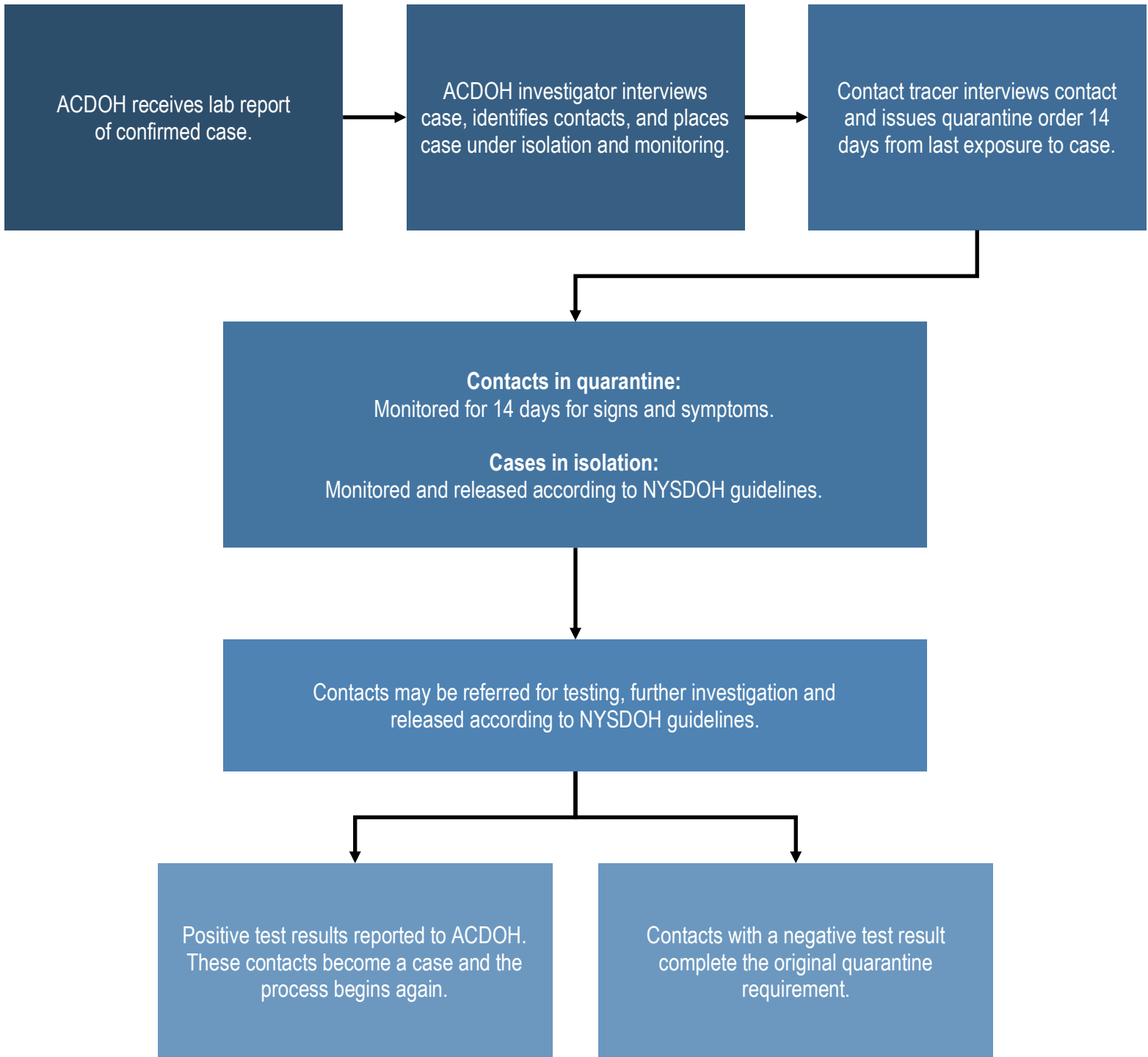
Please see Albany County Department of Health School Reopening FAQs for students or staff that are symptomatic and are NOT tested for COVID-19.



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Albany County Department of Health Protocol: COVID-19 Case Investigation & Contact Tracing



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