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Dear Hudson ISD Parents,

As we continue to fight the spread of COVID-19, we have answered many questions based on CDC guidance. There has been much confusion on quarantine periods for those that may have been determined to be in close contact with a person who tested positive for COVID-19. There is a link below to a great document provided by the CDC that contains multiple scenarios and timelines.

Most persons are aware of the requirement to quarantine for 14 days if determined to be in close contact with a person who is positive or assumed positive. However, this period is extended if the person lives in the home without being able to fully isolate from the infected person. Such is the case in most homes where a child lives with a parent or sibling that is COVID-19 positive. In cases like this, the quarantine period should extend to 24 days. It could extend even further if other individuals in the home begin experiencing symptoms or are also determined to be COVID-19 positive.

The district COVID-19 Response Team (campus admin/nurses) will work with families and help determine the timeline appropriate for each scenario. While each case is unique to the situation, we will manage to combat the pandemic in the best way possible. It is imperative that we receive accurate information from families in a timely manner.

Thanks again and please review the information on the link below.

[CDC When to Quarantine](#)

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