

WALK-UP TESTING FOR COVID-19 AT A STATE-SUPPORTED SITE

Anyone over the age of 18 can be tested, regardless of symptoms

WHAT DO I NEED IN ORDER TO BE TESTED?

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- **Government Issued ID** – This photo ID does not need to be a Florida Drivers License
- **Health Insurance Card** – Everyone will be tested, regardless if they have insurance
- **Pen** - It is required every individual bring their own pen to fill out test site forms

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I ARRIVE AT THE TESTING SITE?

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- Each individual will be greeted and directed by personnel in protective gear.
- Each individual will be asked to provide their government issued ID, first and last name, health insurance card and contact information.
- Individuals will be asked for their cell phone number and will be texted when it is their time to get tested.

WHAT IS THE TESTING PROCESS?

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- A health professional in personal protective equipment will provide you with instructions.
- A soft swab will be inserted into your nose or throat, depending on the testing location, to get the necessary sample. This may be slightly uncomfortable; however, the test is quick and should take less than a minute.

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER I AM TESTED?

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- You will be given information on what to do while awaiting test results. Please keep the instruction sheet until after you receive your results.
- After being tested, continue to monitor and record symptoms. You will receive your test results via phone call or through a patient portal at some sites. Instructions on how to receive results will be provided at the testing site.

WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO KNOW?

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- Be prepared for significant wait times. At some sites, you may wait more than 3 hours for a test - *Please wait in a shaded area, avoid waiting on pavement and return to the testing location only when notified*
- Food is not provided at the testing sites. It is recommended individuals bring snacks and water.
- Requirements, appointments and hours vary for each site. [FloridaDisaster.org/COVID19/Testing-Sites](https://www.floridadisaster.org/COVID19/Testing-Sites) contains the most up-to-date information regarding state-supported testing sites.

