

# TOWNSHIP OF EDISON HOSTS COVID-19 COMMUNITY WALK-UP TESTING EVENT CLINICALLY PERFORMED BY WELLCARE



<b>Monday May 3, 2021</b>	<b>10 am – 3 pm</b>
<b>Friday May 7, 2021</b>	<b>10 am – 3 pm</b>
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**Minnie B Veal Recreation Center - 1070 Grove Avenue, Edison, NJ 08817**

**Protect yourself, your loved ones, and your community by getting tested for COVID-19. You could have COVID-19 and not even know it. It's quick and easy.**

WellCare is being hosted by The Township of Edison to provide COVID-19 testing. **Our walk-up testing site is designed to provide a high level of safety for testing participants, the community and staff.**

We will be offering initial diagnostic testing for SARS-CoV-2, commonly referred to as Coronavirus (COVID-19). Tests will utilize the collection of an FDA approved nasopharyngeal (NP) swab specimen. Diagnostic testing is performed by FDA approved, Real Time Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR) platform.

### **What to expect when arriving at the testing site:**

- Test sites will be arranged in a way that all participants will be socially distanced at all times for the safety of all participants.
- Participants must wear masks and have available photo ID and all medical insurance cards ready for presentation until they are instructed to proceed to the first testing area.
- **In the first testing area**, participants will be asked medical questions and their vitals will be taken and recorded. A staff member will then instruct the participants to proceed to the **second testing area** where the nasal swab specimen will be collected.
- **The entire process should take approximately 5-10 minutes.** WellCare will notify all positive or inconclusive results within 24-36 hours.

### **What you need to bring**

- All participants will need to be wearing a mask covering their mouth and nose at all times while at the test location.
- **All participants will need to have their original state issued photo ID and all medical insurance cards.**
- With medical insurance there is no cost to you for participating in the COVID-19 testing event. We will only perform diagnostic medical services covered by your medical insurance. You will receive a statement from your insurance company - an explanation of Benefits (EOB) - which will itemize the services received, but it is not a bill.