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COVID-19 Testing Guidance

Anyone with COVID-19-like illness or symptoms can get a test, even without a doctor's order.

As testing capacity expands, testing is now available for people who:

- Have COVID-19 symptoms (cough, shortness of breath and fever) **AND**
- Have a risk factor, such as
  - Contact with someone confirmed to have COVID-19
  - A compromised immune system or a serious chronic medical condition

Testing is also available for those with or without symptoms who:

- Work in a health care facility
- Work in correctional facilities, such as jails or prisons
- Serve as first responders, such as paramedics, emergency medical technicians, law enforcement officers or firefighters
- Support critical infrastructure, such as workers in grocery stores, pharmacies, restaurants, gas stations, public utilities, factories, childcare and sanitation

A list of testing sites can be found online at coronavirus.illinois.gov/s/testing-sites or dph.illinois.gov/covid19/covid-19-testing-sites.

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Questions about COVID-19?
Call 1-800-889-3931 or email dph.sick@illinois.gov
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