

New Mexico Schools COVID-19 Testing Program

The New Mexico Schools COVID-19 Testing Program is excited to announce a new opportunity to support our schools and districts during the next phase of the COVID-19 pandemic: **no-cost Over-the-Counter COVID-19 rapid antigen test kits for distribution to families and staff.**

A special webinar is being held by DOH and PED tomorrow, Thursday, March 17, 2022 at 10 a.m. to provide an overview of this new OTC option and answer questions about the new PED Toolkit. To join, visit this link. This webinar will be recorded.

To learn more about how Over-the-Counter test kits should factor into a school's overall pandemic response, visit the <u>Public Education Department Back-to-School Guidance page</u>.

How to Order

Schools can go to www.nmschoolscovidtesting.com/test-order to request OTC tests.

They may submit once per month; test kits will be delivered to any requested location. Sites do not need to have an active CLIA Certificate of Waiver to receive OTC test kits.

Instructional materials will be provided to support school and district communications to parents and staff. If your school or district would like to request a particular set of instructions or communications, contact info@nmschoolscovidtesting.com.



Come join us!

Did you know that we hold daily Office Hours at 3:30 p.m. over Zoom? Representatives from DOH, PMG, and Kesselman-Jones are available to answer your questions.

Join us for Office Hours

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