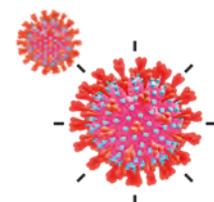




We are doing extra Coronavirus Covid-19 tests in this area and other parts of Manchester



A few people have a new sort of the Coronavirus. If we can spot this new sort we can stop it spreading. Staff will knock on doors and ask people to get tested.

If you DO NOT have Coronavirus symptoms are over 16 years old and live in parts of Moss Side, Hulme, Whalley Range and Fallowfield you should get tested.



To see if you live in one of the postcode areas we are testing and find out how to get a test, go to:
www.manchester.gov.uk/covidtesting



The testing centres are at:
Our Lady's RC Church, Raby Street, M16 7JQ
Opening times: 10am to 5pm Monday to Saturday

Guru Nanak Dev Ji Gurdwara Temple,
15 Monton Street, M14 4LS
Opening times: 10am to 5pm Monday to Sunday
(closed from 12 noon to 1pm on Fridays)

Arrahman Manchester Islamic Cultural Association,
16 Bedwell Street, M16 7LN
Opening times: 10am to 5pm

Moss Side Leisure Centre, Moss Lane East, Manchester M15 5NN,
Opening times: 7.30am to 6pm Monday to Friday,
10am to 2pm at weekends (closed Sunday 14 February).



If you cannot get to a test site because you are shielding or housebound for example, local health and social care services will get in touch to give you a test at home.

Please do not contact the Council or your GP.



If you **HAVE** Coronavirus symptoms

- Stay at home **DO NOT** go to a test site
- Book a test online at www.nhs.uk/coronavirus,
- or phone 119, or use the NHS COVID-19 app.



About the test

You will be given a PCR swab of your nose and throat.
You will get the result in a few days.
You do not need to isolate while you wait for the results.

If you had one of these tests in the last 90 days and it showed you had Coronavirus you do not need to take a new test.



If the test says you have Coronavirus

You will need to self-isolate for 10 days and tell NHS Test and Trace what people you have been in close contact with.

You will also need to do this if you get any symptoms, or NHS Test and Trace tell you that you have been in close contact with someone who has Coronavirus.



The vaccine

You should still get tested even if you have had the vaccine.

If you get called to have the vaccine you should still go. But if you get any Coronavirus symptoms, do not go, change the appointment.



The new sort of Coronavirus is no worse than others, the vaccines will still protect you but you must follow the lockdown rules and keep us all safe