

Laboratory Information 3/11/2020

State Laboratory

- Questions and concerns: phone (303) 692-3099, or email: cdphe.lab@state.co.us
- State Health Lab test requests submitted on LabOnline at: <https://labonline.cdphe.state.co.us/Account/SignIn>
- To request a LabOnline account, complete the following steps:
 1. LabOnline User Request form (link [here](#))
 2. Sign and return User Agreement (link [here](#)) to: marie-ange.smith@state.co.us
 3. Shortly after submitting your LabOnline User Request Form, you will receive an emailed response from the State Laboratory. This email will contain your username, temporary passcode and instructions on how to login and order tests.
- All specimen transport to the State Laboratory is through your routine courier shipping methods
- On-demand courier service is available on a case-by-case basis and requires prior authorization and extenuating circumstances by calling 303-815-7220
- Currently acceptable sample types include nasopharyngeal (NP) and/or oropharyngeal (OP) swabs in viral transport media.
- Additional sample types may be requested by CDPHE on a case-by-case basis (including lower respiratory specimens for patients with more severe illness). Store samples at 2-8 degrees celsius for up to 72 hours post collection; after 72 hours samples must be frozen.

LabCorp

- To order a 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) test: <https://www.labcorp.com/tests/139900/2019-novel-coronavirus-covid-19-naa>
- LabCorp does not collect specimens.
- Patients for whom testing has been ordered should not be sent to LabCorp locations.
- The specimen should be sent to LabCorp using standard procedures.
- Specimen and packaging guidance on LabCorp website.