Rapid Covid-19 tests
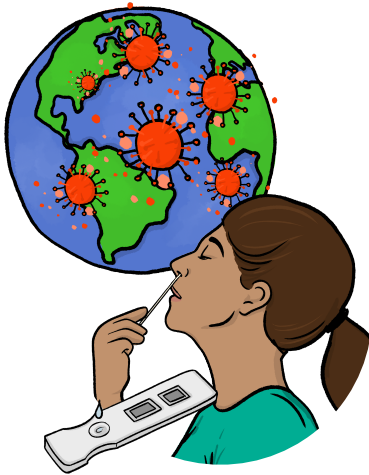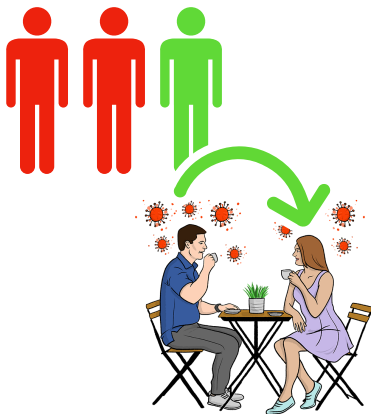
Covid-19 is also called Coronavirus. It is an illness that is spreading around the world. It can affect your lungs and breathing.

A **rapid Covid-19 test** is a quick way to test at home for Covid-19 if you don't feel ill.
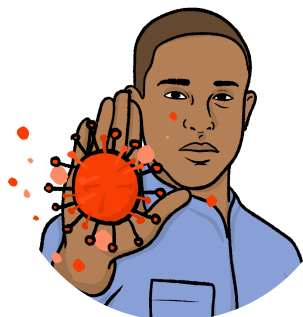
Have you caught Covid-19?

Around 1 in 3 people with Covid-19 don't feel ill at all.

They could be spreading the illness without knowing it.

Keep testing regularly

You can find out if you have caught Covid-19 by doing a rapid Covid-19 test at home.

If you find out you have Covid-19 you can stop spreading it.

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The rapid Covid-19 test

The rapid test is:

- quick and easy

- free.

Results only take up to 30 minutes.

Ordering your test

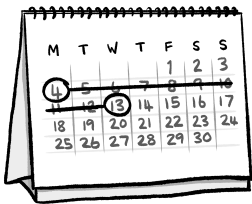You can order your rapid Covid-19 test:

- by going to: nhs.uk/Get-Tested

- at most pharmacies

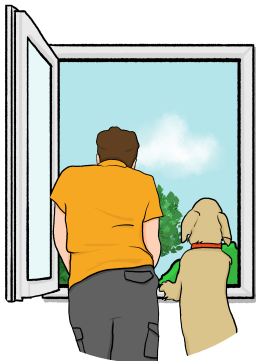- by phoning: 119.

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A positive test result

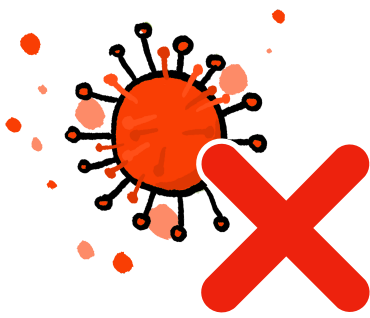If your test result is positive, this means it is likely you have Covid-19.

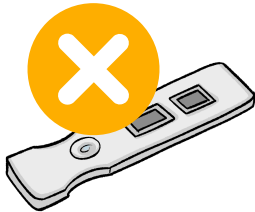You need to **isolate** for 10 days.

Isolate means:

- you must stay at home

- you cannot go near other people

- you cannot go out.

A negative or void test result

If your rapid Covid-19 test result is negative, this means it is unlikely you have Covid-19.

If your test result is void, this means the test hasn't worked properly.

Tell us the result of your test

Whether your test result is positive, negative or void, you must tell us the result:

- by going to: gov.uk/report-covid19-result

- by phoning: 119.

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