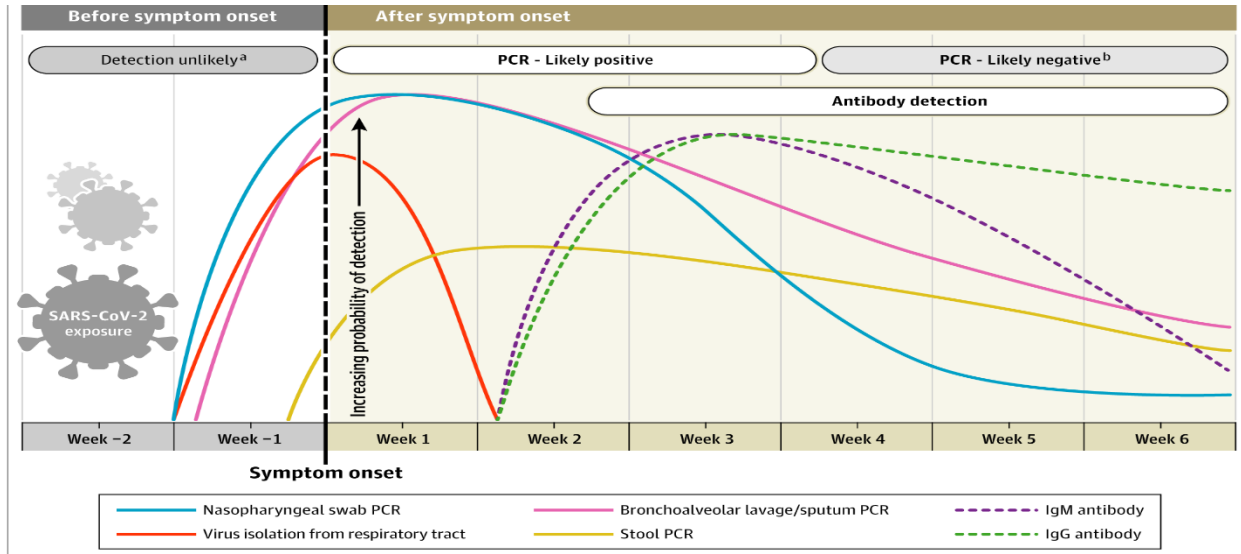


What Type of Testing Technology is Best for My Company?

Choosing a testing solution is an important step in restarting or resuming normal operations post-COVID restrictions. Understanding the cycle of infection to symptoms will help determine which type of testing you will need to implement at your employment location.



**Rt-PCR testing requires swab samples from the nose and/or throat; Antibody testing requires a blood draw from a vein or finger prick.

Industry Testing Best Practices

Based on the currently known timeline from exposure to the onset of symptoms, rt-PCR testing is the standard when you want to identify the active virus in its earliest stages. Based on these findings, the following best practices are emerging from partners we have been working with in different industries.

Industry	Baseline testing	Retest Preference	Retest Intervals
Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF)	YES All residents and staff	Routine, or with symptoms	25% of staff per week, entire staff monthly; If positive, every 3-7 days until a negative result is confirmed
Meatpacking	YES	If tested positive or with symptoms	If positive, every 3-7 days until a negative result is confirmed
Warehouse	YES	If tested positive or with symptoms	If positive, every 3-7 days until a negative result is confirmed
Medical Practices	YES All staff; All patients 2 days prior to surgical procedures	If exposed to COVID-positive patient; if tested positive or with symptoms	If positive, every 3-7 days until a negative result is confirmed

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