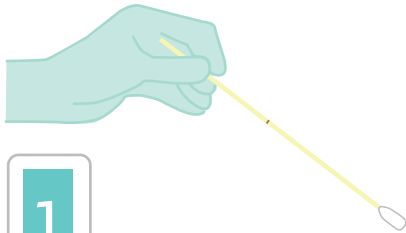


# What to Expect During Testing

COVID-19 testing is conducted with a nasal swab test. Here is what patients can generally expect when visiting a testing site.



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The swab is inserted midway into one nostril, rotated twice and held in place for 15 seconds. The process is then repeated in the second nostril.

2

The soft end of the swab is inserted into a tube and returned to the health care professional.



3

The sample is placed in a refrigerated container.



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The amount of time it will take to get a result varies based on location.