



# Macon County Public Health

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## Press Release

### **Macon County Public Health to stop PCR testing, but will be distributing free COVID-19 Antigen At-Home Test Kits**

Starting Monday, October 17, 2022, the Macon County Public Health will no longer be conducting COVID-19 PCR testing. Instead, free COVID Antigen at-home test kits (one per person) will be available at the Health Department.

Test kits are available via drive thru. The kits (available while supplies last) are provided by North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services for free and no ID or insurance is required. No appointment is necessary; public health staff will offer kits based on the below /drive-up schedule. Since at-home test kits do not require clinical supervision; a prescription from a health care provider is not required.

**Please let a nurse know if you are symptomatic or sick.**

#### **DRIVE THRU PICK UP TIMES**

<b>Mondays</b>	<b>8:30 am - 9:30 am</b>
<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>1:30 pm - 2:30 pm</b>
<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>1:30 pm - 2:30 pm</b>
<b>Fridays</b>	<b>8:30 am - 9:30 pm</b>