



# COVID-19 (Coronavirus)



## Guidance for Return to School and Day Care after Travel

The Ministry of Health advises against non-essential travel off the island for all Bermuda residents during the COVID-19 pandemic. If travel is necessary, however, the Ministry of Health has developed guidance for the Safe Return to Work after Travel. Below outlines the guidance schools and day cares shall use to implement policies for teachers, staff, children and parents in school and day care settings. The guidance requirements are the minimum recommended for schools and day cares, but more stringent policies may be implemented based on the school and day care's risk assessment.

If a school age child travels and returns home, then he/she should:

- a) Ideally remain at home for 14 days
- b) Not be in school until after the traveller's day 8 negative test result in accordance with a medium risk setting of the Safe Return to Work after Travel Guidance.
- c) Participate in mobile quarantine
- d) Conduct remote learning

If a household member travels, or the household of a school age child has a visitor (family member or other), unless he/she is quarantining somewhere else, the child should:

- a) Ideally remain at home for 14 days
- b) Not be in school until after the traveller's day 8 negative test result in accordance with a medium risk setting of the Safe Return to Work after Travel Guidance.
- c) Participate in mobile quarantine
- d) Conduct remote learning

If a teacher or school staff travels and returns home, he/she should:

- a) Ideally remain at home for 14 days
- b) If considered essential to the operations of school may return after day 8 negative test result. They will need to wear face mask, practice hand washing and maintain 6 feet physical distancing.
- c) Participate in mobile quarantine



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