



How to Access a COVID Test In our catchment area

Please call your Health Care Providers office, if you feel you have been exposed to a COVID case or if you have been in close contact with a person who has tested positive for COVID or you are feeling you have any COVID symptoms. These include Fever above 38 degrees; sore throat; new onset cough or worsening chronic cough; shortness of breath; difficulty breathing; difficulty swallowing; decrease of loss of sense of taste or smell; chills; headaches; unexplained fatigue/malaise/muscle aches; nausea/vomiting, diarrhea; abdominal pain; pink eye; or runny nose or nasal congestion without other know case. You also may request a test for visiting Long Term Care or if you have upcoming Surgery.

The Receptionist will need to know if you had recent travel, where and when, and if you feel you may have been exposed to the COVID virus. A requisition will be sent to the COVID ASSESSMENT CENTRE at the McCausland Hospital.

If you are not a patient of either of our clinics please call our Local Health Unit Nurse, Melanie at: 825-7770, she will complete the requisition and send it to the COVID ASSEMENT CENTRE.

The COVID Assessment Centre at the McCausland Hospital will set an appointment time for you to get a COVID Swab done. **They will call you with Time.** You will go to the Hospital and Park in the designated parking spot and staff will call your cell phone and instruct you in the next steps.

COVID Swabs are done MONDAY to THURSDAY 10-12. -As they need to be transported to Thunder Bay

You may access your results online in 3 to 7 days.

Aguasabon Medical Clinic 825-3235

J.E. Stokes Medical Centre 824-2934