



# Testing available for people with coronavirus-like symptoms

## How do you make an appointment for a test?

From 1 June anyone with coronavirus-like symptoms can get tested.  
This will help us contain the spread of the virus and protect one another.



### You can get tested if you have mild coronavirus-like symptoms

If you have cold-like symptoms, for example blocked/runny nose, sneezing, sore throat, cough, fever, or sudden loss of taste or smell, you can get tested for coronavirus.



### Step 1: Make an appointment

#### To make an appointment to get tested at a location near you, call **0800 1202**

Have your citizen service number (BSN) ready.

You can find your BSN on your passport, identity document, driving licence or payslip.

#### You'll hear a short recorded message, and then you'll be connected to an assistant.

The person you will speak to is not a doctor. They will not be able to give medical advice or answer medical questions.

#### Give your name, address, telephone number, email address and citizen service number.

The assistant will help you make an appointment.

You'll receive a text message and email confirming the appointment.

#### Stay at home until you go to the test location.



### Step 2: Get tested

#### Come to the test location at the designated time.

Bring proof of identity and the message confirming your appointment.

#### Follow the instructions of staff.

A cotton swab will be used to collect mucus from your throat and nose.

#### The test is free of charge.



### Step 3: The result

**Go straight home after you've been tested. Do not leave your home until you have received the test result.** You will be called and told the test result as soon as possible.

#### If your symptoms get worse...

Contact your doctor.

If you belong to an at-risk group or are very ill – for instance, if you have a fever or are short of breath – contact your doctor, specialist or the out-of-hours GP service (huisartsenpost).

In the event of a life-threatening situation, always call 112.

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corona onder controle**

For more information go to:  
[government.nl/coronavirus](https://government.nl/coronavirus)