

COVID-19 Pathway

START



Symptoms suggestive of COVID-19?

Well-appearing (you can have a mild cough, congestion, and/or fever)

No testing

Symptoms for at least 3 days? Screening requested

No testing needed
 No testing. Monitor for symptoms. Quarantine for 10 days from date of exposure OR 7 days with a negative test on days 5-7*

Exposure (<6 feet, >15 minutes, no mask)

*Georgia DPH Policy: COVID-19 and Your Health

Treat accordingly

Other explanation (Strep throat, Influenza, allergy, asthma)

Exposure

Medical evaluation needed

Follow CDC guidelines for quarantine and isolation**

**Quarantine and Isolation calculator: COVID Quarantine Calculator

Rapid Antigen test or PCR test

POSITIVE

NEGATIVE

Isolate for 10 days from first day of symptoms

Separate from close contacts

ASYMPTOMATIC contacts quarantine for 10 days FROM DATE OF LAST EXPOSURE or 7 days with a negative test on day 5-7*

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GA DPH Testing Sites Link: COVID-19 Testing in Georgia - "https://dph.georgia.gov/covidtesting"

Return for testing in office

Retest with PCR if symptoms develop

NEGATIVE

Isolate if ASYMPTOMATIC for 10 days FROM DATE OF TEST or isolate if you BECOME SYMPTOMATIC for 10 days FROM SYMPTOM ONSET.

ASYMPTOMATIC contacts quarantine for 7 days from date of last exposure with a negative test on day 5-7 or 10 days without a test.

GA DPH Policy: DPH COVID-19 Guidance - "https://dph.georgia.gov/dph-covid-19-guidance"

GA DPH Quarantine and Isolation Calculator: COVID Quarantine Calculator - "https://dph.georgia.gov/covid-quarantine-calculator"

Georgia DPH Links

Rapid Antigen

POSITIVE

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NEGATIVE

PCR

Please bear in mind that even though your test is negative, you may still develop symptoms and/or become positive up to 10 days after you think you were exposed.