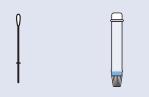
# **COVID-19 Testing at Home**

### YOUR TESTING KIT CONTAINS:

Test tube





**Buffer liquid** 



Test cartridge

#### **YOU WILL NEED:**

- · A clean, level surface
- · Hand sanitizer
- · A timer or clock

#### **BEFORE YOU START**

Sanitize your hands

**Nasal swab** 

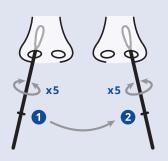
- Clean surface
- · Open the contents of your testing kit
- Remove the test cartridge from the wrapper
- Write your name on the cartridge if testing more than one person



To view an instructional video, visit gnb.ca/pointofcaretesting

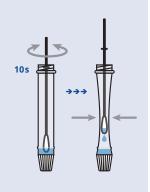
#### STEP 1

- Add 10-12 drops of buffer into test tube until it reaches marked line.
- Insert the swab into your nostril, approximately 2cm.
- Rub and rotate the swab 5 times around and repeat for the other nostril.



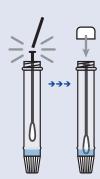
#### STEP 2

- Gently tap the test tube to bring the fluid to the bottom.
- Remove blue cap.
  Immerse swab tip into liquid, swirling up and down for 10 seconds.
- Pinch tube around swab to squeeze out remaining liquid.



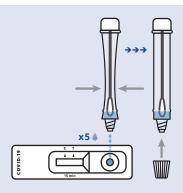
#### STEP 3

- Find the break line on the swab handle and snap the swab here.
- Replace the blue cap, with the swab remaining inside of the tube.



## STEP 4

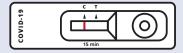
- Twist off the white dropper cap from the bottom of the test tube.
- Gently squeeze 5 drops into the round well of the test cartridge.



#### STEP 5

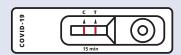
Let the sample move across the white strip. After a total of 15 minutes, you can determine the result. When finished, put testing supplies in the garbage, sanitize your hands, and clean your testing space.

#### **NEGATIVE RESULT**



One line at the C mark, no line at the T mark. No reporting needed, continue with your testing schedule.

## **POSITIVE RESULT**



Two lines: one at the C mark, one at the T mark. You must immediately self isolate. To arrange for confirmation testing, go to gnb.ca/gettestedcovid19 or call 811.

#### **INVALID RESULT**

If your test result does not match either the NEGATIVE or POSITIVE examples, the test may not have worked. Re-test until you receive a positive or negative test result.

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