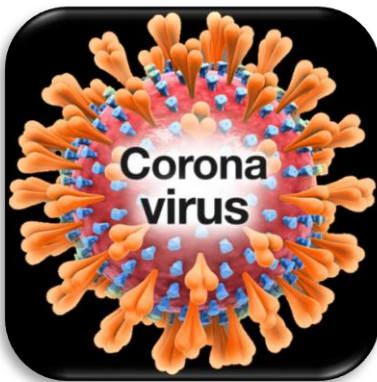


# Swab Tests

## How it works

This letter is from the Community Learning Disability Health Team at Combined Healthcare.

This will help you understand what will happen if you need to be tested for Corona Virus.



We are giving you this leaflet because you may need to be checked to see if you have the new illness called **coronavirus**



To do the test we will do a **swab**.  
A **swab** is like a big cotton bud which is wiped on you so we can test for an illness.



A doctor or a nurse will do the test.  
They will be wearing special clothes to keep you and them safe.  
They may be wearing a mask on their face.



We will put the **swab** into your mouth and rub it at the back of your throat.




We put the **swab** into your nose and rub it around a bit. Try and sit still – it might feel **uncomfortable** but it will be done **quickly**



We will put the **swabs** in a special container to go and be tested.  
We will tell you how long it will take to get the results.



Any questions?

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