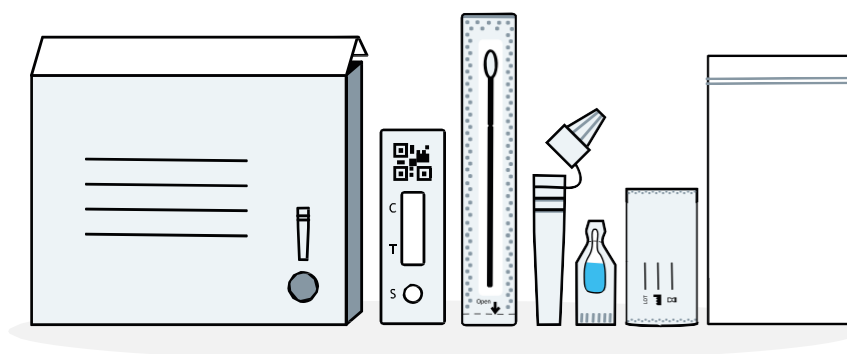


SureScreen SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Rapid Test with Nasal Swab



Easy read information

Information about the test



We are **NHS Test and Trace**. We run COVID-19 testing services.

Around 1 in 3 people have COVID-19 and do not know it.

SureScreen

This booklet is about the SureScreen SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Rapid Test Cassette.

This is a COVID-19 test.

The booklet tells you how to

- ✓ Set up your test area
- ✓ Take the test safely
- ✓ Read and report your result
- ✓ Put the used test in a bin in a safe way.



You should follow the instructions carefully. This might not be like another test you have done before.

Setting up the test



Setting up and taking the test takes about 15 minutes.

You should store the test at room temperature.

Do not use the test for more than one person.



If you have issues with your hands or your eyes, ask someone to help you set up and do the test.

Take out any nose jewellery.

Do not do the test if your nose is bleeding.

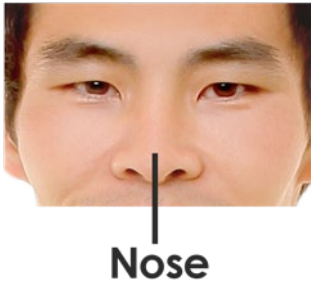


Do not touch the swab head that has been in your nose.

Try not to touch the parts of the test like the window that shows your result.

Check the test is still in date. Keep the cassette part of the test in the packaging until you need to use it.

More information about the test



This test is for your nose. You should use it even if you do not have any COVID-19 symptoms.

You should follow the national guidelines to see which test is right for you.



If you test positive for COVID-19 you will need to follow the [government guidelines](#).

If you test negative for COVID-19, it means you did not have the virus when you took the test.



You should still follow the guidelines.

If you are worried about COVID-19 always get help.

If you have COVID-19, you should follow [NHS guidance](#).



If you have COVID-19 and you do not feel better after 7 days, call 111 or go to [111 online](#).

If you have an emergency, call 999.

Who can take this test



You can take this test if you

- ✓ Are an adult
- ✓ A teenager aged 12-17 years old
- ✓ A child under 12 years old.



How often you use the test will depend on who you are and what the guidelines say.

[Get more support with taking tests.](#)



You must report all your test results to the NHS.

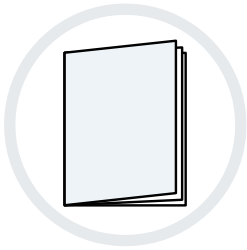
If any parts of the test are missing or broken, then do not use the test.

You can call 119 if this happens.

[What to do if any part of the test hurts you.](#)

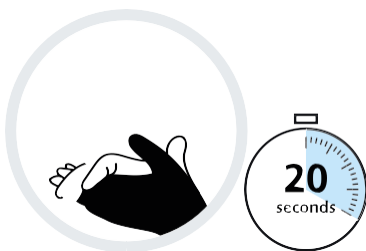


Getting ready to take the test



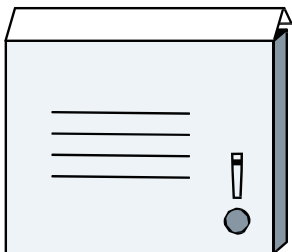
Read the instructions carefully before you take the test.

Clean the space you are using to take the test.



Wash your hands well for at least 20 seconds with soap and water.

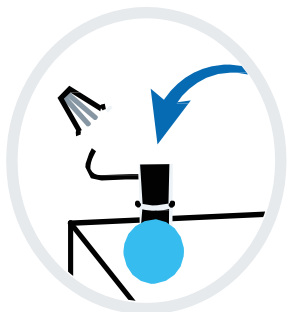
Open your test box and check you have these items



- ✓ Box with tube holder
- ✓ Test cassette in a sealed pouch
- ✓ Sachet of liquid
- ✓ Extraction tube
- ✓ Information leaflet
- ✓ Waste bag
- ✓ Swabs to take the test.



How to set up the test



Take the test cassette out of the pouch – you should take the test within 1 hour.

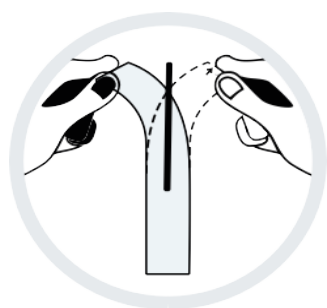
Put the tube in the tube holder – be careful not to spill it.

Open the liquid sachet and pour it in the tube.



Blow your nose into a tissue before you take the test.

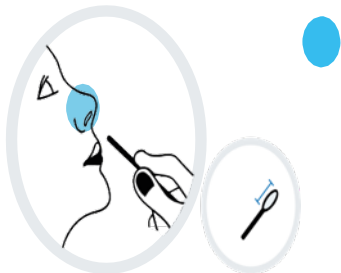
Wash your hands again for 20 seconds.



Open the swab packet and take out the swab ready to use.

Do not touch the end of the swab.

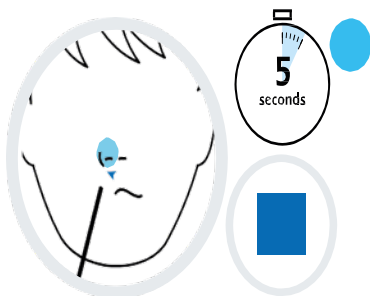
How to take the test



Put the swab end up your nose and move it around for 5 seconds.

Make sure it is as far up your nose as it can go.

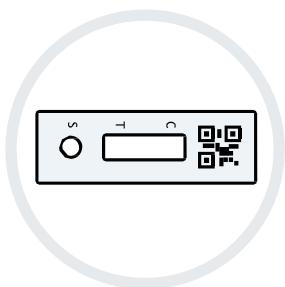
Put the swab inside your other nostril but not as far up. Move it around 5 times for about 5 seconds.



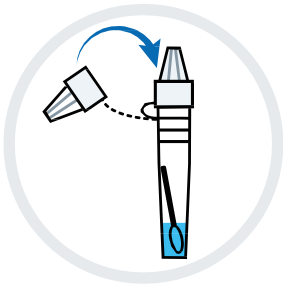
If you are testing a child then show them what you are doing so they understand.

You need to do the same thing with the swab for a child.

You should test the swab as soon as you can after it comes out of your nose.

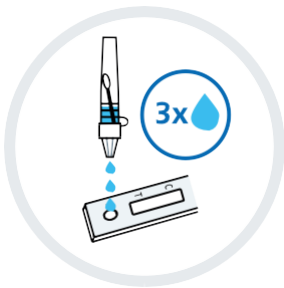


What to do with the swab



Open the tube with the liquid inside and put the swab end in. Move it around in the liquid for 10 seconds.

Seal the tube with the lid.



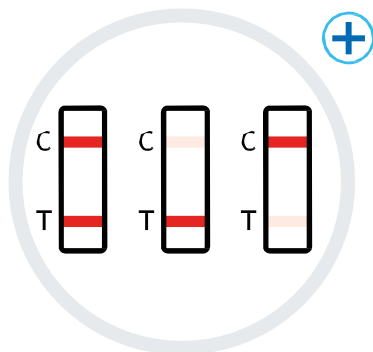
Take out the test cassette and put three drops from the tube onto the window marked S.

Start a timer. You need to wait 10 minutes for the result.



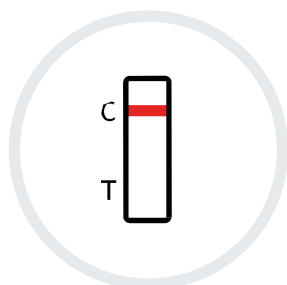
Do not leave the test for longer than 20 minutes before you read the result.

Reading your test result



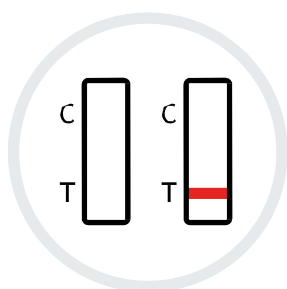
If your result is **positive**, you will see 2 lines on the test. A pink line next to C and a pink line next to T.

This means you have a positive COVID-19 result and you should self-isolate.



If your result is negative, you will see one line next to C.

If you have a void result, you will see a line next to T. This means the test is void and hasn't worked.



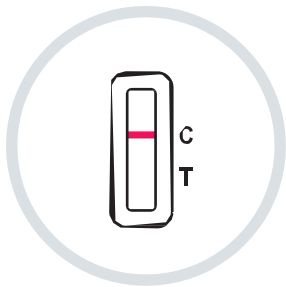
You need to tell the NHS your result, no matter what it is. This helps scientists to find out more about COVID-19 and what the virus is doing.

You will need the QR code or the ID number under the test to report the result.



This test is more likely to give a result if the person taking it has high levels of COVID-19 in their body.

Reading your test result



If you have a **positive result**, it means you have COVID-19 and you might infect other people.

Tell everyone you live with or have been in contact with. You will need to stay at home until you feel better.

[Please follow the national guidance.](#)



If you have a **negative result**, you don't have COVID-19 when you took the test.

But you might still get COVID-19, so wash your hands and follow the guidelines.

You should put all the parts of the test in the bin when you have finished.

Wash your hands well for at least 20 seconds.



Keep a record of your results



Fill out your results your own records in these boxes.

Please keep reporting your test results.

Who took the test	Date	Time	Test result

Write down other notes here

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