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# COVID-19 Testing Open to All Residents

## Rowley Park

103 N. Arlington Avenue

*December 4 & December 18 • 9AM -1PM*

- ✓ NASAL SWAB AND ANTIBODY TESTING AVAILABLE
- ✓ APPOINTMENT REQUIRED
- ✓ PROOF OF HEALTH INSURANCE REQUIRED
- ✓ NO OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS
- ✓ SERVING SYMPTOMATIC AND ASYMPTOMATIC
- ✓ PROOF OF RESIDENCY ID REQUIRED

To schedule an appointment, create an account with the following link:

<https://17709.portal.athenahealth.com/>

The East Orange walk-up testing facility is facilitated by Platinum Health Services, Wellness Suite 360, Not Just A Black Body (NJABB), and Accu Reference Medical Lab.



# Frequently Asked Questions About **COVID-19 TEST**

COVID-19 testing at the Old V.L.D site is being facilitated by Platinum Health Services, Wellness Suite 360, Not Just A Black Body (NJABB) and Accu Reference Medical Lab.

**1. Who is eligible for an appointment?** All East Orange residents and essential personnel working within the City of East Orange whether or not they are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19.

**2. How do I schedule an appointment for COVID-19 testing at the drive through site?**

To schedule an appointment, use the following link:

<https://17709.portal.athenahealth.com/>

The date you select will be for a testing appointment. Medical history will be requested as part of the telemedicine screening.

**3. How do I obtain a referral or prescription for COVID-19 on-site testing?** This is not needed, as one will be generated after your scheduled telemedicine appointment.

**4. What do I need to do to prepare for my COVID-19 test?** On the day of your appointment, bring a) yourself, b) a valid photo ID, c) proof of residence or status as an essential personnel and d) proof of insurance. For general testing-related inquiries, contact the Department of Health and Human Services (973-266-5480) for assistance.

**5. How is the COVID-19 testing administered?** The swab test for COVID-19 used by Accu Reference Lab is a test to determine whether or not you have the SARS-CoV-2 virus. A limited number of antibody (serology) tests are available at the site daily. If antibody testing is desired, state this during your telemedicine screening.

**6. Is the COVID-19 test that is available on-site free?** No. It is paid for by insurance.

- **For the insured:** All screening and collection fees will be billed to your insurance. *Deductibles, co-insurance and copays do not apply.*
- **For the uninsured:** We want to ensure that you are able to access COVID-19 testing, if desired. If you are uninsured, please contact the East Orange Department of Health and Human Services (973-266-5480) for assistance and guidance.

**7. What do I do on the day of testing?** On the day you are scheduled to be tested, visit the testing location. Be sure to wear a face covering, bring your documents, and maintain social distance.

**8. How will I get my COVID-19 test results?**

The urgent care facility will contact you directly to notify you of your results in approximately 5-6 business days.

**9. What do I do while I wait for my COVID-19 test results?**

While you await your results, follow the existing CDC guidelines related to the precautions to be taken while in the community. This includes but is not limited to staying home if you are able, wearing face coverings, maintaining an appropriate distance from others when in public, and washing your hands frequently with soap and water. If you must leave home due to an emergency, please be sure to wear a face covering at all times.

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If you have severe COVID-19 symptoms (e.g., coughing, sneezing, shortness of breath, fever, chills, headache, or loss of taste or smell) and need immediate attention, call 911 or your local emergency room.