

## How do I get a test for coronavirus (COVID-19)?

Lincolnshire has Coronavirus testing available for all staff members and their household if they are symptomatic.

If you, or a member of your household, are displaying symptoms of Coronavirus then on **day 1 of these symptoms** contact your employer immediately as this will ensure that you get an appointment for testing if needed. If you miss day 1, please notify them as soon as possible as it may not be too late

The symptoms for Coronavirus are

- New continuous cough and/or
- High temperature





The below eligibility criteria applies to you as a staff member and any household members over 2 years of age:

- The person, or persons, in the household displaying symptoms of coronavirus, often referred to as the Index Case(s), should be tested
- The test should ideally occur between days 1 to 3 but testing can be done up to day 5.





After you have notified your employer, they will arrange testing for you, and you will be provided with information about where to go. Please **do not** visit any testing site without an appointment, as you will not be tested.

Please see below scenarios for more information on who should be tested.





### Scenario 1: Key worker has symptoms

				
Status	Keyworker	Child - Aged 19	Child - Aged 12	Adult 1
Should I be Tested?	Yes	No	No	No





### Scenario 2: Householder member (over 18) has symptoms

				
	Keyworker	Child - Aged 19	Child - Aged 12	Adult 1
Status	No symptoms	Symptoms	No symptoms	No symptoms
Should I be Tested?	No	Yes	No	No





### Scenario 3: Multiple householder members (over 18) have symptoms

				
	Keyworker	Child - Aged 19	Child - Aged 12	Adult 1
Status	No symptoms	Symptoms for more than 5 days	No symptoms	Symptoms
Should I be Tested?	No	No	No	Yes

### Scenario 4: Householder member (under 18) has symptoms

				
	Keyworker	Child - Aged 19	Child - Aged 12	Adult 1
Status	No symptoms	No symptoms	Symptoms	No symptoms
Should I be Tested?	No	No	Yes	No

**Scenario 5: All household members (inc. the key worker) have symptoms**

				
Status	Keyworker	Child - Aged 19	Child - Aged 12	Adult 1
Should I be tested?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No