

COVID-19 Serology Antibody Testing

FREE FOR EMPLOYEES



Free COVID-19 Serology Antibody Testing Available for Interested Baptist Health Employees

What is Being Offered to Employees

Baptist Health is making Serology Antibody Testing available, for free, to any employees that are interested in getting tested. The presence of the antibody determines whether an employee has had the COVID-19 virus or has been exposed to the COVID-19 virus. While COVID-19 immunity has not been confirmed and a positive test result does not indicate immunity, it will be able to give employees more information than they currently have and assurance for those that were curious if they had been exposed to it.

Although these test results will not change our use of PPE and other COVID-19 precautions, it will give us a greater understanding of the impact of the virus in our workplace and our community.

How and When Will the Testing Take Place

The Serology Testing process for employees will be scheduled by appointment only, beginning next week, and will take place at all Baptist Health hospital locations. The registration and consent process will be handled online, prior to setting up an appointment, minimizing exposure and contact with other employees.

To ensure social distancing guidelines and a safe testing environment, a limited number of tests will be administered each day, at each testing location. We ask for your patience with this process, as it will take some time to test each employee that would like to be tested.

How Will Results Be Delivered and What Will Happen with Positive Test Results

After the test is administered, employees will be contacted directly by Occupational Health and advised of their results. Results will not be communicated to anyone else within the organization. If an employee tests positive for the antibody, Occupation Health will debrief with them and coordinate any additional testing, if necessary.

Additional Questions?

[Click here](#) for more information on the test and testing process. To preview a copy of the consent form, [click here](#).

To schedule your appointment, [click here](#).

If you have any additional questions, please contact Occupational Health at **786-596-2255**.