

Skills on the Hill Sick Policy

1. No child or adult who presents with or experienced any of the following symptoms in the last 24 hours: a cough (change from baseline), fever of 100.4°F, sore throat, difficulty breathing (change from baseline), diarrhea, vomiting, or severe headache, will be permitted into the clinic.
2. If a child or adult lives with someone who currently presents with above signs of illness, then he/she will not be permitted into the clinic.
3. In order to return to in-person sessions after demonstrating symptoms:
 - i. If the area number of new cases/100,000 <20 OR the rate of positive tests is <5%:
The person must be 24 hours symptom free without medication
 - ii. If the area number of new cases/100,000 >20 OR the rate of positive tests is >5%:
The person must wait 10 days after symptom onset and be 24-hour fever free without medication OR produce a negative COVID-19 test and be 24 hours symptom free without medication

**As Skills on the Hill is located in both Washington DC and Arlington, Virginia, the clinic will use the higher rate of new cases to determine the area Risk of Transmission Status*

4. If a child or adult was exposed (less than 6 feet for ≥15 minutes total, regardless of wearing a mask or indoor/outdoor circumstances) to someone who has confirmed COVID, he/she will not be permitted into the clinic until 14 days after the exposure.
5. If a family cancels a session on the same day due to the child being sick, there will be no cancellation fee. If a child's session is canceled because of a family member being sick or an exposure to the virus, the session will take place via teletherapy.
6. If a child exhibits signs of illness (prolonged coughing, the start of a fever) during a session at the clinic, the session will be suspended immediately. The therapist will call the parent and the child will go home. The therapist will change her clothing, and the room will be sanitized.

