

Referring patients for in-home, paramedic COVID-19 testing

Criteria for in-home testing

Halton Region Community Paramedics Program (CPP) can provide in-home COVID-19 testing for your patient if they:

- have physical challenges/immobility issues and cannot be transported to the assessment center for testing or
- are symptomatic with COVID-19 like symptoms and cannot access private transport to the assessment center.

How to arrange in-home testing by paramedics

- Fill out the PHOL COVID-19 laboratory requisition form and fax it to 905-825-3853
- If the testing is for palliative or Long-Term Care Home admission (both time sensitive), write "urgent palliative" or "urgent LTCH admission" so that they can be prioritized appropriately
- The CPP team will get in touch with your patient to schedule the testing.