



# TRIAGE RISK ASSESSMENT SCREENING TOOL

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This Screening Tool must be completed for all patients who receive face-to-face services including in the Emergency Room, Outpatients, Ambulatory Care, Community, Health Home Visits and those being admitted. Prior to screening, have the patient perform hand hygiene and put on a mask.

**This screening tool is not intended to replace clinical judgement in individual patient management and alternate diagnoses must be considered.**

<b>Symptoms: Do you have <u>one or more</u> of the following core symptoms?</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>If yes to <u>one or more</u> symptoms the following actions shall be taken:</b>
Fever (including chills/sweats);			Test (PCR full respiratory panel)
Cough (new or worsening);			Droplet- Contact precautions (N95 for AGMPs or as based on PCRA)
Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing (new or worsening);			
Runny, stuffy or congested nose (not related to seasonal allergies or other known causes/conditions) new or worsening;			
Sore throat or difficulty swallowing (new or worsening);			
<b>Do you have <u>two or more</u> or more of expanded symptoms?</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Actions if "Yes"</b>
Headache (new or worsening);			Test (PCR full respiratory panel)
Acute loss of sense of smell or taste (new or worsening);			Droplet- Contact precautions (N95 for AGMPs or as based on PCRA)
Unusual fatigue, lack of energy (new or worsening);			
New onset of muscle aches;			
Loss of appetite (new or worsening);			
<b>Do you have <u>one</u> of the expanded symptoms?</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Actions if "Yes"</b>
Headache (new or worsening);			Routine Practice Continuous masking of staff and patient Testing based on clinical judgement
Acute loss of sense of smell or taste (new or worsening);			
Unusual fatigue, lack of energy (new or worsening);			
New onset of muscle aches;			
Loss of appetite (new or worsening);			
<b>Have you had <u>one or both</u> for more than 24hrs?</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Actions if "Yes"</b>
Vomiting and/or diarrhea			Droplet- Contact precautions (N95 for AGMPs or as based on PCRA)  Test respiratory and GI panel