

I NEED A TEST FOR COVID-19

Getting an Oral Test at a Drive-Up Clinic



I need to have a test to see if I have COVID-19. I have to have this test if I feel sick or if I need to have surgery or a test in the hospital. I can get this test in my car.



We will drive up to the tent. My family will tell one of the helpers my name and birthday.



I will stay in the car the whole time. I can bring my favorite toy or game with me. I can even listen to music during my test if I want to!



We are getting closer to the helpers who will do the test. I will see people dressed up in gowns, gloves, masks, and face shields. They are wearing these things to keep me safe.





Even though I can't see their faces, the helpers have big smiles and they want to take the best care of me!



It is time to get ready for my test. It is very important that I sit still and keep my hands on my own body while the helper does the test. My family can get closer to me to help me to follow directions for my test.



The helper has to do the test to see if there are any germs in my throat. The helper will put a long Q-tip into my mouth. I will feel it in the back of my throat. It may feel uncomfortable.



My test is done! My family will be very glad that I got my test. I can wave goodbye to the helpers and go home.



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