

Someone I live with has symptoms: what should I do?

A person in my household has:

- a new continuous cough and/or
- a fever (high temperature over 38° using a thermometer) and/or
- a loss or change of smell or taste.

What should I do?

You and your household (that is, anyone you live with) should immediately self-isolate and arrange a test of the person displaying symptoms.

Call 119 or go to www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test

Even if they appear well, do not send your child(ren) to school until you know the outcome of the tests.

Positive result

Negative result

The person with the symptoms must self-isolate for at least 10 days. Other members of the household must self-isolate for 14 days from when symptoms were first noticed.

Advise school.

You can stop self-isolating and if your child or children are not displaying symptoms, they can return to school.