

# Should I Get a COVID-19 Test?



= Get tested



= A test is not necessary

## Do you have any COVID-19 related symptoms?

Common symptoms include:

- chills
- cough
- sore throat
- runny nose
- congestion
- body ache
- fever of 100.4 or more
- shortness of breath
- difficulty breathing
- loss of taste or smell
- diarrhea
- fatigue
- headache
- nausea
- vomiting

**Yes**



**Regardless of vaccination status, get tested if you have COVID-19 symptoms.**

First, isolate and get tested immediately. If positive, refer to testing positive isolation guidance. If you test negative and symptoms resolve you may leave isolation. If you test negative and symptoms persist, contact your medical provider. For more information on isolation & quarantine visit:

[Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org/isolation-and-quarantine](https://Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org/isolation-and-quarantine)

**Students & Families:** Testing guidance is different for school settings. View online: [Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org/schools](https://Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org/schools)

**My antigen test was positive, do I test again?**



**Treat a positive like a positive.** PCR tests are not required to confirm a positive antigen test.

Quarantine for **5 days** after exposure. It can end **after day 5** if symptoms don't develop AND with a negative test **on day 5**. Wear a well-fitted mask around others for **10 days** after date of exposure. If you test positive or symptoms develop, follow testing positive isolation guidance.

**Taking a COVID-19 self-test? Scan the QR code to report the results:**



[Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org](https://Coronavirus.MarinHHS.org)

**No**

**Exposed to COVID-19 or a close contact of someone with COVID-19?**

**No**



**Yes**

**Have you recently completed a vaccination series or have you received a booster dose?**

**No**



**Yes**



Take a COVID-19 test on **day 5** after exposure. Wear a well-fitted mask around others for **10 days** after date of exposure. If you test positive or symptoms develop, follow testing positive isolation guidance.