Here is an example of how the incubation and exposure timeline works:

**COVID-19 INCUBATION TIMELINE**

COVID-19 has up to a 14 day incubation period.

**BOB WAS EXPOSED TO COVID-19.**

**DAY 0**
Bob was exposed to COVID-19.

**DAY 5**
Bob got tested for COVID-19 and the results came back negative.

**DAY 8**
Thinking he did not have COVID-19, Bob went to work and a family gathering. He was contagious days 8 & 9 (48 hrs before symptoms) and now exposed 22 people.

**DAY 10**
Bob became symptomatic and tested positive.