

# HOW DOES TESTING WORK?



How and where to get tested:



- 1 You **MUST** call your doctor first.
- 2 In the state of Georgia you must have a referral from your doctor before you can get tested.
- 3 If your doctor thinks you need to be tested then he/she will inform you of where to go.
- 4 There a limited number of tests available, so it is important to talk to your doctor first.



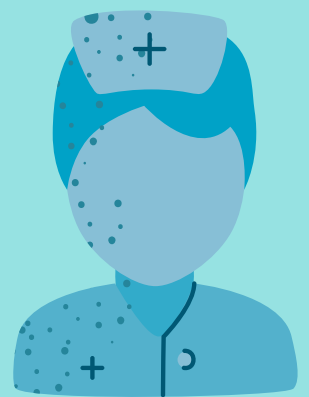
## DO

- Call your doctor first
- Keep practicing prevention techniques
- Isolate yourself at home and away from others
- Monitor symptoms
- Wear a face mask if you are around others



## DON'T

- Just show up to the hospital
- Show up to the doctor's office
- Go out



How to protect yourself and others if you are sick:

### QUARANTINE

If you can't get tested or if you test positive then you need to quarantine. This means staying at your house and away from others. If you have a mild case then it is recommended that you stay at home to recover.

### WEAR A FACE MASK

A face mask is only necessary if you are sick and if you are in contact with others. Do not wear a face mask unless you are sick.

### EMERGENCY SIGNS

#### CALL 9-1-1

Trouble breathing  
Persistent pain or pressure in the chest  
New confusion  
Bluish lips or face  
Call 9-1-1 if you have any of these symptoms!

