

## COVID TESTING CLINIC FAQ's

### Where is the COVID Testing Clinic?

The COVID Testing Clinic is in the Pierson Rooms of the Mohr Student Center.

### What are the hours of the COVID Testing Clinic?

The COVID Testing Clinic is open by appointment only.

Monday - Friday

8:00AM - 4:00PM

### I missed my appointment. Can I reschedule?

Please email the COVID Testing Clinic at [clinic@mx.lakeforest.edu](mailto:clinic@mx.lakeforest.edu) to advise that you missed your appointment and inquire when you are able to be tested. Most likely you will be able to walk-in in the clinic the next day, but the clinic staff will confirm based on availability.

### How do I change my scheduled time?

Contact the COVID Testing Clinic at [clinic@mx.lakeforest.edu](mailto:clinic@mx.lakeforest.edu) on availability. At this time the appointment availability is limited to make changes to your routine test day/time.

### What test will I take each week?

Your COVID test will alternate approximately every-other-week between an Antigen test and a PCR test.

### What is required for the PCR (saliva) test?

Due to the special requirements of the PCR (saliva) test, we must ask that you refrain from the following activities prior to your appointment each week:

- Do not drink water for 10 minutes prior
- Do not drink other beverages nor eat any food for 30 minutes prior (includes chewing gum/eating candy, antacid, brushing teeth, medication, mouthwash)
- Do not smoke nor vape for 60 minutes prior

Failure to follow those instructions will require you to reschedule your appointment to a later time.

### When do I get my results?

No news is good news! The antigen test results are known within 15-20 minutes. The PCR (saliva) test results take 24-48 hours. **You will only receive a call or email from the COVID Testing Clinic if your test result is inconclusive or positive.**