



**COLORADO**

Department of Health Care  
Policy & Financing

Dear Home Health and Home & Community-Based Services (HCBS) Providers,

Colorado is currently experiencing a rapid rise in community spread of COVID-19. This is deeply concerning for Colorado's residents who are most at risk. The Colorado Department of Health Care Policy & Financing and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment consider those providing home and community-based services as critical in helping to mitigate the spread of the disease among these vulnerable populations.

The recommendation is for all employees who provide direct care to older adults or individuals with disabilities be tested on a routine basis. Free testing for all home care and day program direct care has been prioritized through the State of Colorado providers to assist in meeting this recommendation.

Best practices for repeated surveillance testing advise that asymptomatic individuals be tested weekly, on the same day each week. Inform and invite workers to participate in weekly testing at the locations listed below.

Register in advance on the [Primary Bio website](#) for testing at the following locations:

- Colorado Mesa University, 1280 Cannell Ave, Grand Junction, CO 81501 drive-through testing
- All City Stadium, 1495 S Race St, Denver, CO 80210
- North High School, 3125 Eliot St, Denver, CO 80211
- Cherry Creek High School, 4700 S Yosemite St, Greenwood Village, CO 80111
- Instructional Support Facility (ISF), 5416 S Riviera Way, Aurora, CO 80015
- Mountain Range High School, 12500 Huron St, Westminster, CO 80234
- St. Vrain Valley Schools Innovation Center, 33 Quail Road, Longmont, CO 80504
- APS Professional Learning Conference Center, 5771 E 1st Ave, Aurora, CO 80011

For community-based testing at the following locations:

- Water World, 8801 N Pecos St, Federal Heights, CO 80260 at the parking lot adjacent to W 90th Ave
- Aurora Center for Active Adults, 30 Del Mar Circle, Aurora, CO 80011 at the parking lot
- Centennial Center Park, 13050 E Peakview Ave, Centennial, CO 80112 east of Arapahoe Rd and Peoria
- Citadel Mall just south of JCPenney 750 Citadel Dr E, Colorado Springs, CO at the parking lot

No referral or insurance is required. Individuals do not need to identify as HCBS workers.

Thank you,

Department of Health Care Policy & Financing

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