

Process for COVID-19 Testing and Communications

**Persons with high priority indications for testing

- Contacts (medium and high risk) to a lab confirmed COVID-19 case who have with clinically compatible illness
- Travelers to affected areas (CDC Level 2 and 3 travel warnings) who have clinically compatible illness
- Hospitalized patients with unexplained pneumonia and physician suspicion of SARS Co V 2 infection
- Individuals from congregate living settings or HCF with clusters of respiratory illness not due to influenza and suspected to be due to SARS Co V 2
- Patients with higher risk from complications for whom rapid TAT will impact clinical care/outcomes.
- Other situations of concern as determined in consultation with Public Health (eg. Positive test from private lab)

