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- Categorization as "red" suggests that the county has a high risk of COVID-19 spread and that in-person instruction should not be conducted.
- Categorization as "yellow" suggests that that the county has an elevated risk of COVID-19 spread and that hybrid instruction models should be adopted.
- Categorization as "green" suggests that the county has a relatively low COVID-19 risk and that in-person instruction can be adopted – although a SAU may opt for hybrid instruction if its buildings or readiness make adhering to the required Health and Safety Measures for All Schools a challenge.