

COVID-19 Testing Information for FCN patients

1. If you have symptoms:

- a. **Schedule a telemedicine visit with your regular doctor.**
- b. Each family member with symptoms needs to schedule a separate appointment.
- c. If your regular doctor does not have any appointments available, please use [On-Demand Telemedicine](#), which is offered through FCN Urgent Care.
- d. If your provider determines that you need a COVID-19 test, they will place a lab order.
- e. Once the order has been placed, you will receive directions on where to get tested and whether you need to schedule an appointment. It will depend on when the soonest appointment is available.
 - i. FCN Drive Through testing site: an appointment will be scheduled for you by a staff member.
 - ii. NW Laboratory, schedule online at: nwlCOVIDappointment.as.me
- f. Your provider will contact you with the results. Turnaround time is typically 2-3 days.

2. If you DO NOT have symptoms:

- a. If you have a **known exposure** to someone who has tested positive, you can get tested at your local health department testing site:
 - i. **Whatcom County:**
 1. **Requires an appointment.**
 - a. Schedule online at TestDirectly.com.
 - b. Schedule by phone at (360) 778-6075, Monday-Friday, 8:30am - 4pm. Language interpretation services are available by phone.
 - c. Location information: [Whatcom County Health Department](#)
 - d. If you provide an e-mail address, you will be notified by Test Directly as soon as your results are ready.
 - ii. **Skagit County:**
 1. **No appointment necessary.** Must live or work in Skagit County.
 - a. Information: [Skagit County Health Department](#)

3. **If you need a COVID test for an upcoming medical procedure and DO NOT have symptoms**, please call the doctor that is performing the procedure. Once they have ordered the test, you will be directed to the appropriate location and/or provided instructions on how to schedule your test.

4. **If you need COVID test for upcoming travel and DO NOT have symptoms, please contact one of the pharmacies listed below** to make an appointment for testing*. Certain travel destinations have specific rules around which lab can perform the test. Be sure to verify with the pharmacy that the test will be accepted by your travel destination.

- a. [Walgreens](#) (Bellingham and Everett)
- b. [Rite Aid](#) (Lynden and Mount Vernon)

**If you are not able to schedule a test prior to your departure, please contact your regular doctor for assistance.*