

Health and Safety Plan Summary: Central Counties Youth Center

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1. How will the LEA, to the greatest extent practicable, support prevention and mitigation policies in line with the most up-to-date guidance from the CDC for the reopening and operation of school facilities in order to continuously and safely open and operate schools for in-person learning?

The Central Counties Youth Center will employ a layered prevention and mitigation strategy for the 2021-22 school year to operate in-person schooling in a safe and continuous manner.

The facility will operate normally unless data related to the COVID19 pandemic indicate a need to add additional protections for staff and students. Data will be reviewed periodically to determine the need for additional mitigation measures.

Layered and Phased Prevention Strategies and Mitigation Efforts will be based on levels of community, district, building, and classroom transmission, reviewed periodically by the district administration.

Layers of mitigation measures could include:

- " Masks / face coverings
- " Physical distancing
- " Increased handwashing and sanitizing
- " Minimizing exposure from those outside the facility organization.
- " Deeper cleaning /sanitizing and ventilation efforts
- " Other
 - o Wearing face coverings will always be optional for facility staff and students. The facility will maintain a supply to be distributed as needed.
 - o Teaching staff may continue to use physical distancing to maintain the health and safety of students.
 - o Hand sanitizer will continue to be provided to the classroom
 - o Other suggestions and recommendations from the CDC, PDE, and PA DOH, to the extent possible.

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The Administrator will work with any staff who have individual health-related needs.

The Administrator will request that facility staff and families report positive cases to the Administrator to facilitate contact tracing and ensure communication and planning.

The facility will also consider all directives from the CDC, PDE, PA DOH, and others as they may become available.

Source of information:

[CDC COVID-19 Schools, Child Care, and Colleaes](#)

[PDE/DOH Resources for School Communities During COVID-19](#)

[Responding to COVID-19 Case\(s\) in Schools](#)

- 2. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services, including but not limited to services to address the students' academic needs, and students' and staff members' social, emotional, mental health, and other needs, which may include student health and food services?**

The facility is committed to ensuring continuity of educational services for all residents. In-person learning will be offered full time for all residents. Those who are placed on Covid-19 quarantine protocol upon arrival will be given school work to complete individually while they are in quarantine away from the other residents. The teacher will work 1-1 with these students to ensure that their educational needs are being met prior to being admitted to the classroom. Once the quarantine period is over, the residents will be permitted to join the classroom where in-person instruction will continue. All residents are required to receive a physical within 96 hours of arrival at our facility, so all are guaranteed to have any medical needs met.

Use the table below to explain how the LEA will maintain the health and safety of students, educators, and other staff and the extent to which it has adopted policies, and

a description of any such policy on each of the following safety recommendations established by the CDC.

ARP ESSER Requirement	Strategies, Policies, and Procedures
<p>a. Universal and correct wearing of <u>masks</u>:</p>	<p>As a layered/phased prevention or mitigation strategy based on student/staff case counts or information from the CDC, PA DOH, and/or PDE. A building mask mandate could be considered should positive case counts increase See above.</p>
<p>b. Modifying facilities to allow for <u>physical distancing</u> (e.g., use of cohorts/podding);</p>	<p>As a layered/phased prevention or mitigation strategy based on student/staff case counts or information from the CDC, PA DOH, and/or PDE. See above.</p>
<p>c. <u>Handwashing and respiratory etiquette</u>:</p>	<p>As a layered/phased prevention or mitigation strategy based on student/staff case counts or information from the CDC, PA DOH, and/or PDE. See above.</p>
<p>d. <u>Cleaning</u> and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving <u>ventilation</u>:</p>	<p>As a layered/phased prevention or mitigation strategy based on student/staff case counts or information from the CDC, PA DOH, and/or PDE. See above.</p>
<p>e. <u>Contact tracing</u> in combination with <u>isolation</u> and <u>quarantine</u>, in collaboration with the State and local health departments;</p>	<p>As a layered/phased prevention or mitigation strategy based on student/staff case counts or information from the CDC, PA DOH, and/or PDE. Administration will develop contact tracing/quarantine guidelines based on facility & community status and considerations from CDC, DOH, & PDE. These may be updated as conditions change. See above.</p>
<p>f. <u>Diagnostic</u> and screening testing;</p>	<p>Testing will be offered for any resident who presents Covid-19 symptoms. All residents will have the ability to request a test if they feel they have been exposed to Covid-19.</p>

g. Efforts to provide vaccinations to <u>school communities</u>:	All residents and their families are informed that vaccinations are available upon request through Prime Care Health Services.
h. Appropriate accommodations for students with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies; and	Will follow all IDEA requirements for students with disabilities and provide special consideration for vulnerable populations to remain in-person to the extent oossible. See above.
i. Coordination with state and local health officials.	Our health provider, Prime Care Health Services, are specialized in providing medical services to incarcerated populations. All policies are guided by CDC guidelines and will be implemented as directed.

Health and Safety Plan Governing Body Affirmation Statement

The Board of Directors for the Central Counties Youth Center reviewed and approved the Health and Safety Plan on **July 8, 2022**.

The plan was approved by a vote of:

Yes 3 voted "yes"; 2 were absent from meeting.
 No

Affirmed on: January 11, 2022

By:



(Signature* of Board President)



(Print Name of Board President)

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