

To you who are close contacts:

All close contacts shall be tested and stay in quarantine for 10 days after exposure.

You have been in close contact **30.10.2020** with a person with confirmed COVID-19 disease and must be in quarantine from: **30.10.20** until including date: 09.11.20

People who are in quarantine are basically well but have been in a situation where they may have been infected. This applies to close contacts of people with COVID-19 and people who have been travelling to an area with widespread transmission.

For close contacts in quarantine, the following apply:

Duration of guarantine for close contacts:

If you are defined as close contact to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, you must be in quarantine for 10 days from the last contact with the patient.

Duration of quarantine for close contact who is a household member:

Healthy household members to a COVID

19 patient with symptoms can end their quarantine 10 days after the last near contact with the person who is sick. This assumes that the healthy and the sick can live separately in the same household; i.e. separate bathroom, bedroom and common rooms during the quarantine period. If living separately in a joint household is

not possible, the quarantine for the healthy household members will end

15 days after the onset of symptoms for the household member who last became ill.

Healthy household members of a COVID-19 patient without symptoms

(asymptomatic) can end their quarantine 10 days after the test date for the infected person. This is regardless of whether there is contact between the infected person and other household members. If the isolated, asymptomatic person develops symptoms

during their isolation period, the quarantine for household members will be affected.

- As a close contact you should be tested, contact the senter for testing at 51912727
- You can be in normal contact with household members, but avoid visits.
- Do not go to work, school, childcare centre or other activity outside the home.
- Do not take long trips in Norway or travel abroad.
- Do not use public transport.
- Avoid places where it is difficult to maintain a distance from other people.
- As a rule, you should not visit public places like shops and cafes.

If there is no alternative, you may go out to carry out a necessary errand to the supermarket or p harmacy, but ensure that you keep a distance (at least 1 metre) from other people and avoid queues.

- You can go for a walk, but keep a distance of at least 1 metre from others.
- Be alert for any symptoms.

If you develop a fever or respiratory tract symptoms, isolate yourself as soon as possible. If you have symptomes of COVID-19 you should be tested agaian. Contact the senter for testing at 51912727 You will receive information about when and where to show up.

- Negativtest result will not free you from you quarantine. You must stay in quarantine for 10 days.
 - Positivetest result: You go into "self isolation." You will be contacted by the local health authorities and followed up by your doctor
 - Do not turn up without an appointment.

Time from infected to symptoms:

If you have been infected, it normally takes 4-6 days for symptoms to become apparent. But it can also takes 0-

10 days. People are most contagious while they are experiencing symptoms.

Fever, coughing and difficulty breathing are the most common symptoms. Some people develop pne umonia, breathing difficulties or other serious illnesses.

Keep yourself updated:

The authorities are asking everyone living or staying in Norway to read the important information and advice provided about coronavirus at www.helsenorge.no. This advice is updated regularly. The information is available in both Norwegian and English. If you find it difficult to understand anything, please ask someone you know for help or you can call the public telethone 815 55 015.

The testing is done at the respiratory emergency room located at Stavanger Forum. Test center nr 2 Ishockeyveien, 4021 Stavanger.

Your personal data will be registered and stored in the patient record system and the digital contact tracing system (remin.no) used by Stavanger kommune. Your right to access your information is regulated by the law on patient and user rights (pasient- og brukerettighetsloven) § 5-1. All employees processing your personal data are subject to confidentiality. If you need more information, please contact Stavanger kommune.

Med vennlig hilsen

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