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Date: October 1, 2021  
To: TEC Students, Families, Guardians and Caretakers  
From: Liz McGonagle  
Re: COVID-19 Travel Protocols

At TEC we are working hard to keep all of our students and staff safe and healthy. Based upon recent guidance from the CDC and MA DPH, we have established the following **COVID-19 Travel Protocols** for all Education Cooperative students and staff. Thank you for your help as we work together to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 in our schools.

**Please contact Nurse Leader Kerry Kubera with any questions at 781-352-5729.**

<b>Travel Protocols</b>	
<b>Vaccinated:</b>	<b>Not Vaccinated:</b>
<p><b>Students who are fully vaccinated</b> can now travel safely within the United States.</p> <p>If a student does travel, TEC's Travel Protocol requires all students to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Self-monitor for COVID-19 symptoms.</li><li>● Isolate and get tested if the student develops any COVID-19 symptoms.</li><li>● After any international travel, <b>the student will need a negative viral test</b> before returning to school.</li></ul>	<p><b>If your child is NOT fully vaccinated</b> and travels to a state which, at the time of travel, has 50 or more average cases per 100,000 people, <a href="https://www.mayoclinic.org/coronavirus-covid-19/map">https://www.mayoclinic.org/coronavirus-covid-19/map</a>, please take the following steps:</p> <p><b>Before travel:</b> 1-3 days before travel, the student should be tested with a <a href="#">viral COVID-19</a> test.</p> <p><b>After travel:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● The student can return to school and must participate in <b>TEC's <a href="#">Test and Stay Program</a></b>. Before entering school. The student will be tested for COVID-19 by the TEC nurse each day, <b>for 7 consecutive days</b>.</li><li>● If the test result is positive, the student must <b>stay home and self-quarantine for the full 10 days</b>.</li><li>● After any international travel, the <b>student will need a negative viral test</b> before returning to school.</li></ul>