



# HAMPSHIRE COUNTY SCHOOLS

## HEALTH SERVICES

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In collaboration with our county Health Department, CDC and WV Bureau of Public Health, Hampshire County Schools will be following the guidance below regarding all respiratory illnesses including COVID-19.

**There is no longer a recommendation for a 5-day Quarantine.** It is recommended that anyone with a viral respiratory illness such as COVID-19, influenza, and respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) shall remain home until:

- Symptoms have been getting better overall for 24 hours and if fever was present, it has been gone for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication.
- Those returning to school/work are encouraged to take precautions for the next 5 days to curb disease spread within the school/work setting. This includes:
  - o proper hand hygiene practices; and
  - o wearing a mask; and
  - o keeping distance from others.