

(eligibility from publicly available information)

National Testing Landscape

	Projected daily maximum testing capacity	Actual Daily Patients Tested (average – April 20-26)	Who is eligible for testing?
British Columbia	6,000	1,644	Testing is recommended for anyone with cold, influenza or COVID-19-like symptoms, even mild ones
Alberta	7,000	4,019	Testing is available to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> any person exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 asymptomatic close contacts of confirmed COVID-19 cases asymptomatic workers and residents at outbreak sites
Saskatchewan	1,500	555	Testing is available and recommended for anyone with unexplained new or worsening symptoms (of any severity). To protect residents in long-term care or personal care homes, all residents will be tested upon admission or readmission to the facility. All residents and staff will be tested if an individual (staff or resident) within the facility is found to be COVID-19 positive.
Manitoba	1,700	439	Testing is available to anyone with COVID-19 symptoms, even mild ones.
Ontario	20,000	10,575	Testing is recommended for individuals presenting symptoms of COVID-19 who fall within one of the following 10 categories: hospital inpatients, residents of LTC or retirement homes, residents of congregate living settings and institutions, persons working in congregate living settings and institutions, healthcare workers and first responders, persons in the same household as healthcare workers and first responders, remote and Indigenous communities, priority populations requiring frequent contact with the healthcare system, essential workers, cross-border workers
Quebec	20,000	4,624	Testing is allocated to individuals presenting symptoms of COVID-19 based on the epidemiological profile in the region. Diagnostic testing priorities are for: symptomatic hospitalized patients or those requiring regular care in hospital settings,

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			symptomatic healthcare providers, residents and staff of LTC facilities and seniors residences on admission and upon identifying a non-isolated case, symptomatic workers from reopened services, symptomatic first responders, close contact of cases upon public health recommendation.
New Brunswick	1,000	299	Testing is available to those presenting COVID-19 symptoms upon recommendation of the healthcare provider
Nova Scotia	600	681	Testing is available to those presenting COVID-19 symptoms upon recommendation of the healthcare provider
Prince Edward Island	280	64	Testing is available for any person with COVID-19 symptoms or a close contact of a lab-confirmed case, all hospitalized patients with influenza-like illness, any ICU-admitted patient with respiratory symptoms, any healthcare worker with COVID-19 symptoms, healthcare workers who travel to PEI to work or who have travelled out of province, staff of the provincial microbiology lab, new residents of LTC facilities, any resident with COVID-19 symptoms, all staff and residents who are close contacts of a positive case, all LTC staff who work at more than 1 facility, patients transferring between healthcare facilities, temporary foreign workers prior to the end of their self-isolation period, essential workers who travel outside of PEI
Newfoundland and Labrador	800	201	Testing is available to those presenting two or more COVID-19 symptoms
Yukon		4	Testing is available to those presenting with one symptom of COVID-19 and if they have travelled outside the territory in the last 14 days or have had close contact with anyone who has travelled outside the territory. People with no travel history but who are experiencing fever, cough, or difficulty breathing can also be tested. Health care providers continue to have the discretion to make decisions about who is tested or not based on their clinical expertise.
Northwest Territories		9	Individuals with COVID-19 symptoms who a healthcare provider recommends be tested

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Nunavut		14	Testing is available to anyone with COVID-19 symptoms.
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