



Ready Schools, Safe Learners Resiliency Framework for the 2021-22 School Year

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RSSL Resiliency Framework Office Hours: November Series (11/15, 11/29)



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Purpose

Office hours are designed for School and District Leaders in an effort to...

- Provide clarity around the <u>RSSL Resiliency Framework for</u> <u>the 2021-22 School Year</u> as districts plan for in-person learning and to launch the school year.
- **Review & unpack** the <u>ESSER III District Plan</u>, including the Continuity of Services Plan.
- Create a space where **questions and ideas** from other practitioners may inspire new thinking or solidify current planning.
- Reinforce anchor ideas and values in the framework.
- Offer two-way communication and create a space to engage in conversation and sense making.



Structure for Today

Today's Facilitators: Jennifer, Scott, Tenneal & LeeAnn

Today's Chat Navigators: Sarah, Haedon, Joanne & Michelle

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Sharing on Key Topics
- 3. Please use the chat for specific questions and sharing.
- 4. We will record these and post them so they are available for others to view as well.



Today's Items

A. OHA Update to Investigative GuidelinesB. Q & A



OHA Update to Investigative Guidelines

- This week, we anticipate that OHA will change how LPHAs may determine quarantine length for close contacts in K-12 settings.
- OHA's new quarantine lengths are possible because of the robust mitigation layers used in Oregon schools
- This layered mitigation approach limits the spread of COVID-19 keeping students and staff safe at school.



K-12 local quarantine guidance

- In the K–12 school setting (e.g., classroom, school bus), a close contact should quarantine for 7 days and be offered testing between days 5-7 following their last exposure.
- If the close contact has a negative result by antigen or PCR test they may return to the school setting on day 8.
- Close contacts should continue to monitor themselves for symptoms through the 14 days after their exposure.



Vaccinated Close Contacts

- The previous guidance regarding vaccinated close contacts remains in place for K-12 school settings.
- Vaccinated persons with an exposure to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they meet the following criteria:
 - . Are fully vaccinated
 - Have remained symptom free since the reported COVID-19 exposure



A 7 day quarantine DOES NOT apply to:

- Students who are exposed to infected individuals outside of the school settings
- This includes exposures at home, during sports or other extracurricular activities
- Students who develop symptoms consistent with COVID-19



Layering Health & Safety Protocols

Layered health and safety measures help us maximize full-time, in-person learning and reduce disruptions for students, staff and families. The virus can pass through one or two layers but not all. That's why every layer matters and every layer helps keep students in class.





If you have any questions contact the ODE COVID-19 inbox ODECOVID19@ode.state.or.us.

Thank you!



Join us! Upcoming office hours...

November 29

*No RSSL Office Hours on Nov. 22

Mondays at 3:30-4:00 (shortened time)



