

SARS-CoV-2 Rapid Antigen Test

This guide is a reference for using the **SARS-CoV-2 Rapid Antigen Test**. Read the Instructions for Use before using this test.

Safety information

Warning!

Follow all health and safety regulations.

- Use appropriate personal protective equipment.
- Handle all samples as if they contain infectious agents.
- Observe all precautions and warnings in the Instructions for Use.

1 Preparing for a test

1. Carefully read the Instructions for Use for the **SARS-CoV-2 Rapid Antigen Test**.



2. Check the expiry date on the back of the foil pouch. Do not use the test if the expiry date has passed.



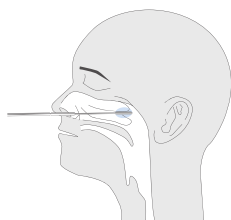
3. Open the foil pouch and remove the test device and the desiccant package.

4. Ensure that the test device is undamaged and that the desiccant status indicator shows valid (yellow).

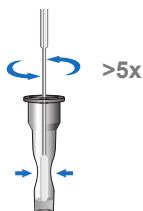


2 Collecting and preparing a sample (Nasopharyngeal swab)

1. Insert a sterile swab into the patient's nostril, swab the surface of the posterior nasopharynx. Withdraw the swab from the nasal cavity.



2. Insert the swab into an extraction buffer tube. While squeezing the buffer tube, stir the swab more than 5 times.



3. Remove the swab while squeezing the sides of the tube to extract the liquid from the swab.

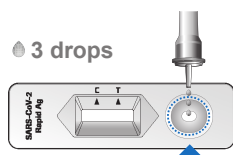


4. Press the nozzle cap tightly onto the tube. Continue with **Performing a test**.



3 Performing a test

1. Apply 3 drops of extracted sample to the specimen well of the test device.



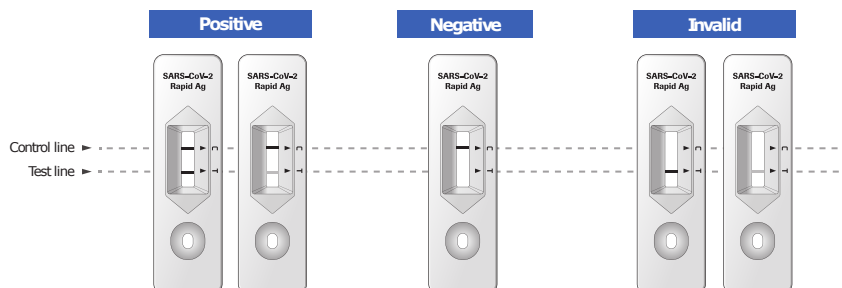
2. Read the test result at 15 to 30 min.

WARNING! Risk of incorrect results. Do not read the test result after 30 min.



4 Interpreting results

1. A colored line appears in the top section of the result window to show that the test is working properly. This is the control line (C). Even if the control line is faint, the test should be considered to have been performed properly. If no control line is visible the test is invalid.
2. In case of a positive result, a colored line appears in the lower section of the result window. This is the test line (T). Even if the test line is very faint or not uniform, the test result should be interpreted as a positive result.



Note:

- The presence of any test line no matter how faint, together with a control line, should be considered as a positive result.
- For diagnostic purposes, the results should always be assessed in conjunction with the patient's medical history, clinical examination, and other findings.

Submitting your test result

In line with the government guidelines, you are required to submit your test result with photographic evidence to us for validation as soon as you get your result, by visiting www.quickclinics.co.uk/result

In order for us to validate your test result, you need to take and upload the following images as evidence to the website above:

1. A clear image of the test device package displaying the PLF reference (starting with SWIFT), your photo ID next to it.
2. When your result appears; take a clear photo of yourself holding the test result in your hand next to your face.

Once we receive the above, a member of our medical team will review your evidence and validate the same within 24 hours by email. Please check your junk box if you don't receive this within this time frame.