

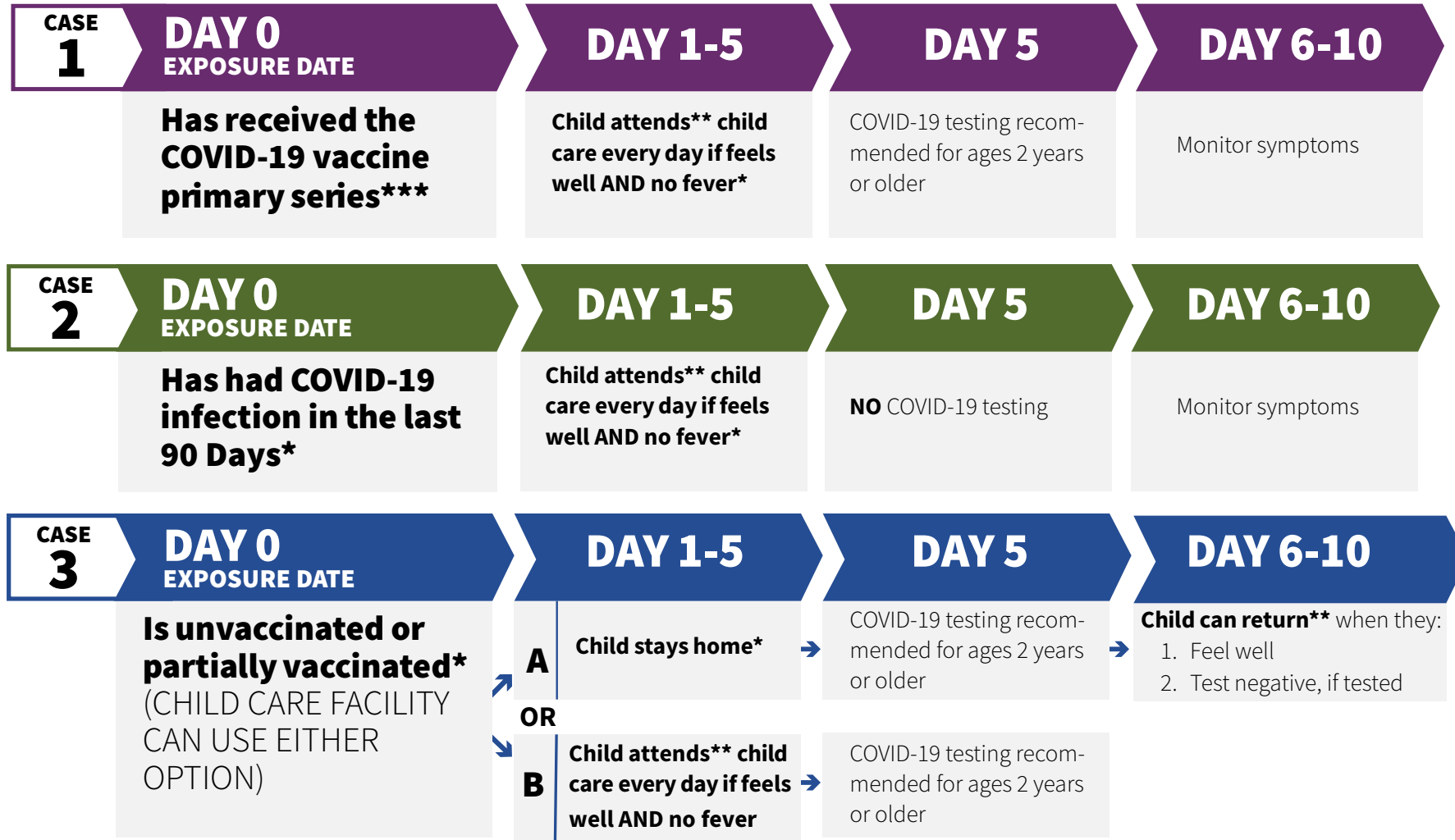


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COVID-19 EXPOSURES FOR CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE



Exposure for a single person is when they have spent at least 15 minutes in a 24-hour period, indoors within 6 feet of a person with COVID-19.
Exposure for a group is when they have spent at least 15 minutes in a 24-hour period in the same indoor area with a person with COVID-19.
Exposure window: Someone who gets sick with OR test positive for COVID-19 can start infecting others 2 days BEFORE feeling sick or testing positive; this is considered exposure time.



*If ANY child FEELS SICK, has a FEVER, or has a POSITIVE TEST at any time, follow the guidance for children who feel sick or test positive.

**Children aged 2 years or older, if not at home, should wear WELL-FITTED MASKS indoors for 10 days after exposure, other than naps/meals.

***CDC COVID-19 Vaccine Guidance: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/stay-up-to-date.html

