

COVID-19 Assessment Centres in York Region

Test All Physician Referrals

Update to York Region health care providers as of April 6, 2020

York Region Public Health has been in discussion with York Region hospitals regarding the COVID-19 Assessment Centres. As COVID-19 infections spread in our community, it's important to continue testing as many potential cases of COVID-19 as we can, to identify where the disease is located and limit additional infections. In particular, York Region Public Health has noted increased rates of disease transmission in the City of Vaughan and, to a lesser extent, Newmarket, Richmond Hill and Markham.

York Region Public Health has requested that COVID-19 Assessment Centres in York Region test any individual that is referred to them by a physician. Please use your clinical assessment in your practice and feel free to send your patients to their nearest COVID-19 Assessment Centre to confirm COVID-19 infections through testing.

As a reminder, [Mackenzie Health](#), [Southlake Regional Health Centre](#) and [Markham-Stouffville Hospital](#) have each opened their own COVID-19 Assessment Centres, adjacent to their respective hospitals.

For the most recent case definition of COVID-19, visit

http://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/pro/programs/publichealth/coronavirus/2019_guidance.aspx

For more information

Call our dedicated health professional COVID-19 line at **1-877-464-9675 ext. 77280** (8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week, after hours call 905-953-6478). Continue to visit york.ca/healthprofessionals, york.ca/covid19 and Ontario.ca/covid19 for up to date information on COVID-19.

