

Self-Testing Instructions

COVID-19 Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Swab)



Introduction

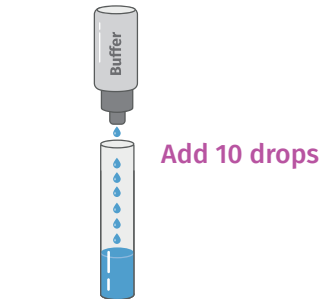
Instructions for taking a rapid antigen test for coronavirus using the Healgen / Orient Gene COVID-19 Ag Rapid Test Cassette.

A complimentary video can be found here: <https://youtu.be/xpipL2LJ9Yw>

A positive result indicates infection with coronavirus and you should isolate immediately and take an rtPCR test to confirm the result.

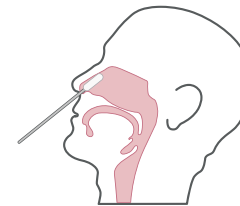
All materials can be disposed of in household waste.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION - Use the swab supplied in the kit.

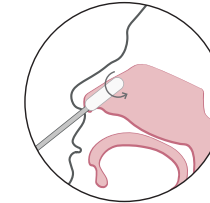


- 1 Add 10 drops of extraction buffer to an extraction tube.

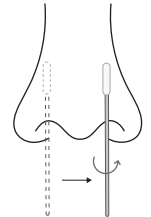
Open the foil packet of a test cassette.



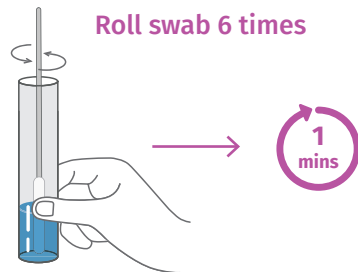
- 2 Insert the tip of the swab into one nostril for 2-3cm until resistance is felt.



- 3 Roll the swab **5 times** against the inside of the nose.



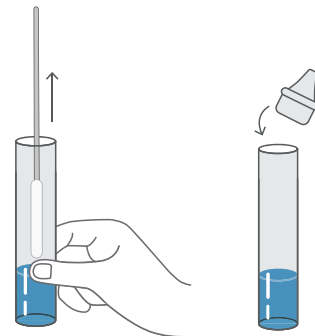
- 4 Repeat the swabbing process in the other nostril.



- 5 Insert the swab into the extraction tube which contains the extraction buffer.

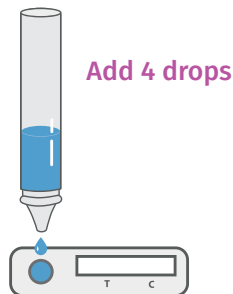
Roll the swab at least 6 times while pressing the head against the bottom and side of the extraction tube.

Leave the swab in the extraction tube for 1 minute.



- 6 Withdraw the swab from the tube while squeezing from the outside to squeeze out all the fluid from the swab tip.

Place a lid firmly on the extraction tube.



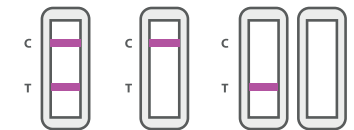
- 7 Add 4 drops of sample solution into the sample well of a test cassette.



- 8 Wait for the colored band(s) to appear.

The result should **only be read after 15 minutes.**

Do not interpret the result after 20 minutes.



- 9 If you do not see a "C" line then the test is invalid and **must be repeated.**

A "C" line on its own indicates a negative test.

A "C" and a "T" line (**even if very faint**) indicates a positive test and you should isolate.