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## Summer Camp Health Protocol (as of 6/18/22)

*Please help keep Merriwood healthy this summer by considering limiting exposures to illnesses the 7 days prior to your camper attending Merriwood.*

By entering the building for check-in, you are indicating that:

1. **The camper does not CURRENTLY have any of the following symptoms:** fever of 100.4 or higher, chills, shortness of breath, new unexplained cough, new loss of taste or smell and is not taking any fever-reducing meds.
2. **In the last 5 days prior to camp**, if the camper or anyone in their household had the above symptoms, they have been tested for COVID-19 and had a negative result.
3. **The camper has not tested positive for COVID-19 OR had a known exposure to COVID-19 in the last five days.** Please contact us if this is the case so we can talk through possibilities should your child not be able to attend camp for these reasons.

### IF CAMPER HAS TESTED POSITIVE FOR COVID-19 IN THE LAST 5 DAYS

- **If testing positive for COVID-19 recently AND symptomatic**, camper must wait at least 5 days from the start of symptoms before attending, and symptoms must be improving and be fever-free for 24 hours w/o use of fever-reducing meds. MCC recommends wearing a facial covering until the 10<sup>th</sup> day from the time of diagnosis or symptoms onset.
- **If testing positive for COVID-19 and NOT symptomatic**, you must wait at least 5 days from the day of the positive result before joining camp program. MCC recommends wearing a facial covering until the 10<sup>th</sup> day from the time of diagnosis.

### IF SYMPTOMS BEGIN WHILE AT MCC:

1. Camper will be sent home if they have unexplained and/or ongoing headache, vomiting, or diarrhea; fever of 100.4 or above; loss of taste or smell; are feeling unwell; or are exhibiting symptoms that could be contagious.
2. If a camper exhibits symptoms listed above, they will be isolated and parents will be contacted to pick up the sick camper. MCC will NOT be testing campers for COVID. The parent can choose to do that after they go home if they wish. We appreciate parents letting us know if their child tests positive after leaving camp.

### COURSE OF ACTION IF CAMPER TESTS POSITIVE FOR COVID:

1. If a parent lets us know their child has tested positive for COVID, we will notify the parents of those who are in the same cabin (not indicating the name of the camper) through email.
2. The parents of remaining campers can then decide if a) they want their child to continue with the week like normal, b) they want to pick up their child, OR c) or they want their child to start wearing a facial covering certain times of the day.
3. For campers remaining in a cabin (after a known exposure) MCC will begin checking temperatures daily and watching for symptoms.