

Date: February 17, 2021

To BOCES District Superintendents
Superintendents of Public Schools
Public School Administrators
Charter School Administrators
Nonpublic School Administrators

For Katherine R. DeCaddo

Subject: In-person participation in COVID-19 testing (Amended)

The Department of Health has received information from the field that some individuals are beginning to experience difficulty participating in COVID-19 testing activities in schools. This is due to the fact that some individuals are experiencing difficulty participating in COVID-19 testing activities in schools.

To clarify, the Department of Health is providing guidance regarding COVID-19 testing for schools. The Department of Health is providing guidance regarding COVID-19 testing for schools. The Department of Health is providing guidance regarding COVID-19 testing for schools.

Agencies participating in the program shall be deemed by the State

to be in compliance with the

State Department of Health

Guidance for Receipt

and are not affected by this guidance. However, as

indicated above,