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# News Release

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None

## **Community COVID-19 Testing Event Planned for October 1 in Linton**

**[LINTON, ND]** – Emmons County Public Health is hosting a community surveillance COVID-19 testing event on October 1 by their office at 118 E Spruce Avenue in Linton. The event will be conducted from 10 to 11 a.m., unless testing supplies are exhausted sooner. All testing events are subject to change.

Pre-registration for this event is available at <https://testreg.nd.gov/>. This process is not required to be completed in order to receive a test, but is recommended to speed up your overall testing event experience. Please complete the entire questionnaire. Pre-registration does not guarantee test availability.

On the day of the event, individuals tested are asked to come to ECPH, but remain in their vehicles. Nurses will conduct tests on those individuals in their vehicles. Response times for receiving test results may vary, depending on the capacity of the testing lab. Positive test results will be shared within 24-72 hours, while negative results may take five to seven days. For test result information, visit <https://www.health.nd.gov/diseases-conditions/coronavirus/symptoms-testing-care/test-results>.

For ongoing response efforts to the COVID-19 pandemic, the North Dakota Department of Health has provided a COVID-19 Hotline to help answer questions. You may call 1-866-207-2880, Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Individuals seeking medical advice should contact their healthcare provider.

Emmons County Public Health has provided a variety of COVID-19 information through its Facebook page. You can connect with them at [www.facebook.com/ecph.gov](https://www.facebook.com/ecph.gov) for updates about testing events. For more info about COVID-19, visit the [ND Department of Health website](#), [NDResponse.gov](https://www.nd.gov/ndresponse), or [CDC website](https://www.cdc.gov).

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