Ending Quarantine and Return to Work if You Are Exposed to a COVID-19 Case

**Household Contact:** Self-quarantine and monitor for symptoms while COVID-19 case is home sick. Once case is released from isolation, quarantine for 10 additional days, then continue to monitor for symptoms for 4 days.

- Person’s onset date.
- Person released from isolation.
- 10 days
- Household contact released from quarantine if not sick.
- Monitor for symptoms 4 more days.

**Non-Household Contact:** Self-quarantine and monitor for symptoms until 10 days after the date of last contact. Continue to monitor for symptoms for 4 more days.

- Date of last contact with COVID-19 case.
- 10 days
- Contact released from quarantine if not sick.
- Monitor for symptoms 4 more days.

**Healthcare Personnel:** Asymptomatic healthcare personnel should self-quarantine for 14 days if the healthcare facility can function without them. If the facility would close without them, they can continue to work as long as they:

- Are not sick.
- Monitor for symptoms.
- Wear a mask.
- Keep a 6-foot distance as much as possible.
- Follow quarantine guidelines outside of work.

**Critical Infrastructure:** Personnel considered critical infrastructure workers by US CDC may continue to work following potential exposure if they do not have any symptoms and take additional precautions prior to and during their work shift. Follow US CDC recommendations for [critical infrastructure workers (non-healthcare)](link).