

Home Screening Tool for COVID-19 Symptoms

FAMILY ACHIEVEMENT CENTER

Answer these screening questions prior to each in-clinic therapy appointment. If you answer “YES” to any question, your child should stay home.

Overview

Your child must **NOT** attend therapy if they:

- Test positive for COVID-19.
- Show symptoms of COVID-19.
- May have been exposed to COVID-19.
- Are waiting to get tested, or waiting for COVID-19 test results.

If your child has symptoms of COVID-19 or tests positive for COVID-19, they must stay at home in isolation and away from others as much as possible for **at least 10 days** (counting from the day their symptoms first started or the day they were tested), and until their symptoms get better and they have not had a fever for 24 hours (without taking medicine to lower the fever). Even if they feel better, they must stay home for the full 10 days. These steps help to keep others safe. **Any visits scheduled during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child feels well enough to participate.

Note: Children may still need to stay home for other illnesses that have symptoms that are similar to COVID-19, such as common cold or allergy symptoms, strep throat, stomach illness, or pink eye.

Screening questions

1. Does your child have **ONE or more** of these symptoms?

- ☐ Fever of 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit or higher
- ☐ Difficulty or trouble breathing
- ☐ New cough or a cough that gets worse
- ☐ New loss of taste or smell

If your child has **ONE or more** of these symptoms, they must stay home. **Any scheduled visits during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child feels well enough to participate.

If no symptoms, go to the next question.

2. Does your child have **TWO or more** of these symptoms?

- ☐ Sore throat
- ☐ Nausea
- ☐ Vomiting
- ☐ Diarrhea
- ☐ Chills
- ☐ Muscle pain
- ☐ Excessive fatigue (extreme tiredness)
- ☐ New or severe headache
- ☐ New nasal congestion or runny nose

If your child has **at least TWO** of these symptoms, they must stay home. **Any visits scheduled during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child feels well enough to participate.

If no symptoms, go to the next question.

3. Has your child been diagnosed with COVID-19 since their last therapy appointment?

- ☐ No: your child may attend therapy.
- ☐ Yes: **your child must stay at home** and quarantine per instructions from healthcare provider or Department of Health. **Any visits scheduled during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child feels well enough to participate.

4. Has your child had close contact (within 6 feet for at least 15 minutes over 24 hours) in the last 14 days with someone diagnosed with COVID-19? Has any health department or other health care provider contacted you and said your child should stay home (quarantine)?

- ☐ No: your child may attend therapy.
- ☐ Yes: **your child must not attend in-clinic therapy**. Your child can return 14 days after the last time they had close contact with someone with COVID-19, as long as your child has not developed symptoms or has tested positive for COVID-19. Even if your child has tested negative, they cannot attend therapy until it has been 14 since they had close contact. **Any visits scheduled during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child feels well enough to participate.

5. Is your child or any other household member who is symptomatic (has symptoms consistent with COVID-19) currently waiting for COVID-19 test results?

- ☐ No: your child may attend therapy.
- ☐ Yes: your child must stay at home until they get their test results. Brothers, sisters, and other children living in the house must also stay at home until test results are known. **Any visits scheduled during this time will be delivered via Telehealth**, provided your child is feeling well enough to participate.

If the test result is negative, your child may attend therapy.

If the test result is positive, children remain at home and begin a 14 day quarantine period starting on the last day they has close contact with the positive case.

