SCDHS criteria for quarantine of proximate contacts in school setting

This guidance is for **proximate contacts only**. Anyone who had close contact with a case, defined as being within 6 feet of the case for at least 10 minutes while that person was infectious, should be quarantined.

**Criteria for quarantine of proximate contacts in a Classroom setting:**

**If the case is a teacher:**

School name:

Teacher’s name:

* Was in classroom within 2 days of symptom onset, or with within 2 days of positive test if asymptomatic

And **four** or more points:

* Cumulative exposure ≥ 60 minutes -1 point,
* Cumulative exposure ≥ 60 minutes ≥ 2hr - 2 point
* Room windows and doors were closed, and room ventilation is unknown or MERV < 13 – 1 point
* Room density less than ~50 ft2 per person – 1 point
* Case or others in room were unmasked for less than 30 minutes – 1 point,
* Case or others in room were unmasked for more than 30 minutes - 2 points
* Case speaking during part of class – 1 point
* Case was not behind a barrier such as a sneeze guard – 1 point