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Dear Parent,

Advice for your Child to Self-Isolate for 14 Days (Ospreys and Mr Heaps Year 5 maths group)

I am sorry to have to inform you at the start of the half term holiday, but we were made aware this morning that Mr Heaps, the teacher in Ospreys Class, has tested positive for COVID-19. Despite not feeling very well, he is in good spirits despite. We wish him a speedy recovery.

We know that you may find this concerning but we are continuing to monitor the situation and are working closely with Public Health England. This letter is to inform you of the current situation and provide advice on how to support your child.

After carrying out our own track and trace procedures, we have taken advice and have identified that your child has been in close contact with Mr Heaps. In line with the national guidance your child must now stay at home and self-isolate. The last day of self-isolation will be **Thursday 29th October**. This will be 14 days from when your child was last in contact with the affected member of staff. (see chart below)

Please remember that all cases are different and every factor has been evaluated carefully. We can confirm the following:

- It is essential you read the guidance on how to self-isolate via this link. <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/>

- It is not necessary for your child to get a test for coronavirus unless they develop symptoms.

- It is not necessary for other family members of self-isolating children to self-isolate, so siblings and parents who aren't impacted by child care issues can go to work/carry on as normal.

- If your child is well at the end of the 14 day period of self-isolation, they can then return to usual activities. At this stage we expect your child to be back in school again on Tuesday 3rd November. (note that it is an in-service training day on Monday 2nd November – staff only)

If your child develops symptoms of COVID-19 whilst self-isolating, please let us know via email. They should remain at home for at least 10 days from the date when their symptoms appeared. Anyone with symptoms will be eligible for testing and this can be arranged via <https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test> or by calling 119.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email the school office (office@roundhill.notts.sch.uk).

Yours faithfully,

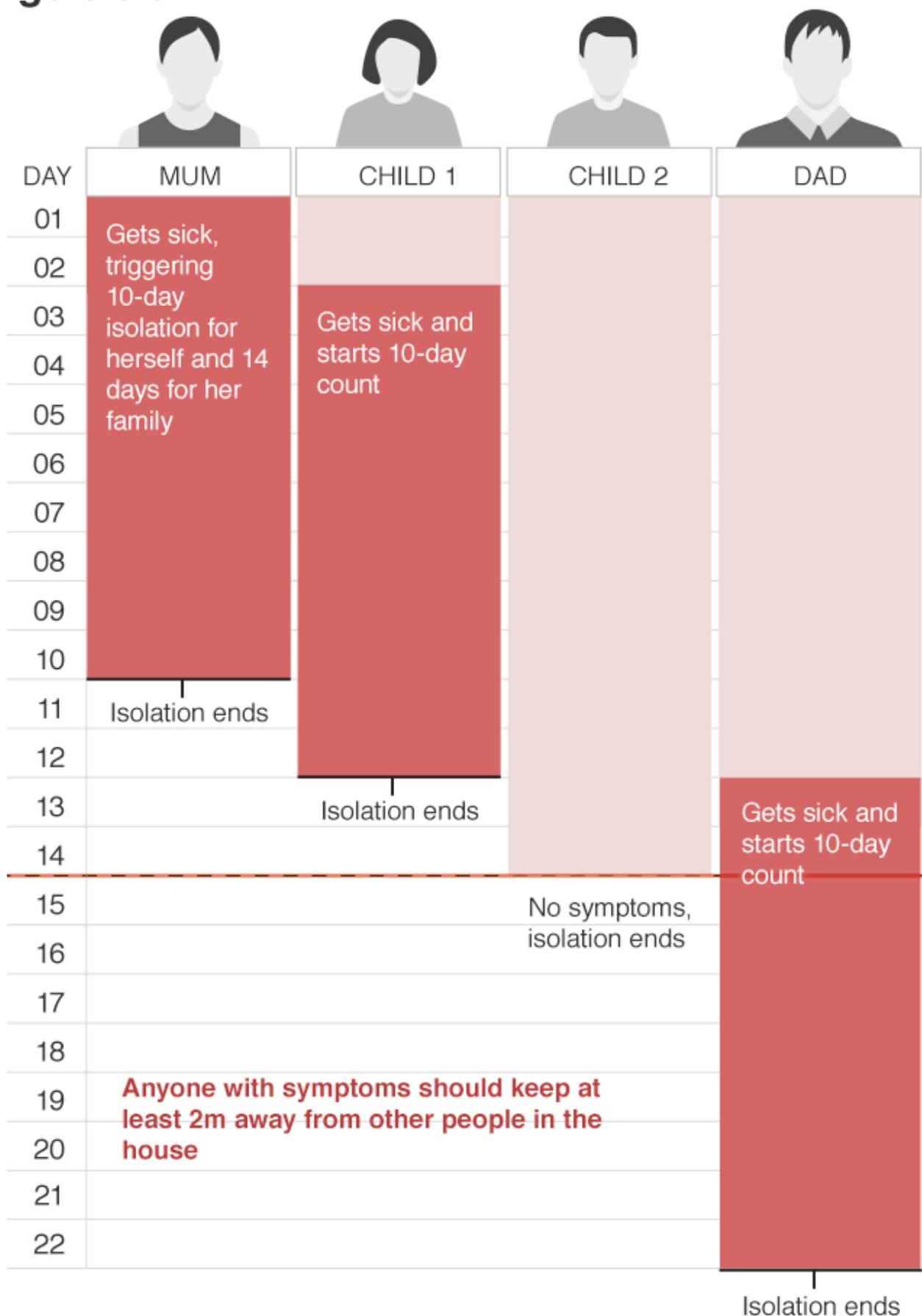
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What happens if someone in your family gets sick?



People may be able to pass on coronavirus without showing any symptoms