When/How will I get my results?

- All results – positive, negative or indeterminant – will be emailed to you within three days.
- Please check your email inboxes (including spam folder) for test results sent from covidtesting@uc.edu.
- If you do not have an email address and are in need of documentation of your results, please call (513) 558-8898.

After today:

If you have had suspected or known exposure or ongoing COVID-19 symptoms (e.g. cough, fever, loss of taste or smell), stay home, monitor your health, and talk to your doctor or health care provider.

If you have no symptoms and no known exposure to someone with COVID-19, there is no need to isolate until your test comes back.

However, consider continuing with safe practices: wear a mask, wash your hands often and social distance especially in poor ventilated indoor spaces.

Consult the next page for what to do after your results.

Test and Protect aims to stop the spread of COVID-19 through rapid, efficient and convenient testing in neighborhoods and organizations throughout Hamilton County. Funding is provided by Hamilton County CARES Act.
Your COVID-19 Test Results
For Vaccinated and Unvaccinated Individuals

If your test is **NEGATIVE**

**EXPOSED**
Stay home and away from others for at least 7 days. With a negative test on or after day 7, you can return to normal activities.

**NOT EXPOSED**
Stay home, avoid contacts with others for 72 hours AND at least 24 hours with no fever and without fever-reducing medication.

**NO SYMPTOMS**
You do not need to self isolate.

Get retested if you develop new or worsening symptoms such as fever (100°F), cough, shortness of breath or other symptoms of COVID-19.

If your test is **POSITIVE**

**SYMPTOMS**
Stay home and away from others for at least 10 days since symptoms first appeared AND at least 24 hours with no fever and without fever-reducing medication.

**NO SYMPTOMS**
If you continue to have no symptoms, you can be with others after 10 days have passed since you were swabbed for a COVID-19 test.

Please respond to the health department's outreach as your name and contact information will be shared with public health to help with contact tracing.

If you develop new or worsening symptoms, contact your health care provider. There is no need to retest for 3 months (90 days) after testing positive.

Ways to Slow the Spread: Protect Yourself and Others

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes.
- Continue practicing social distancing, avoid crowds and poorly ventilated indoor spaces.
- Wear a face mask.
- Retest: On day 7 after an exposure and after any new exposure or new symptoms. There is no need to retest for 3 months after a positive test.

More info at healthcollab.org/testandprotect | 513-558-8898