Coronavirus (COVID-19) tests for adult social care

How can I get the test for our staff and residents/clients?

**Staff**

Do they have symptoms?

- yes
  - Testing available now. Go to [gov.uk/coronavirus](http://gov.uk/coronavirus) for employer or self referral. This applies to care home staff, domiciliary carers and unpaid carers.
  - Whole-home testing available through the [care home testing portal](http://carehome-testing.portal.gov.uk).
- no

**Residents in care homes**

Have you had a suspected outbreak?

- yes, a newly reported outbreak
  - If you require additional testing, whole-home testing is available through the [care home testing portal](http://carehome-testing.portal.gov.uk).
- yes, within the past 14 days
  - Whole-home testing available through the [care home testing portal](http://carehome-testing.portal.gov.uk).
- no

**Clients receiving care at home**

Do they have symptoms?

- yes
  - Testing available now. Over 65s can self-refer on [gov.uk/coronavirus](http://gov.uk/coronavirus).
  - Or go to [NHS111online](http://NHS111online.nhs.uk) or get GP referral.
  - Test type dependent on client needs.
- no
  - No test required.