When should I get tested? Close Contact

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When should you get tested for COVID-19?

You go to a friend’s house on a Friday night for dinner and games. You sit next to a friend who has COVID-19 but doesn’t know it yet. You learn Sunday afternoon that your friend just tested positive for COVID-19.

Get tested five days after close contact with someone who has COVID-19. In this case, you had close contact on Friday, so you should get tested Wednesday.

If you have close contact with someone with COVID-19, you may need to quarantine. Visit the MDH Close Contacts and Quarantine webpage for more information on wearing a mask around others and how long to stay home.

(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/close.html)

If you start to feel sick, get tested right away.

To learn more about other times when you should get tested, and where to get tested, visit the MDH COVID-19 Testing webpage.

(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/testsites/index.html)

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