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## **COVID 19 Virus Nasal PCR Test, RPP With COVID 19 Test, Rapid Strep A Antigen Test and Rapid Influenza A and B Antigen Test**

Aria Diagnostics is an in-network Indianapolis based reference laboratory offering a test for respiratory pathogens including the novel corona virus associated with COVID-19.

### **Instructions for Patients:**

***Do not call the laboratory. A physician's order is required to perform this test.***

1. Provide the attached order form to your health care provider along with an image of a government issued ID as well as the front and back of your insurance card. If you will not be using insurance benefits, please call 317-733-9454 for pricing information.
2. After the laboratory receives the completed order from your provider, Aria Diagnostics will call you to schedule a collection at one of our Indianapolis "drive up" collection sites.
3. Please bring a valid government issued ID and insurance card (if applicable) to the collection.
4. A nasopharyngeal swab will be used by a medical professional to obtain the sample to be tested.
5. The collection will take 30 seconds and will be performed while you sit in your car.
6. Test results will be delivered to your provider in 48–72 hours from collection.

### **Instructions for Providers:**

1. Please fax (317-733-9451) or email (covidtest@ariadx.com) completed Order Form. A cover sheet is not required. Please include a face sheet and associated medical notes, if applicable.
2. Upon receipt of the order, the laboratory will contact the patient to schedule a nasopharyngeal swab collection at one of our Indianapolis drive up collection sites following appropriate infection control precautions. +
3. Nucleic acid (DNA/RNA) will be extracted from the sample and the listed pathogens will be tested by real time PCR.
4. Results will be available electronically in 48–72 hours via an online portal. To receive further instructions, please provide your email address on Order Form. If you would like results faxed, please include your fax number.
5. Please direct any questions to covidtest@ariadx.com. Your email will receive a response and/or call back ASAP.

### **Resources:**

Fact Sheet for Healthcare Providers issued by the CDC.

[http://www.slh.wisc.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/200204\\_FDA-fact-sheet-for-Healthcare-Providers\\_CDC-2019-nCoV-HCP.pdf](http://www.slh.wisc.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/200204_FDA-fact-sheet-for-Healthcare-Providers_CDC-2019-nCoV-HCP.pdf)

+ "Specimens should be collected with appropriate infection control precautions following CDC Guideline for Isolation Precautions: Preventing Transmission of Infections Agents in Healthcare Settings (2007)". Publication (updated in July 2019): <https://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol/pdf/guidelines/isolation-guidelines-H.pdf>