What to do when you work at a highest risk setting and a household member tests positive for COVID

Jane – works at RH and lives with her unvaccinated 4 year old, Alex.



Alex develops symptoms of COVID-19 on February 1. Alex and Jane begin self-isolation. Jane and Alex isolate together in their home. Alex is eligible for PCR testing because Jane works at a retirement home. Alex tests positive for COVID-19 on February 3rd.



Alex must isolate for 5 days, until February 6th at 11:59 p.m. Jane isolates for the same amount of time as Alex.

Jane cannot attend work for 10 days from her last exposure. Since Jane and Alex isolated together, Jane's last exposure to Alex was on February 6th. Jane can return to work after February 16th at 11:59 p.m.

*If Jane tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days and the infection has resolved, she does not need to isolate and can continue to work.