



EXAMPLES OF COUNTING FOR ISOLATION AND QUARANTINE FOR SCHOOLS

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Isolation for Cases:

When a student test positive or has symptoms of COVID-19 they are considered a case and need to isolate.

Example 1: Isolation for cases if tested with no symptoms and remained with no symptoms.

10 Day Isolation



Day 0: Date of symptom onset or if no symptoms, student positive test date. Isolation starts.

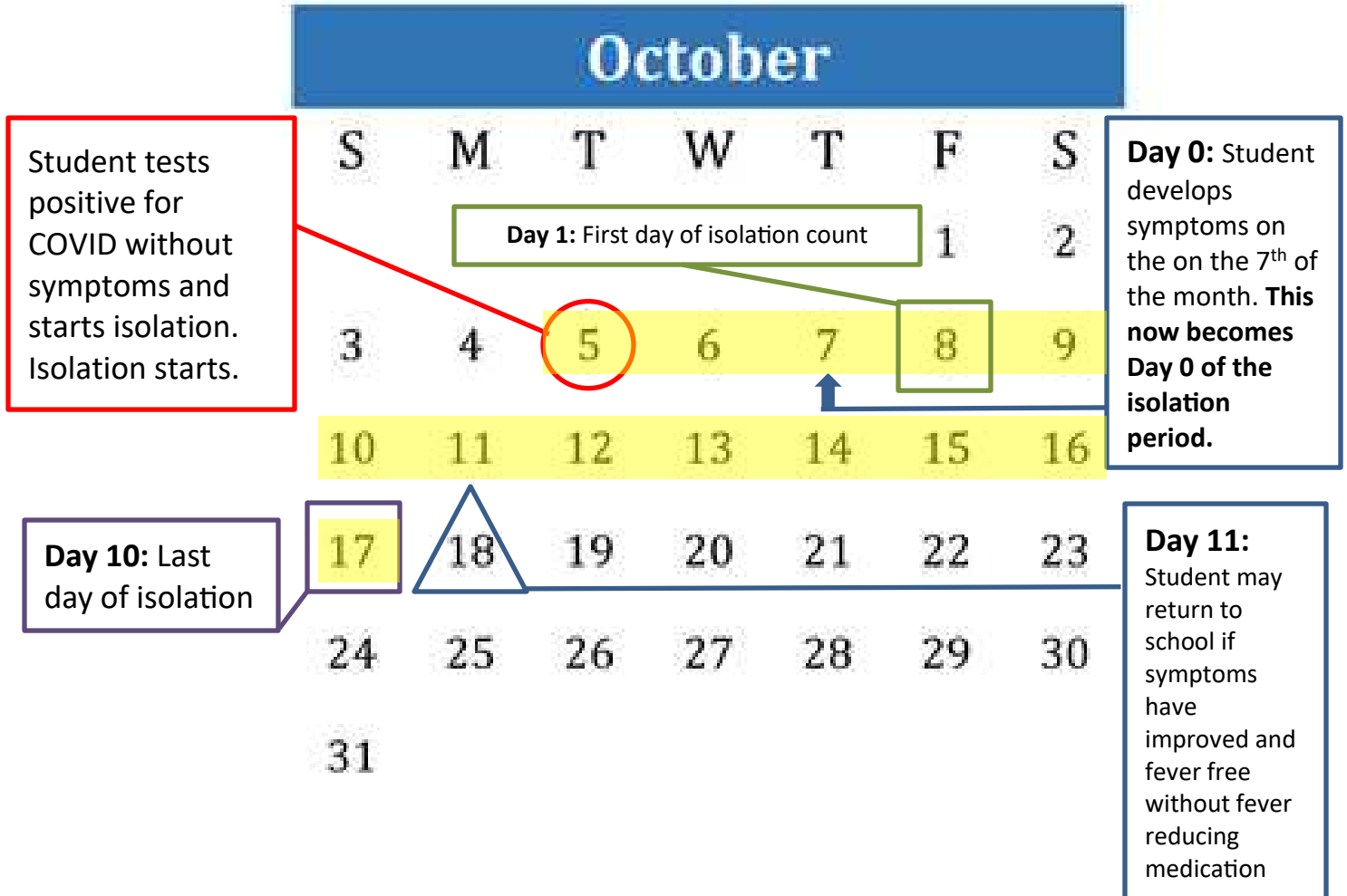
Day 1: First day of isolation count

Day 10: Last day of isolation

Day 11: Student may return to school if symptoms have improved and fever free without fever reducing medication

Example 2: Student tested with no symptoms but developed symptoms after the test:

10 Day Isolation



Quarantine for Close Contacts:

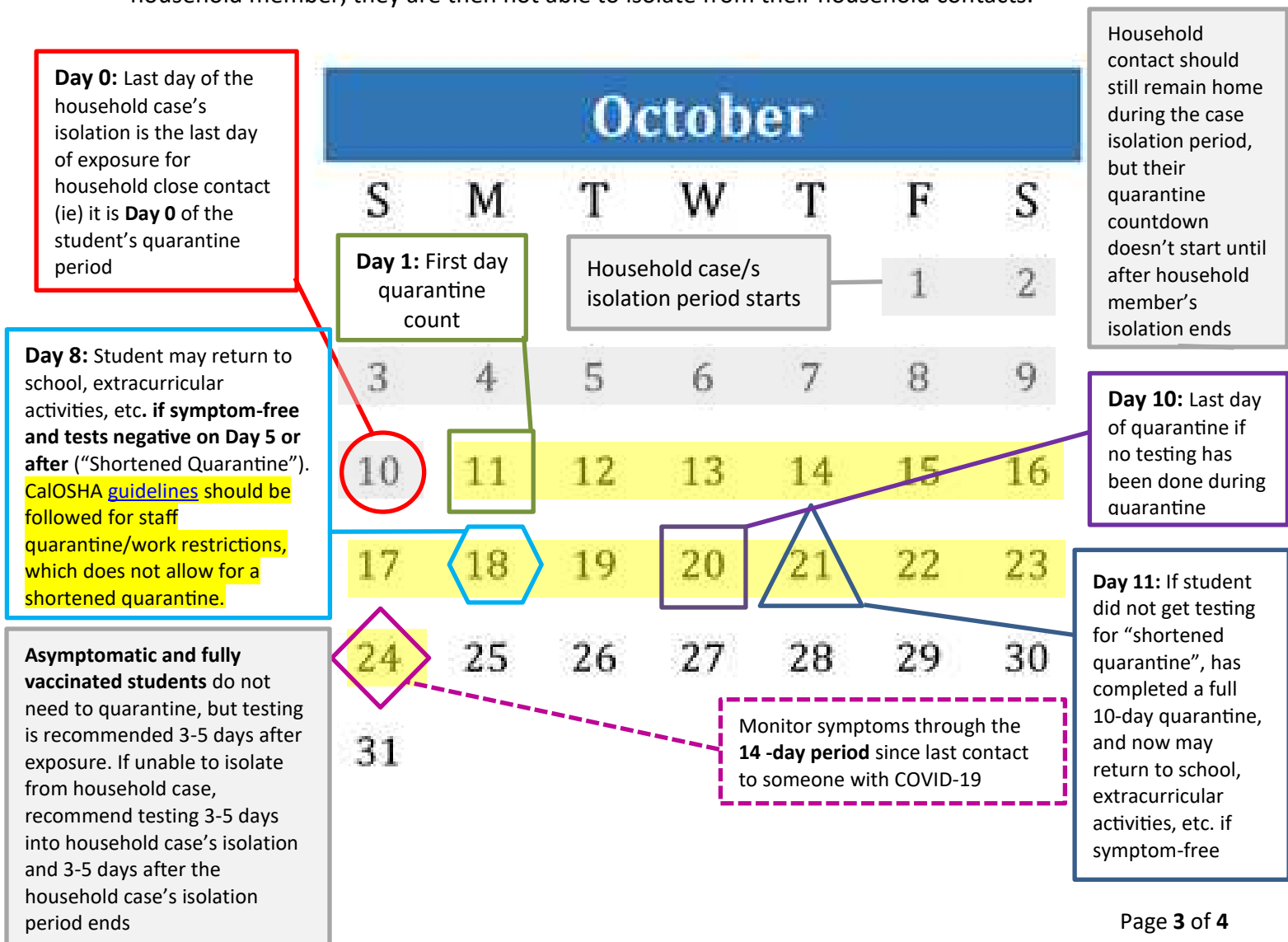
When a student is considered a close contact to a case (someone who has been within 6 feet of a case for more than 15 minutes over a 24-hour period) they are considered a close contact and should quarantine after their exposure.

Note: Asymptomatic, unvaccinated students exposed to COVID in a K-12 supervised setting and both parties were wearing masks in any supervised K-12 school setting maybe eligible for modified. Please review modified quarantine timeline for further information.

If students are fully vaccinated and asymptomatic, they do not need to quarantine, but testing is recommended 3-5 days after their close contact. Students should also continue to monitor their symptoms for the full quarantine period and timeframe. If students develop symptoms during this time, they should isolate and get tested.

Example 1: If household member is positive for COVID-19 and the household member can't isolate from the student:

Note: Regardless of if household members are wearing masks and they are possibly sharing any spaces including bathrooms, interacting with others, in the same room/space, etc. with the positive household member, they are then not able to isolate from their household contacts.



Example 2: If a close contact was not masked (or case was unmasked) and exposure was outside of the home (such as in a school setting) and is separated from the case after exposures:

