Sample Influenza-like Illness* Report Form

* Influenza-like illness (ILI) is defined as a fever of 100.0°F or greater and cough or sore throat (in the absence of a known disease other than influenza).

When to report

Please report each day throughout the school year when you reach these thresholds:

1. For all schools (including elementary): The number of students with ILI who are absent or sent home reaches 5 percent of the total school enrollment on a given day (e.g., a school of 600 students should report when 5 percent of their total enrollment (30 students) with ILI are absent or sent home or 600 x .05 = 30). Please include all students attending school in-person or via the hybrid model.

OR

- 2. For elementary schools only: Three or more students with ILI from the same classroom or cohort are absent or sent home on a given day.

 AND
 - Report one time per outbreak when either of the above thresholds is met throughout the year.
 - Do not report subsequent days of the same outbreak. When reporting additional outbreaks during the same season, make sure that ILI activity has returned to below threshold levels for at least 3 weeks. Report a new outbreak if you reach the threshold again after a minimum of three weeks.
 - If symptoms of illness are unknown for an absent student, include this student in your count of ILI absences.
 - Do not include students that are quarantined for COVID-19 in ILI numbers unless they report symptoms.

| Contact information | |
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| School name: | Name of reporter: |
| City: | Title: |
| County: | Phone: |
| Fax: | |
| What to report | |
| Date: | Date: |
| Reporting for Threshold 1: | Reporting for Threshold 2: |
| Number (students) with ILI: | Number (students) with ILI: |
| Total school enrollment*: | Total number (students) in classroom*: |
| *Total should include number of students attending school either in-person or using the hybrid model. | |
| Confirmed Cases of Influenza or COVID-19 | |
| Lab Confirmed Influenza Cases: | Lab Confirmed COVID-19 Cases: |
| Number of students: | Number of students: |

Number of staff:

Include any lab confirmed cases regardless if ILI symptoms were reported.

How to report

Number of staff:

Complete the following survey: https://redcap.health.state.mn.us/redcap/surveys/?s=739LDFPXHJ4CTNMM.

To report cases of COVID-19 in students or staff visit https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/schools/plan.html.

Individual cases of influenza do not need to be reported to MDH by schools at this time.

