

Measles Exclusion period for Vaccinated Students

A student is diagnosed with measles. This starts the outbreak and the exclusion period for unvaccinated exposed children.



Has Measles

**Starts
Quarantine
and
Exclusion
from School**

Students who are vaccinated for measles do **not** have to quarantine and may return to school.



Exposed Students and
Vaccinated

Students who were exposed (in the same building as the person with measles) and who get vaccinated within 72 hours of exposure, may return to school



One dose of MMR vaccine is **93% effective** and two doses are **97% effective**.

The first vaccine is usually given at 12-15 months of age, but in the case of an outbreak, doctors may suggest vaccines for children as young as 6 months old.

"Exclusion"

Unvaccinated students who have or have been exposed to measles will be excluded from school and all related activities

"Quarantine"

Should stay at home to reduce the spread of the measles to others

Students who have any of the following do NOT need to be excluded and are able to return to school:

- Vaccination Records
- Blood test showing previous infection or immunity
 - (not just a Doctors note)