Table 1 Contact management advice by exposure risk level of contact ::

Risk Level	Description of Risk Level	Isolation Level/ Contact actions	Public health authority (PHA) actions
High	• provided direct care for the case (including health care workers, family members or other caregivers), or who had other similar close physical contact (for example, intimate partner) without consistent and appropriate use of recommended personal protective equipment (PPE)  • who lived with or otherwise had close, prolonged  f contact (within 2 metres) with a case up to 48 hours prior to symptom onset or while the case was symptomatic and not isolating, or  • had direct contact with infectious body fluids of a case (for example, was coughed or sneezed on) without the appropriate use of recommended PPE.	<ol> <li>Quarantine at home for 14 days from last unprotected exposure</li> <li>Follow good respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene practices.</li> <li>Self-monitor for the appearance of symptoms consistent with COVID-19.</li> <li>Take and record temperature daily and avoid the use of fever reducing medications (for example, acetaminophen, ibuprofen) as much as possible. These medications could mask an early symptom of COVID-19; if these medications must be taken, advise the PHA.</li> <li>Isolate away from others within the home setting as quickly as possible should symptoms develop, and contact the local PHA for further direction, which will include:         <ul> <li>where to go for care,</li> <li>appropriate mode of transportation to use, and</li> <li>IPC precautions to be followed.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	Conduct an individual risk assessment     Active daily monitoring for symptoms
Medium	Non-close contact:  provided direct care for the case, (including health care workers, family members or other caregivers) or who had other similar close physical contact with consistent and appropriate use of PPE or  who lived or otherwise had prolonged contact but was not within 2 metres of a case up to 48 hours prior to symptom onset or while the case was symptomatic and not isolating.	Self-monitor for symptoms for 14 days following their last contact.  Follow core personal public health practices(Appendix 2) recommended for the entire population  Avoid close contact with individuals at higher risk for severe illness	<ul> <li>Conduct a risk assessment for non-close contacts, if feasible</li> <li>No active monitoring</li> </ul>
Low/No known risk	Only transient interactions (for example, walking by the case or being briefly in the same room) or unknown but possible transient interaction due to the occurrence of local community transmission.	Follow <u>core personal public health</u> <u>practices (Appendix 2)</u>	<ul> <li>Provide community level information</li> <li>Provide individual advice, if required</li> </ul>