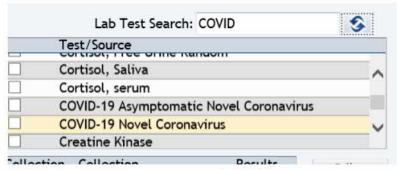
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For inmates who staff are considering testing for COVID-19

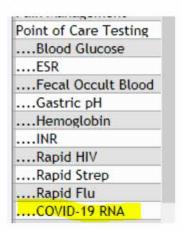
SENDOUT Testing

For all sites there are two SENDOUT COVID-19 Lab Tests available under LIS Tests tab. Type "covid" in the Lab Test Search box:



POC/waived inhouse testing - Instructions (b)(7)(E)

For those sites with the Abbott ID NOW instrument for POC waived inhouse testing, COVID-19 RNA is ordered as NMOS or directly resulted in the Flow Sheets under COVID-19 RNA.



- Contact your Regional Medical Director.
- Contact local/state Department of Health to verify if testing is needed/meets the state risk factors.
- Contact the site where testing will be sent for specific sample requirements/collection instructions.
- Please ensure staff are familiar and competent to collect the sample (nasopharyngeal swab).
- **If orders were placed selecting a different test and then typing COVID in the comments, those must be D/C and reordered.

**As a reminder staff are referred to the BOP-HSD Sallyport page

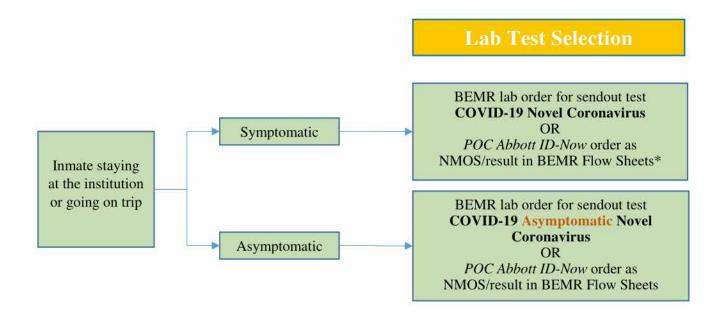
(b)(7)(E); (b)(7)(F) on COVID-19 for the latest information. This page is being updated on a frequent basis.

**For additional information, staff are instructed to direct questions to COVID19Questions@bop.gov

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Selecting the appropriate send out Lab Test to order:



*NOTE: Negative POC test results for symptomatic patients should be verified with a sendout test.

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