

Dear WVCA Families,

We want to thank everyone for their support and understanding during this difficult time and know that our goal is to continue to provide in-person services as long as we can. With flu season, increased COVID numbers and the holidays coming up we want to remind everyone of the following policies we have in place to keep our children, families, staff and building safe.

Travel/Visitors:

To ensure that we are keeping all staff and children safe anyone who has traveled to an area where there are high amounts of COVID-19 cases, it is required that you stay home for 14 days upon return to Pennsylvania. If you travel to the following states or have family visiting for the holidays from the following states, you will need to quarantine for 14 days upon return or families departure:

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| • Alabama | • Indiana | • Nebraska | • South Dakota |
| • Alaska | • Iowa | • Nevada | • Tennessee |
| • Arizona | • Kansas | • New Mexico | • Texas |
| • Arkansas | • Kentucky | • North Carolina | • Utah |
| • Colorado | • Massachusetts | • North Dakota | • Virginia |
| • Connecticut | • Michigan | • Oklahoma | • Wisconsin |
| • Florida | • Minnesota | • Rhode Island | • Wyoming |
| • Georgia | • Mississippi | • South Carolina | |
| • Idaho | • Missouri | | |
| • Illinois | • Montana | | |

Given the interconnected nature of Pennsylvania to neighboring states the PA Department of Health highly discourages non-essential travel to and from the following states:

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| • Delaware | • New Jersey | • West Virginia |
| • Maryland | • Ohio | |

Sickness/Symptoms:

If your child or anyone in the household is showing symptoms listed below of illness (Flu, Sinus Infection, Cold, Stomach Bug, COVID, etc.) your child needs to stay home until they or the household has been symptom free without medication for 48 hours.

Symptoms (of illness, not all are COVID related):

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| • Fever 100.4°F (38.0°C) or higher, now or in the preceding 48 hours | • Diarrhea |
| • Cough | • Congestion or Runny Nose |
| • Sore Throat | • Muscle or Body Aches |
| • Fatigue | • Headache |
| • Nausea or Vomiting | • Rash |



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If your child or anyone in the household has a pending COVID test they will not be permitted to return until a negative test result is received.

If you have any questions regarding the policies listed above you can contact Silver or Nina at 570-714-1246.

