

You've been identified as a close contact of someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 or someone with [COVID-19 symptoms](#) and you work in a highest risk setting.* Now what?

Does the COVID-19 positive/symptomatic person live with you?

No

Yes

Are you [fully vaccinated](#)?

No

Yes

- [Self-isolate](#) immediately for 10 days from your last exposure and until you have no fever and other symptoms are improving for 24 hours (or 48 hours for gastrointestinal symptoms).
- Get tested as soon as possible.
- Notify your employer and follow any work restrictions and early clearance guidance.

- [Self-monitor](#) for symptoms for 10 days.**
- If you are immunocompromised you should self-isolate for at least 10 days from your last exposure and until you have no fever and other symptoms are improving for 24 hours (or 48 hours for gastrointestinal symptoms).
- Get tested if recommended by the public health unit.
- If your test is **positive** you must self-isolate. Follow the guidance for cases.
- You should **NOT** attend work for 10 days from your last exposure.
- Report your exposure to your employer and follow any work restrictions. If there is a critical staff shortage, you may be able to attend work under work-self isolation.
- If you develop any [symptoms](#), get tested as soon as possible and [self-isolate](#) until you get your result.

- [Self-isolate](#) for the same amount of time as the positive/symptomatic person.**
- You should **NOT** attend work for 10 days from your last exposure.
- Notify your employer and follow any work restrictions. If there is a critical staff shortage, you may be able to attend work under work-self isolation.
- If you develop [symptoms](#), get tested and follow the guidance for cases.

*Highest risk settings include hospitals (including complex continuing care facilities and paramedic services) and congregate living settings, including Long-Term Care, retirement homes, First Nation elder care lodges, group homes, shelters, hospices, and correctional institutions.

Wear a well-fitted mask in public, physical distance and maintain other public health measures for 10 days following your last exposure if leaving home. You should **NOT visit any highest risk settings* or individuals who may be at higher risk of illness (i.e. seniors or immunocompromised) for 10 days from your last exposure.