

## **Testing Protocol**

To determine if a staff member or student requires testing based on COVID 19 symptoms, the Moriah Central School District testing protocol will be a joint effort between the Moriah Central School District, Essex County Department of Health and the individual's primary health care provider. If an individual is suspected of having COVID-19 symptoms, the individual in question will be evaluated by their primary health care provider and the Department of Health. Joint decisions will be followed and information will be shared between all parties. If testing occurs it will be done through the individual's primary health care provider. If the individual does not have a primary health care provider the Department of Health will work with that family or staff member to ensure a test is given and results come back in a timely fashion. If there is a need for large scale testing, the Moriah Central School District will work with the Essex County Department of Health and New York State Department of Health to arrange large scale testing.

Based on the outcome of the medical evaluation, additional precautions may be recommended by the Essex County Health Department to ensure the facility has been disinfected and staff and students may continue to participate on a daily basis.

## **Contact Tracing Protocol**

Contact tracing will be a joint effort between the Moriah Central School District and the Essex County Department of Health. The District will provide names, contact numbers and schedules as needed to assist in the quick and easy determination on whether an individual will be considered a contact. Staff and students will be notified if they are considered a contact, additional testing and quarantine options will be determined on a case by case scenario.