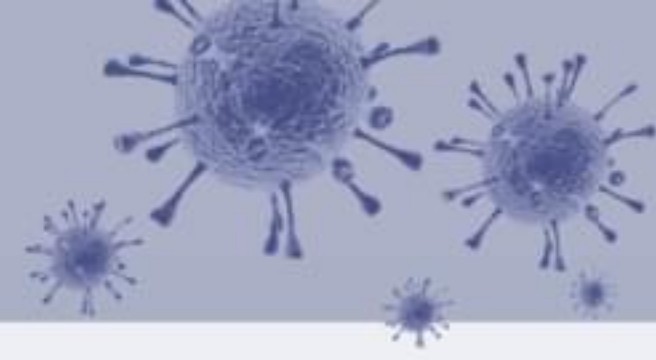


ISOLATION (CASES)



ISOLATION separates people **who are infected** with a communicable disease from people who are not infected. Isolated persons are asked to actively monitor their symptoms and separate themselves from other household members in a **specific "sick room"**. If possible use a separate bathroom.

Who needs to isolate?

- People who have COVID-19
- People who have symptoms of COVID-19 and are able to recover at home
- People who have no symptoms (are asymptomatic) but have tested positive for COVID-19

When does isolation end?

- At least **10 days** since symptoms first appeared **and**
- ***At least 24 hours** since last fever without the use of fever-reducing medications **and**
- ***Symptoms have improved**
- If tested positive for COVID-19, but show no symptoms, you can be with others **after 10 days** have passed since test

*On July 17, 2020, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) updated guidance for duration of isolation and precautions for COVID-19.