

February 19, 2021

**Re: Changes by Fraser Health to the COVID-19 notification process**

Dear Families and Staff:

I am writing to advise that you may notice some changes to the letters from Fraser Health that schools distribute on behalf of the health authority. Effective immediately, Fraser Health is initiating letters, as deemed necessary by Fraser Health. As before, follow up letters may include a self-monitoring letter and/or self-isolation letter, as needed. Previously there were three notification letters and a school bulletin. Fraser Health advises that the changes streamline the process and decrease the number of emails sent to families and staff.

In short, the revised process is as follows:

- - self-monitoring letter will be issued to the affected classes.
- Additional self-monitoring or self-isolation letters will be issued in the course of contact tracing, as needed.
- Contact management will be completed within 48 hours. School exposures will continue to be posted on [Fraser Health's school exposures page](#)

- Families and staff may receive more than one letter, as described. - being. Please maximize physical distance, wearing a mask when required, and following other health authority advice. Some of the important ways we can work together to reduce the spread of COVID-19 are:

With appreciation,

