## Dear parents,

As indicated in yesterday's email, Davis School District is establishing a database of those who may consider themselves high risk or who may have a close association (live in the same home) with someone who is high risk. This information will be utilized by the school's COVID-19 aide and shared with Davis County Health Department in notifying those who may have come in close contact with someone who tests positive for COVID-19.



The designation will be entered by you into your MyDSD account and will not be used for any other purposes. Log into MyDSD Go to Notifications and click on "Surveys Available". You will be asked to declare whether each student is or is not high risk. No other information will be requested about their health or medical conditions.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) have provided conditions that increase the risk for severe illness from COVID-19. Individuals with any of the conditions listed

below should consider being identified as high risk and should take extra precautions while attending school.

## **Underlying Medical Conditions**

- Cancer
- Chronic kidney disease
- COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)
- Immunocompromised state (weakened immune system) from solid organ transplant
- Serious heart conditions heart failure, coronary artery disease or cardiomyopathies
- Sickle cell disease
- Type 2 diabetes mellitus

## Other conditions that might increase risk

- Asthma and chronic lung disease
- Cerebrovascular disease
- Cystic Fibrosis
- Immunosuppression
- Obesity
- Serious neurologic conditions
- Serious genetic disorders
- Serious metabolic disorders
- Congenital heart disease
- Liver disease
- Pulmonary fibrosis (damaged or scarred lung tissues)
- Thalassemia (a type of blood disorder)
- Type 1 diabetes mellitus

Medical professionals are learning more about COVID-19 every day. As new information becomes available, updates will be listed at <a href="https://bit.ly/339jlqD">https://bit.ly/339jlqD</a>