



The Wakefield COVID-19 Test Service

Access information for General Population

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Live within the Wakefield District?

Do you or someone you care for have any of the symptoms of COVID-19 today or have had any within the past 8 days?

- ▶ **High temperature; feeling hot to touch on your chest/back**
- ▶ **A loss or change in smell or taste; you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different from normal**
- ▶ **A new continuous cough; coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours.**

Don't delay. If you have one or more symptoms, get a test.

The Wakefield COVID-19 Test Service is available to residents of the Wakefield District and can help you if you need help getting a test.

What is the service?

It is a drop off and take away self-swabbing service that you or your carer can do at home. It can also provide supported swabbing for children aged 2-12 years.

Who is it for?

Any resident living in Wakefield District with at least one of the main symptoms of COVID-19 within the past 7 days.

How do I get a test or arrange a test for someone else?

You can get a home test if you:

- are unable to use the National Testing Service (<https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test>) or cannot use the drive-through testing service or if you;
- need assisted swabbing for a child aged 2-12 years.

To book a test, call 01924 22 44 97 (Monday to Friday)

Watch videos on how to carry out your test in English BSL, Urdu, Punjabi and Polish at: <https://conexus-healthcare.org/wakefield-covid-testing-service>