



Alaska Department of Health

Free COVID-19 Test Ordering for Partners

For Organizations

Free over-the-counter (OTC) COVID-19 test supplies are currently available for bulk ordering by organizations through the Federal Test Distribution Program, while supplies last. Ordering units start at 1 package (464 test kits) for Access Bio CareStart and 1 package (240 test kits) for Sekisui OSOM.

How to Order:

Organizations without an existing Health Partner Ordering Portal (HPoP) account:

1. Please contact your local public health center for local availability of tests. You can find your local public health center [here](#). In Anchorage, contact the Anchorage Health Department at AHDClinicalServicesOutreach@anchorageak.gov or call 907-855-9186.
2. If you are a large healthcare facility such as a large or multi-site Tribal Health Organization, hospital or long-term care facility and do not have a HPoP account, please contact the Alaska Department of Health directly at doh.dph.epi.hpop@alaska.gov for HPoP onboarding. Allow 3-5 days for response. Outpatient and assisted living facilities should first reach out to their local public health center for available tests.

Organizations with an existing HPoP account:

Applicable to only organizations currently onboarded to the COVID-19/Diagnostic module in HPoP.

How to Submit a COVID-19 Test Order:

1. Sign in at <https://hpop.hhs.gov>
2. Navigate to Site Orders/Inventory section.
3. Make sure you are in the Orders tab.
4. Click Create Order in the top right corner of the screen.
5. Select COVID-19/Diagnostic.
6. Select the Test Brand you wish to order.
7. Select the Quantity.
8. Review your order.
9. Once you have reviewed your order and are ready to proceed, click Submit Order.

For CLIA-certified facilities or those with a CLIA Certificate of Waiver, reporting positive COVID-19 results isn't required for OTC test kits distributed for off-site use. [Reporting](#) is required if the test is administered or results interpreted by someone else at the organization, rather than self-administered. For full details, see [OTC Home Testing and CLIA: FAQs](#)

For Individuals

In late September 2024, all U.S. households will be eligible to order up to four additional COVID-19 test kits at no charge. You can place your order at COVIDTests.gov. These tests will detect current COVID-19 variants and are valid for use through the end of the year.

Test Expiration Dates Extended. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has extended the shelf-life of some at-home tests. [Check test expiration dates here.](#)

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