Solon Schools COVID-19 Update

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We are writing to provide an update this afternoon regarding our two Solon High School students who are in self quarantine after being exposed to one of the three individuals in Cuyahoga County who tested positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus).

District and high school administrators remain in contact with public health and medical professionals, as well as the families of both our SHS students. We are able to share that the students DID NOT have symptoms of COVID-19 prior to learning of their exposure and continue to be asymptomatic. They are feeling well today.

We will continue to follow the recommendations of federal, state and local authorities, including keeping our schools open at this time. In fact, just this afternoon, during his daily update, Ohio Gov. Mike DeWine said the "recommendation today is not to close K-12 schools. However, schools should be prepared in case they do close in the future, and parents should also be prepared for the possibility of needing to stay home with their kids."

We use public health resources and the Governor's official requests to guide our decision-making and implement proactive steps to mitigate the spread of communicable diseases, including COVID-19. Additionally, our preparedness planning for any potential school closures continues here in the district.

This is a fluid situation and we will communicate regularly with you as we have new information to share. Thank you for your support as we prioritize the health and wellness of our students, staff and community.