

Instructions for the Abbott's BinaxNOW™ COVID-19 Ag At-Home Test

(Going home from Care Room)

You are receiving the 15-minute BinaxNOW™ COVID-19 Ag Card Home Test because your child is showing symptoms consistent with COVID-19. This test has been authorized by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) under an Emergency Use Authorize (EUA) for students ages 4 and older.

This test should be completed at home through a telehealth session. The testing session will begin through a device (computer, phone, etc.) by going to [Virginia's eMed webpage](#).

[How to Test Video Guide](#)

How to use:

- DO NOT open test kit until directed to by the Certified Guide in the eMed telehealth session
- Go to [Virginia's eMed webpage](#)
- Login using NAVICA™ app credentials to begin testing with eMed
- Click start test
- Complete the checklist
- You will be connected to a Certified Guide
- Open the test kit
- Show the testing card and scan the QR code
- Open the testing card and make sure the Certified Guide can see the process
- Remove the dropper bottle cap
- Place 6 drops of liquid into the top hole
- Open the swab package and take the swab out
- Insert the absorbent tip of the swab into a nostril
- Brush against the insides of the nostril in a circular motion 5 times
- Repeat in the other nostril
- Insert swab tip into the bottom hole of the testing card and push up until it fills the top hole
- Turn the swab 3 times
- Peel off the adhesive liner
- Close the card and seal it
- Wait 15 minutes for the results
- The individual will receive an electronic copy of the testing results

If the student tests positive, the student should remain at home. Contact your healthcare provider for follow-up care. Notify your child's school. Students who have been diagnosed with COVID-19, may not return until:

- It has been at least five (5) days since the student first had symptoms **AND**
- The student must be fever free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication **AND**
- The student's symptoms are getting better

If the student tests negative, the student may return to school when all the following are met:

- The student must be fever free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication **AND**
- The student's symptoms must be getting better **AND**
- Proof of a COVID-19 Test – all of the following are required with this test
 - Provide electronic copy of BinaxNOW test result
 - Complete and provide the school with the [FCPS COVID-19 Negative Home Antigen Test Parent-Guardian Attestation Form](#)