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**Call 911 if you have a medical emergency:** Notify the operator that you have, or think you might have, COVID-19. If possible, put on a cloth face covering before medical help arrives.

People with COVID-19 have had a wide range of symptoms reported – ranging from mild symptoms to severe illness. These symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. Some of the symptoms people are reporting are cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fever, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, however; this not an all inclusive list. **Please call and speak to our office with any symptoms, or others which are not listed here, which are severe or concerning to you.** According to the CDC, it has been reported children have similar symptoms to adults and generally have mild illness.

## Marion County announces changes to testing sites – 05/18/20

The Marion County Public Health department and the City of Indianapolis announced changes to testing sites. There will be two new testing sites opening up to replace existing sites in the county.

The testing site at the Indiana State Fairgrounds will close May 27. Testing at Eastern Star Church's main campus ended May 15. The health department said it would continue to work with Eastern Star to identify facilities in the 46218 zip code — a hot spot for coronavirus infection — where they could provide testing.

Drive-thru and walk-up testing will be available at Warren Central High School beginning May 20. Testing hours will be 6 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, with the exception of Memorial Day.

The second new testing site will be at Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Testing at IMS will begin May 26. Hours will be Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m.

In order to be tested at these sites, you must have COVID-19 symptoms, be an essential worker, or fall into a high-risk category.

Register to be tested at [MarionHealth.org/indycovid](http://MarionHealth.org/indycovid).

If you are your child is experiencing COVID-like symptoms, you may consider getting tested.

*Children/Adolescents under 18 years old, you will need to call 1-888-634-1116 to get registered.*

*Adults 18 and over may register for testing here: <https://lhi.care/covidtesting>*

Once you are registered, someone from the center will notify you to let you know where you can go to be tested. Please note this is for the actual testing of the virus and not testing of antibodies.

A list of testing sites available in Indiana can be found here:

<https://www.coronavirus.in.gov/2524.htm>

By pressing the county name, a list of testing site locations will appear. Click on the specific location site name to find additional information .

This information was updated on 05/18/20 and is subject to change. New information received will be shared and updated when it becomes known.

Stay Safe. Be Well.

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