Statewide Email

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TO: Florida College System Workforce Administrators

District Career and Technical Education Directors

District Technical College Directors
District Adult Education Directors

Via: Chancellor2@fldoe.org

SUBJECT: Updated FDOH & CDC Self-Isolation Guidance

CTE Directors and Directors of Technical Colleges,

This email is in regards to the <u>CDC's updated guidance on self-isolation/quarantine</u> for people who come in close contact to someone with COVID-19. Attached are two documents you may find helpful.

These are the important changes in these documents from prior FDOH and CDC guidance:

- Regarding the "CHD Guidance for Contact Tracing K-12 V5 final" attachment, I would first focus on the
 "Quarantine" paragraph on page 1. This is the main new piece of information that reflects the CDC's
 recent updated guidance. Most everything else appears to be excellent refreshers on prior guidance.
- Regarding the "K12 School FAQ V5 final" attachment, the definition of a "close contact" on the bottom half of page 3 and determining which students had close contact on the top half of page 4 are some of the most helpful explanations we've seen on these related topics. The question about a "return to school early" on page 4 is new information that complements the first attachment and the CDC's recent updated guidance.

As always, please contact me should you have any questions. I am including our Florida College System friends, just as an FYI.

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