

At-a-Glance Risk Levels and Precautions for COVID-19

Risk Level	Description of Risk Level	Isolation Level	Public Health Unit (PHU) Responsibilities
Persons being tested for COVID-19	Any individual meeting the <u>case definition</u> for a person under investigation (PUI)	Self isolate	Assess and provide self-isolation information to PUI when notified of PUI and provide test result to PUI when reported Daily monitoring while test result is pending
	Individual undergoing testing who does not meet case definition for a PUI	Self isolate	Assess and provide self-isolation information to PUI when notified of PUI, and provide test result to PUI when reported Intermittent monitoring while test result is pending (at discretion of PHU)
High risk exposure	Recent travel to Hubei OR Known close contact with a case	Self isolate for 14 days from last known exposure	Intermittent monitoring (Days 1 & 14, plus intermittently at discretion of the PHU) If symptoms develop, manage as a PUI. If test is negative, individual is no longer a PUI, but should continue to self-isolate until 14 days from last exposure.
Medium risk exposure	Recent travel to mainland China OR Known non-close contact with a case	Self-monitor for symptoms for 14 days from last known exposure	Give instructions to self-monitor. If symptoms develop, manage as a PUI. If test is negative, individual is no longer a PUI, but should continue to self-monitor for 14 days from last exposure
Low/no risk exposure	No known contact with a case	None	Provide reassurance and provide general health advice. If travel abroad (other than mainland China) refer to PH Guidelines Table 3 (Page 19)

*This chart summarizes information for health units on PUIs, contacts of cases and returned travelers. The contents of this summary table are based on information provided in the Public Health Management of cases and contacts of COVID-19 in Ontario Version 4. For more detailed information, please refer to PUI guidance (page 7), contact management (page 13-17) and guidance for travelers (page 19).