

Appendix B

Practices and Procedures for Suspected or Confirmed Covid-19 Cases

- Any student exhibiting symptoms while physically attending school will be placed in a separate room, away from other students, monitored by school personnel maintaining social distancing and wearing PPE. Parents will be called immediately to pick-up their student.
- Any staff member exhibiting symptoms while working in the school will leave school immediately.
- Families, caregivers and staff must notify the school if they have been exposed to COVID-19, or if they, or any members of their households, have been diagnosed with or presumed to have COVID-19. They must also notify the school if they are quarantined.
- Personnel and students with known exposure to someone with diagnosed or presumed COVID-19 must self-quarantine at home for 14 days.
- Staff or students who travel to a location with known community spread may choose to self-quarantine at home for 14 days.
- Students, who have been placed in mandatory quarantine, will be considered as an excused absence and will be given assignment instructions through Google Classroom.
- Staff or students with confirmed or presumed COVID-19 must meet conditions prescribed by the Ohio Department of Health and the Guernsey County Health Department prior to returning to school.
- St. Benedict School will work with Guernsey County Health Department on COVID-19 surveillance activities by tracking attendance and notifying them if there is a significant increase in absenteeism.
- If there is a “flare-up” of COVID-19 cases in our area, the school building may have to close for purposes of sanitizing or in recognition of high levels of student or staff illness.