

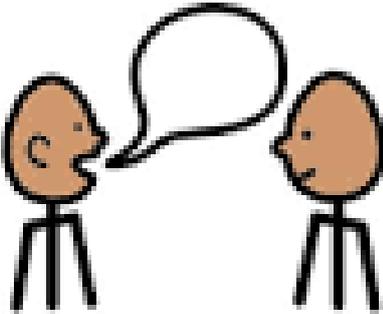


Austism Advisory and Intervention Service

Getting Tested for Coronavirus Visual Supports



Why do I need a Coronavirus test?

<p>1</p>  <p>People get tested for coronavirus to help keep them safe and to stop the spread of the virus.</p>	<p>2</p>  <p>Many children and adults are being tested for Coronavirus. Some children and adults are being tested even though they don't feel sick.</p>
<p>3</p>  <p>The doctor will decide if I need a test. This is ok.</p>	<p>4</p>  <p>If the doctor decides I need a test I will try not to worry. If I am worried I can talk to an adult.</p>
<p>5</p>  <p>Sometimes the coronavirus test can happen at home and sometimes people have to travel to a testing centre. An adult will tell me where I will get my test. This is ok.</p>	<p>6</p>  <p>I am happy when I keep myself and others safe.</p>

What happens during a Coronavirus test at a testing centre?

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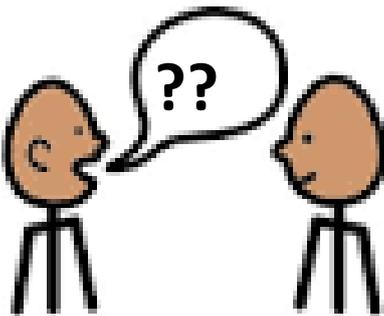
When I arrive at the testing centre, it might be busy. I will wait in my car with an adult.
This is ok.

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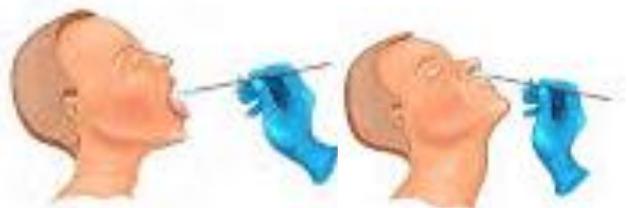
There will be lots of doctors and nurses. The doctors and nurses will be wearing protective clothing e.g. masks, visors and aprons.
This keeps me safe.

3



The doctor or nurse might ask me and the adult some questions and then they will begin the test.

4



The test is usually quick, the doctor will rub a swab on the back of my throat and another swab on the back of my nose.

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It shouldn't be sore but it might make me feel a little uncomfortable. If I feel uncomfortable during the test I can hold an adults hand and think about my favourite things.

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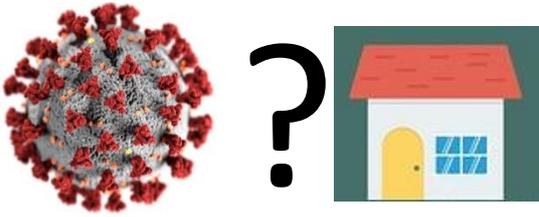
The doctor or nurse will send my swabs to the lab to check if I have Coronavirus.
The test is finished.
I am proud when I can do tricky things that help me stay safe.

Getting a Coronavirus Test at a Testing Centre

Drive to test centre		<input type="checkbox"/>
Wait for test		<input type="checkbox"/>
Blow nose		<input type="checkbox"/>
Clean hands		<input type="checkbox"/>
Get throat swabbed		<input type="checkbox"/>
Get nose swabbed		<input type="checkbox"/>
Finished. Well Done.		<input type="checkbox"/>

What happens during a Coronavirus test at home by a professional?

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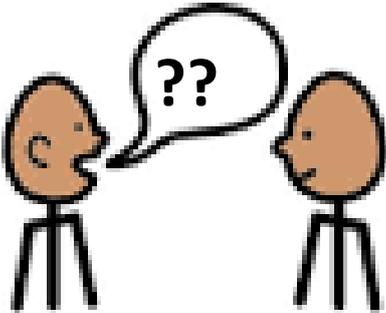
Sometimes people need to get tested at home.
A doctor will send nurses to my house to help me get tested at home.
This is good.

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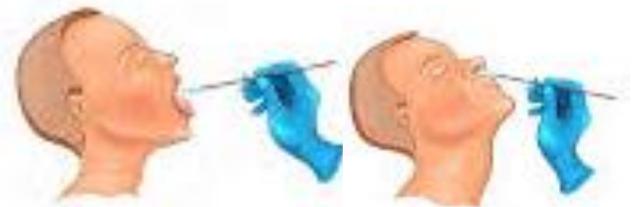
One or two nurses will visit my house.
The nurses will be wearing protective clothing e.g. masks, visors and aprons.
This keeps me, my family and the nurses safe.

3



The nurses will ask me and the adult some questions and then they will begin the test.

4



The test is usually quick, the nurse will rub a swab on the back of my throat and another swab on the back of my nose.

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It shouldn't be sore but it might make me feel a little uncomfortable. If I feel uncomfortable during the test I can hold an adults hand and think about my favourite things.

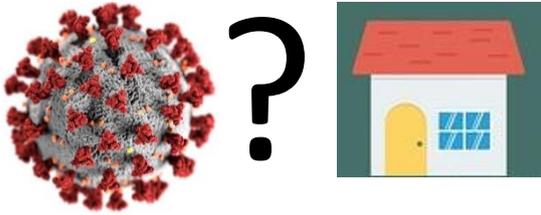
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The nurse will send my swabs to the lab to check if I have Coronavirus. The test is finished.
I am proud when I can do tricky things that help me stay safe.

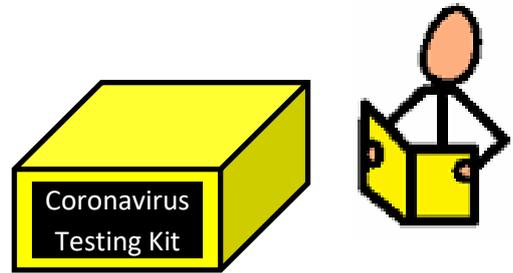
What happens during a Coronavirus self-test at home?

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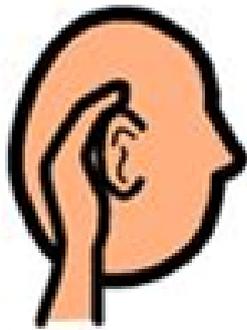
Sometimes people need to get tested at home. A doctor will send my family a testing kit.

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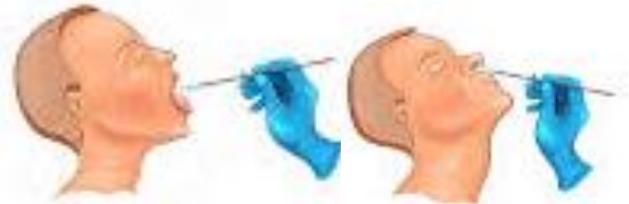
When the testing kit arrives an adult in my family will follow all the instructions carefully.

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I will listen carefully and follow all the instructions the adult tells me.

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The test is usually quick, the adult will rub a swab on the back of my throat and another swab on the back of my nose.

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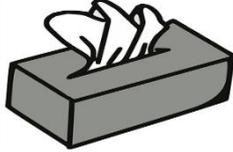
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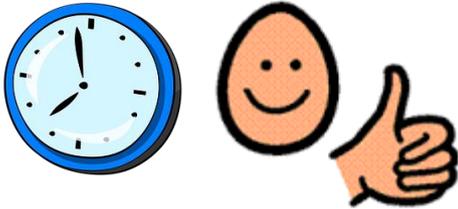
My family will send my swabs to the lab to check if I have Coronavirus.
The test is finished.
I am proud when I can do tricky things that help me stay safe.

Getting a Coronavirus Test at Home

Blow nose		<input type="checkbox"/>
Wash hands		<input type="checkbox"/>
Get throat swabbed		<input type="checkbox"/>
Get nose swabbed		<input type="checkbox"/>
Finished. Well Done.		<input type="checkbox"/>

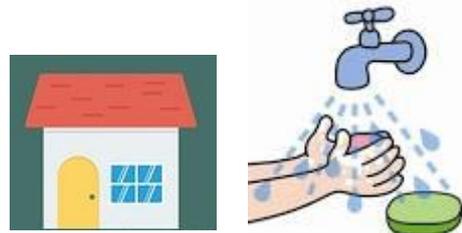
Waiting for Coronavirus test results

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Once the test is finished, it may take a few days for the results to come back. This is ok.

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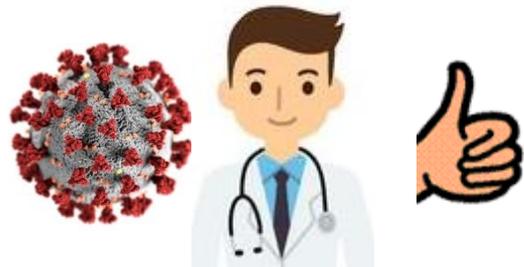
I will stay at home to wait for the results. It is important that I continue to help stop the spread of the virus by washing my hands regularly.

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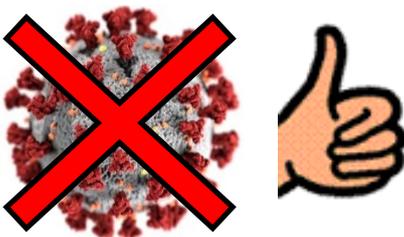
When I am at home I can do home school work, play with my toys and/or watch TV. An adult will take care of me.

4



An adult will find out my test results. If the test shows I have coronavirus, I do not need to worry. The doctor will tell me what to do. It is important that I stay at home until the doctor say it's ok to go back to school.

5



If the test shows I do not have coronavirus I can go back to school. It is important that I continue to wash my hands regularly.

6



I am proud of myself when I follow the doctor's advice to help keep me and everyone else safe.