

COVID-19 How to deal with symptoms in a member of staff or pupil in an educational setting

It is vital if a member of staff or pupil *starts to* develop symptoms (high temperature, new continuous cough or loss or change to sense of smell or taste) that the school/educational establishment takes immediate action. Please inform BCC Public Health by filling out this form at https://forms.gle/SEu5SQQuSnLyfbju6

Use the following flowchart to determine what actions to take, as advised by Public Health England. Please note that this advice is subject to change.

If you are aware of a positive result for COVID-19 please phone PHE (Public Health England) on: **0344 2253560 option 0 option 2**

For general advice please contact BCC Public Health Division by email:(using the subject heading: 'education support') BCCCOVID19@birmingham.gov.uk

If you require advice or guidance on Covid-19 issues please review the table below for useful telephone numbers and links:

Advice/Guidance	Email address:
General Advice:	
BCC Public Health Division (using the subject heading 'education support')	BCCCOVID19@birmingham.gov.uk
Public Health England:	Call 0344 225 3560 option 0 option 2
Inform Public Health England of all positive cases of Covid-19 immediately	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/notifiable-diseases- and-causative-organisms-how-to-report
Ordering Tests:	You can call 119 or visit:
Contact the NHS website.	https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid- 19/testing-and-tracing/ask-for-a-test-to-check-if- you-have-coronavirus/
Infection, Prevention & Control Guidance:	Please contact - BCCCOVID19@birmingham.gov.uk
Occupational Health Guidance:	Schools should contact their Occupational Health Service provider. If this is BCC you can reach them at Occupational.Health@birmingham.gov.uk.
Employment Guidance:	Pls contact your designated HR lead (either in BCC or external)



