Union County Schools- Pandemic Response

Levels	Communications	Campus Access	Educational Delivery	Athletics/Co- Curricular Program	Community Gatherings/ Events/Field Trips/Travel	Personnel	Health Conditions/Practices	School Transportation	School Operations/ Food Service
Level One (Low Risk) - First pandemic case reported in state - No reported cases in local community	- District monitors health advisories - Provide communication with stakeholders through email, letters, social media, and Parent Link as needed - Post information on district website - Classroom instruction to explain situation and to emphasize proper hygiene - All communication directed through District Office	- Normal campus access to campus per school and district policy and procedures	- Regular school program - Homework provided by teachers for any student staying at home or home hospital students upon referral	- All regularly scheduled activities allowed	- Field trips allowed, as per normal district and school policy and procedure		- UCPS staff and students promote good hygiene such as hand washing and use of hand sanitizer - Report to office if exhibiting symptoms such as a temperature over 100.4 - Recommend flu shot for staff (per CDC guidelines)	- Normal bus operations	- Normal cleaning and maintenance - Disinfecting by custodia personnel - Review food handling procedures with staff
Level Two (Moderate Risk) - First pandemic case reported in region - Potential exposure to individuals in school community	- Updates to community on status of pandemic in county and potential impact on school program - Implement student/staff tracking list for illness - In-class instruction to ensure students understand protocol and proper hygiene	- Normal Campus access to campus per school and district policy and procedures -Consider Limited visitors/volunteers permitted beyond reception area without permission from principal/designee	- Regular school program - Monitor daily school attendance. Report any attendance concerns to the DPP. - Homework provided by teachers for any student staying at home upon referral		- All events will be monitored by district for the possibility of activities or events to be cancelled	- Normal working conditions - Targeted communication/ education for staff with high risk health conditions such as pregnancy, autoimmune disease, etc. by email or website - Staff self-monitor personal health status - Report any health concerns to immediate supervisor	- School will monitor student /staff health conditions - Document any staff/students exhibiting symptoms - If a person exhibits symptoms, including a temperature over 100.4, individual must be sent home - Mask/isolate all individuals exhibiting symptoms	- Normal bus operations - Disinfect all buses	-Disinfecting throughout the day - Review food handling procedures with staff - Consider full disinfection every three days -Consider discontinuing self-service in cafeterias
Level Three (Medium Risk) - First pandemic case reported within Union County - Increased spread of pandemic in Union County	- Increase communication with all stakeholders by providing timely advisories - Continue in-class instruction as well as demonstrations to ensure students understand protocol and proper hygiene	- Limited visitors/volunteers permitted beyond reception area without permission from principal/designee	- Homework provided by teacher for any student staying at home upon referral. - Instruction to parents via email, letters, social media, phone, and web page regarding community health related services	- After school programs such as practices will be closed to the public - District will monitor all after school activities to determine if activities should be suspended	All activities require district approval prior to holding event Field trips with approval Community groups permitted to use district facilities with approval	- Continue targeted communication/ education for staff with high risk health conditions such as pregnancy, autoimmune disease, etc. by email or website	- School will monitor student /staff health conditions - Document any staff/students exhibiting symptoms - If a person exhibits symptoms, including a temperature over 100.4, individual must be sent home - Mask/isolate all individuals exhibiting symptoms	- Disinfect buses after all routes	-Disinfecting throughout the day including common areas, classrooms and isolation area - Consider full disinfection every three days -Consider discontinuing self-service in cafeterias -Consider preparing grab n go meals
Level Four (High Risk) - Progressing pandemic cases in school community - Significant reduction in districtwide student/staff attendance	- Regular communication with all stakeholders - Utilize news media - In-class instruction as well as demonstrations to ensure students understand protocol and proper hygiene -Consider no visitors/ volunteers on campus	permitted off campus during the school day	-Homework provided by teacher for any student staying at home upon referral	require district approval prior to participation, including but not limited to, home and/or away games and practices	- All special events, field trips, travel etc. limited - Large faculty or staff gatherings will be limited - Extended travel will be limited - All facilities closed to the public without prior approval including prior facility use agreements	- All high risk personnel in building recommended to use extra-precaution and review CDC guidelines including personal protective equipment if applicable	- School will monitor student/staff health conditions -Isolate all individuals with symptoms prior to going home -Mask all isolated individuals while in school setting as needed	- Transportation Limited	- Consider food service provided in classrooms - Consider no large group activities or gatherings - Disinfecting including common areas, classrooms and isolation area - Full disinfection every day
Level Five (Severe Risk) - Spread of pandemic within the school community - Continued significant reduction in districtwide staff/student attendance - Confer with community health agencies regarding school closure	- All communication through Superintendent or designee	School Closed - No classes held on campus - School facility closed to all except essential personnel for cleaning and security - UCPS employees may be required to report	School Closed - May provide alternative educational services as developed by the BOE	School closed -All after school programs including, but not limited to, games and practices may be suspended	School Closed – Limited activities	School Closed - No staff permitted in building without prior approval	School Closed	School Closed -No non- essential transportation	School Closed - Full disinfection prior to return Updated 3/11/2020 @ 12:00 pm