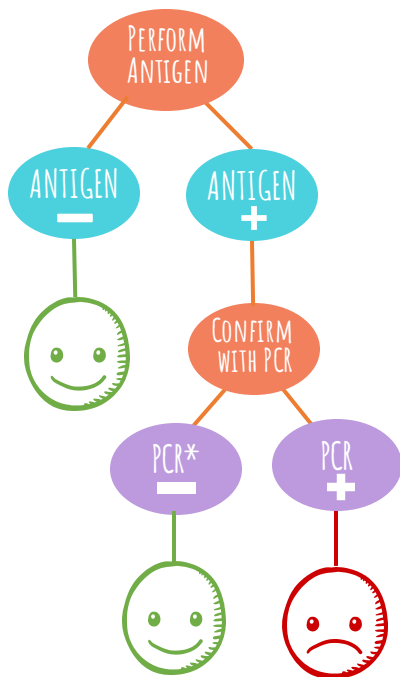


COVID-19 TESTING

Antigen tests and Nucleic Acid Amplification Tests (NAATs) are used to detect current COVID-19 infection. A type of NAAT is a Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) TEST. **Use a PCR Test when possible. If testing with an Antigen test, follow one of the algorithms below.**

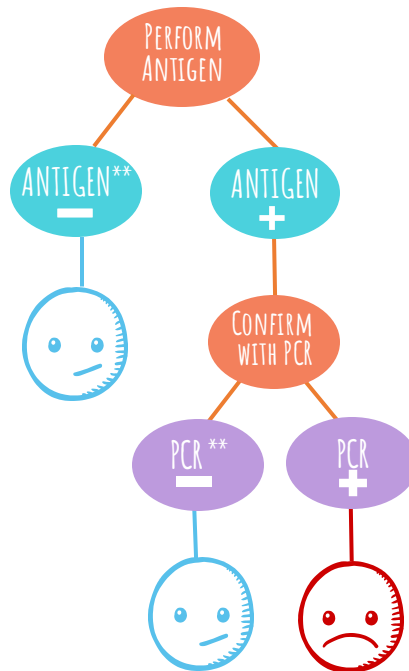
ANTIGEN TESTS	PCR TESTS
Turnaround time for most ranges from 15 to 30 minutes	Turnaround time for most is 1–3 days; some could be rapid 15 minutes
Sample type is Nasal or Nasopharyngeal swab	Sample type is Nasal, Nasopharyngeal or Oropharyngeal swab; Sputum, Saliva
Sensitivity varies depending on the course of infections, but generally moderate-to-high at times of peak viral load	Sensitivity varies by test, but generally high for laboratory-based tests and moderate-to-high for tests performed near the patient or at a provider's office

ASYMPTOMATIC &
NO KNOWN EXPOSURE TO
COVID-19 IN THE LAST 14 DAYS



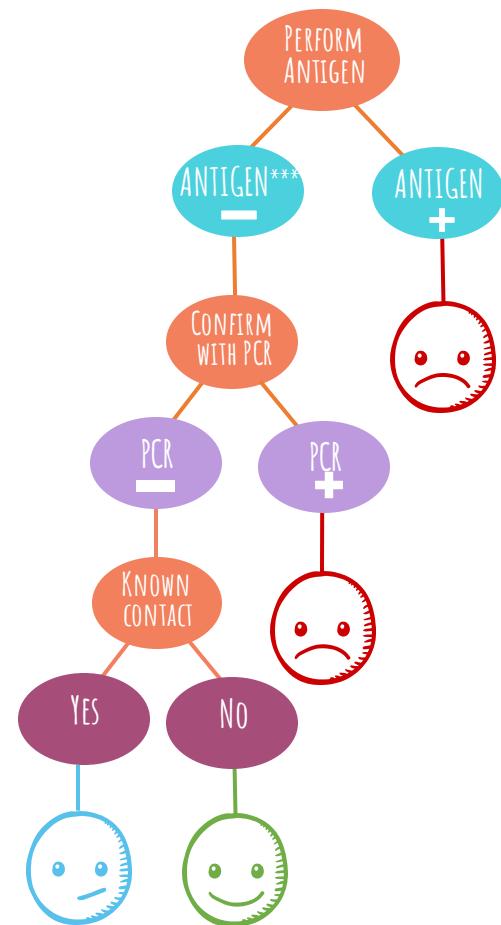
*If community transmission is high, confirmation may be required.

ASYMPTOMATIC &
CLOSE CONTACT WITH COVID-19
IN THE LAST 14 DAYS



**Quarantine is needed unless school has adapted test to stay strategy. See CDC's guidance for quarantine; additional testing may be necessary.

SYMPTOMATIC



*** If a symptomatic person has a low likelihood of COVID-19 infection, provider will determine if additional testing is needed.

