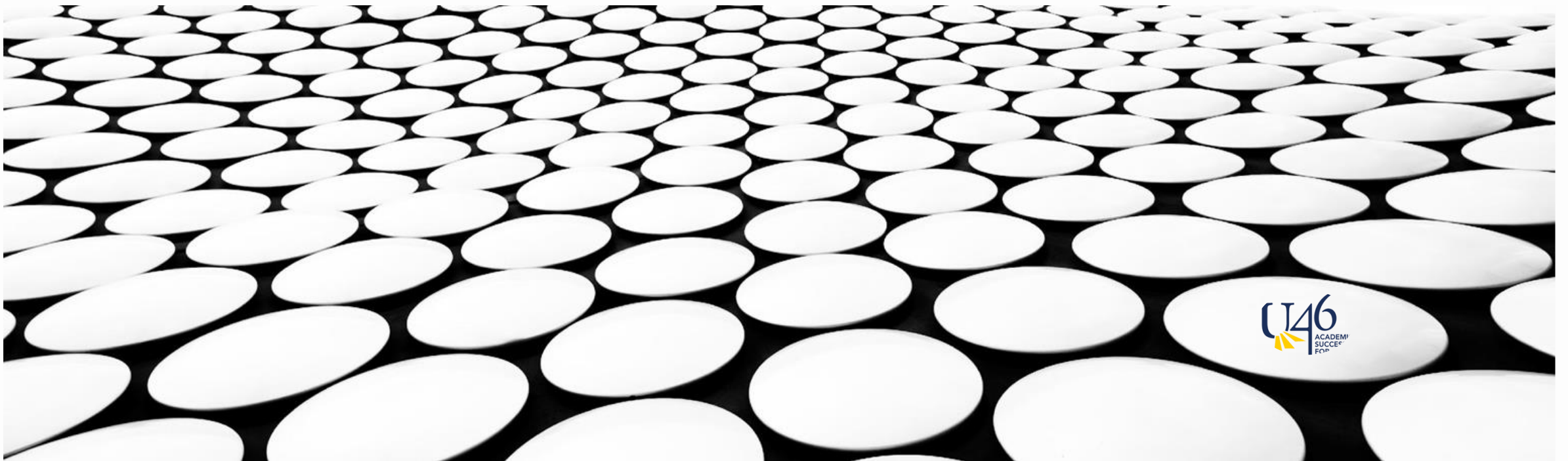


# U-46 COVID CONSIDERATIONS FOR 2022-2023

BASED ON CDC OPERATIONAL GUIDE AS RECOMMENDED BY IDPH



# VACCINATIONS:

## Staff

- 3rd dose for 16 and up
- 4th dose 50 and up

| Employee Group  | Fully Vaccinated | Unvaccinated |
|-----------------|------------------|--------------|
| Admin/Non-Union | 87%              | 13%          |
| DUEA            | 89%              | 11%          |
| DUSA            | 96%              | 4%           |
| DUTU            | 78%              | 22%          |
| ESSO            | 76%              | 24%          |
| ETA             | 92%              | 8%           |
| SEIU            | 87%              | 13%          |
| TOTAL           | 89%              | 10%          |

Staff Vaccination clinics will be offered for boosters. Recommendations and information will be provided for families.

## Students

Per Tableau 23.1 % ( 7,950 students).

6 Months- 4 years old

Pfizer 1<sup>st</sup> dose, 2nd at 3 weeks, 3rd dose at 8 weeks

Moderna ( 6 months - 5 yrs.) - 2 dose series - 1 month apart

5-12 years old

Pfizer 2 dose series - 3 weeks apart

Moderna 2 dose series - 1 month apart

13-17 Years old

Pfizer 2 dose series - 3 weeks apart

Moderna - 1 month apart

CDC now recommends that children ages 5 through 11 years receive a booster shot 5 months after their initial Pfizer vaccination series.

## SHIELD TESTING



Due to procedural changes announced by Shield, additional options are being considered for both staff and/or students.

Additional information to come.



## WEEKLY ATTESTATION UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER

### ■ Executive Order- Extended to August 20th, 2022

[Munis Reimbursement for COVID home tests- discontinued](#)

Free [Government home test kits](#)

Free tests kits offered by insurance companies

[United Health Care](#)

Free [testing locations](#)



BinaxNOW kits available

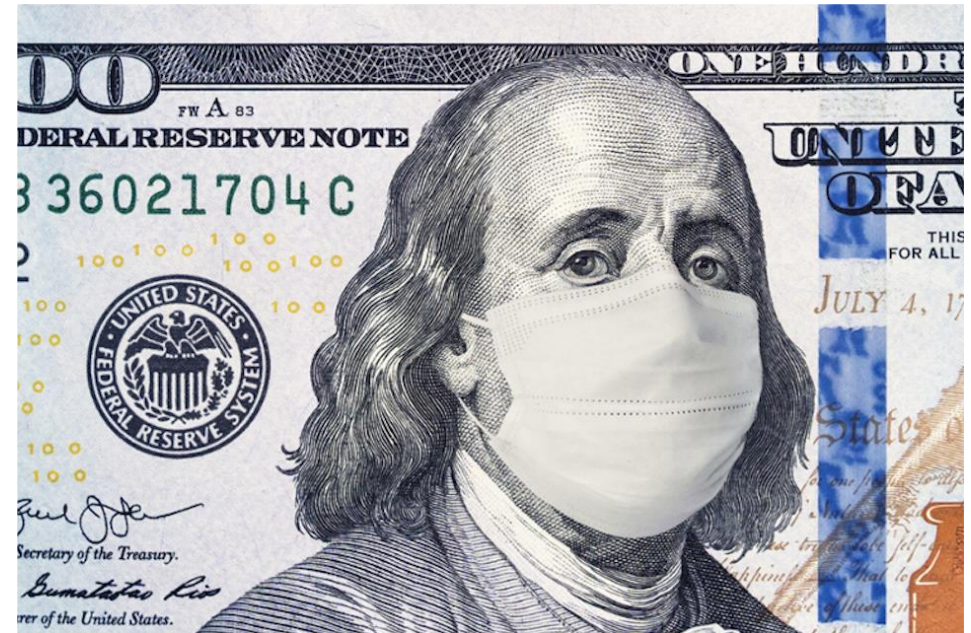
# CONTACT TRACING

- COVID exposure report practice continued
- **Symptomatic and positive only**
- Nurses tracing students
- Contact tracing team approved with 2 tracers until the end of December



# COVID PAY FOR STAFF

- PA 102-0697/HB 1167 allows employees (who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19) to receive either paid administrative leave or sick leave for absences related to COVID-19.
- This is in effect as long as we are under the Executive Order.



# Symptomatic/Positive Exclusion Timelines

Student/staff who are identified as having one or more COVID-19-like symptoms or receive a positive test for COVID-19 will be excluded from school.

Students/staff **may be eligible for return beginning on day six.**

Student/Staff returning on day 6 must:

- **Be fever-free for a minimum of 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medication;**
- **Have no episodes of vomiting or diarrhea in the last 24 hours prior to return;**
- **Have improved COVID-19 symptoms, if any;**
- **Be able to properly wear a well-fitting mask while indoors and around others; and**
- **Agree to comply with all mask-wearing requirements through day 10.**

# Symptomatic/Positive Exclusion Timelines

All require staff and students to have improved symptoms and be fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medication and to have had no episodes of vomiting and/or diarrhea for the previous 24 hours of return.

## Positive

**Return day 6 with mask use days 6-10**

**Return day 11 with no mask use**

## Symptomatic

### Choose to test:

Test negative (can include PCR and home test)

- May return
- No masking requirement

### Choose not to test:

Return day 6

- Must wear mask for days 6-10

OR

Unable to comply with well-fitting mask use

- Return day is on day 11



# METRICS/CLASSROOM AND SCHOOL CLOSURES

## Determining Metrics of Mitigation Strategies:

### Daily Monitoring

1. Positives or suspected positive cases from the district exposure reporting system
  - a. Districtwide percentages
  - b. Per building
  - c. Allows for mitigation response to be focused on site of concern or district-wide
2. Positivity per 100,000
  - a. Kane
  - b. Cook
  - c. DuPage
3. Absences with specific illness codes from Infinite Campus - [Pulled from MyDataZone](#)
4. Vaccination rate by county or zip code to encourage participation
  - a. Perhaps adjust thresholds in our other metrics (ex. 5.0%) in areas with lower vaccination rates [\(Vaccination Data by Zip\)](#)

## REMINDERS

- Hand hygiene-use/practice of portable hand wash
- Hand Sanitizer
- Cleaning and Disinfection [Cleaning Request Form](#)
- COVID [Reporting](#)
- Self-Monitoring and Certification Process
- Masking-Recommended
- Exclusion Rooms-Still in Use
- Update [Pandemic Safety Manual](#)
- Update Webpage-In Process



- Fever (100.4°F or higher)
- New onset of moderate to severe headache
- Shortness of breath
- New cough
- Sore throat
- Vomiting/diarrhea
- New loss of sense of taste or smell
- Fatigue from an unknown cause
- Muscle or body aches from an unknown cause

