

Summer 2024 Club SciKidz MD Health & Wellness Policy

We not only want to provide your child(ren) with enriching hands-on science and technology experiences and programs, but we want to do so in a safe and healthy environment. In an effort to keep everyone healthy, we have developed the following health policy based on CDC guidelines.

Your child needs to **stay home if he/she has:**

- Has a **fever** of **100.4** or higher
- Has been **vomiting** or has **diarrhea** (within 24 hours)
- Has **COVID symptoms** such as sore throat, cough, or loss of smell/taste
- Drainage from an ear or eye (may indicate infection)
- Frequent sneezing and coughing. This spreads sickness to others
- Has been around someone who has tested positive for COVID in the last 7 days and is not fully vaccinated

When can your child **return to camp/program:**

FEVER- If your child has a fever that lasts for **more than 24 hours** or **has any other symptoms** with the fever, they **must** either be seen by a doctor and get a note to return or get tested and be negative before they can return.

COVID SYMPTOMS- If your child has a fever and any other COVID symptom or two or more COVID symptoms (other than fever), they **must** either be seen by a doctor and get a note to return or get tested and be negative before they can return.

VOMITING OR DIARRHEA- Keep your child home for 24 hours after last time he/she vomited or had diarrhea.

ANTIBIOTICS- Keep your child home until 24 hours after **the first dose** of antibiotic for anything like ear infection, strep, or pneumonia.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping keep everyone healthy!