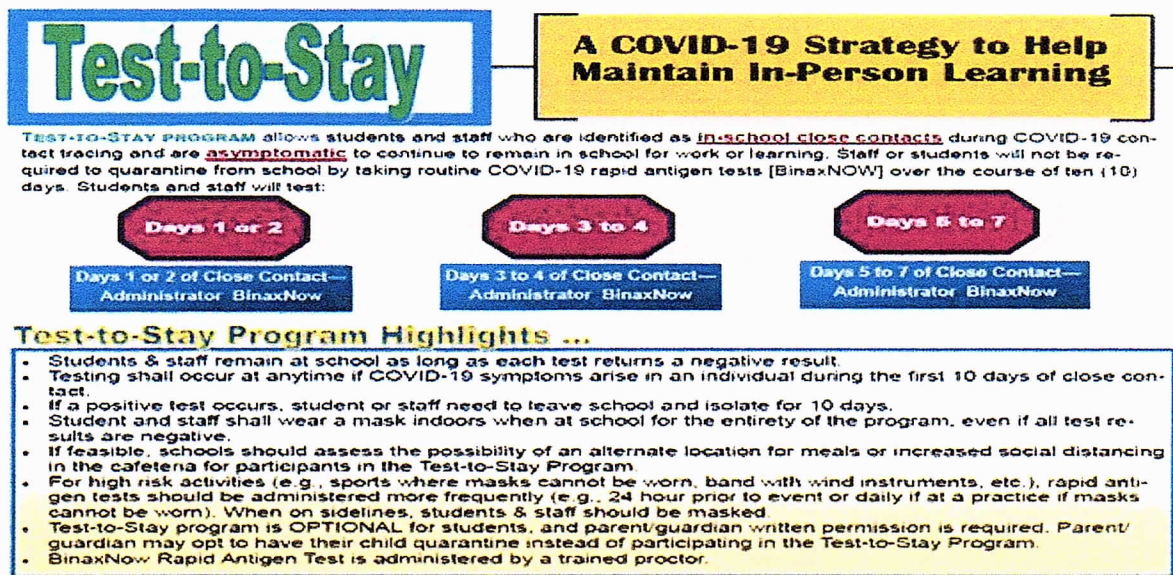


## TEST-TO-STAY PROGRAM TEMPLATE

### AN ADDENDUM TO THE DISTRICT'S HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN

### ADOPTED ON OCTOBER 28, 2021

Delaware County has adopted the Test-to-Stay Program to expand our mitigation efforts to support in-school learning. The Test-To-Stay program allows students and staff, who are identified as close contacts in school during COVID-19 contact tracing and are asymptomatic, to continue to remain at school for work and learning. The program permits staff or students not to quarantine from school by taking a routine COVID-19 BinaxNOW Rapid Antigen test over the course of the program. The framework for the Test-to-Stay Program is:



The following outlines how schools will implement the Test-to-Stay program in the district.

Test-to-Stay Requirement	Strategies, Policies, and Procedures
Wearing of <u>masks</u> ;	<p>When staff or students participate in the Test-to-Stay Program, they will wear a mask indoors during the school day and when participating in extracurricular activities at all times unless otherwise specified in the following areas:</p> <p><b>Meals</b></p> <p><b>Recess/Outdoor Play</b></p> <p><b>Extracurricular Activities – Sports</b></p> <p><b>Extracurricular Activities – Clubs</b></p>



Test-to-Stay Requirement	Strategies, Policies, and Procedures
	<p><b>Extracurricular Activities – Band</b></p> <p><b>Extracurricular Activities – Other</b></p> <p><b>Other Accommodations:</b></p>
<p><u>Contact tracing</u> in combination with <u>isolation</u> and <u>quarantine</u>, in collaboration with the State and local health departments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The district has adopted the modified quarantine as outlined by the CDC, PA Department of Health, and the Health Department and a Test-to-Stay Program to support in-person learning. The Test-to-Stay Program is in lieu of quarantine. This addendum outlines the mitigation strategies for the Test-to-Stay Program.</li> </ul>
<p><u>Diagnostic</u> and screening testing;</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The district will implement a Test-to-Stay Program. The framework for the Test-to-Stay Program is outlined above.</li> <li>• For extracurricular activities or for students where there is a mask exception, the rapid antigen testing protocol may be more frequent as defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Extracurricular Activities – Sports</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Extracurricular Activities – Clubs</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Extracurricular Activities – Band</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Extracurricular Activities – Other</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Other Accommodations:</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p>Other mitigation strategies for the Test-to-Stay Program.</p>	

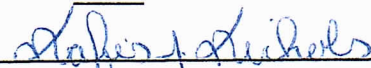
#### Health and Safety Plan Affirmation Statement

- ☒ The Receiver, acting as the Board of School Directors, reviewed and approved the Test-to-Stay Program as an addendum to the Health and Safety Plan on **October 28, 2021**.

The plan was approved by a vote of:

     Yes

     No

  
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 (Signature of Receiver)



- ☒ The Receiver, acting as the Board of School Directors, reviewed the Test-to-Stay Program that will be implemented within the District but did not to take board action on the addendum. Rather, the board supports moving forward with the Test-to-Stay Program.

  
(Signature of Superintendent)