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POLICY AND PROCEDURE FOR YOUTH RETURNING TO CAMPUS DURING COVID PANDEMIC

This process applies to all children returning to campus following extended home visits, AWOL or AWOC and/or any period of detention/incarceration. (This policy and procedure is subject to change based on changes in guidance from NYS DOH and other oversight entities or due to changing capacity or conditions on campus.)

All returning children must be transported directly to the health center for examination and assessment upon return to campus.

Flow A: Before Rapid Testing is available

- **IF NO SYMPTOMS,**
 - Quarantine – Cottage 28, or
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 - If no room, and if returning to an already quarantined cottage, return to that cottage and restart the Q clock
- **IF SYMPTOMS,**
 - Isolation- Cottage 24, or
 - 3 beds at PCS Health Center, or
 - 1 Isolation room at EC

EXCEPTION: Some youth who are returning directly from hospitalization to campus, will be tested for COVID before discharge from the hospital.

- **IF COVID NEGATIVE, NO SYMPTOMS,**
 - Return to Cottage
- **IF COVID NEGATIVE, SYMPTOMS OF OTHER ILLNESS,**
 - Remain at Health Center for additional testing, observation, treatment to rule out strep, flu etc.
- **IF COVID POSITIVE,**
 - Isolation Cottage 24

Flow B: With Rapid Testing (expected circa April 15--20)

- **COVID NEGATIVE, NO SYMPTOMS**
 - Return to Cottage
- **COVID NEGATIVE, SYMPTOMS OF OTHER ILLNESS**
 - Remain at Health Center for additional testing, observation, treatment to rule out strep, flu etc.
- **COVID POSITIVE**
 - Isolation Cottage 24