

COVID-19 - Results in a Patient who has had multiple PCRs



This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to: verify that you have the latest results

Some patients may have had multiple COVID-19 samples sent for testing. This means some results **may still be pending** despite previous samples reported as negative. This is a guide on how to verify that you have the latest results.

1. Select the appropriate patient and select **Results Review** from the Navigation bar and click on the **Pathology** tab and look for 'COVID-19 NAD' OR look for 'Miscellaneous Test (incl. COVID-19)'

A COVID-19 result may appear as either of the following two results:

Path View	18/05/2020 18:53
General Path	
Misc. External Test (incl. COVID-19)	Misc. External Test (incl. COVID-19)

OR

Path View	19/05/2020 14:29
Microbiology	
COVID-19 NAD	Not Detected
COVID-19 NAD comm	COVID-19 NAD comm
Microbiology Specimen Site	Swab

2. Double click on the test to open the final report for review which may look like either of the following two results as this test can be run in house or externally:

Example 1 (VIDRL run test):

Document Type: Misc. External Test (incl. COVID-19)
Document Date: 18 May, 2020 19:14 AEST
Document Status: Auth (Verified)
Document Title/Subject: SU
Performed By/Author: 1390 -UNKNOWN, PERSONNEL on 19 May, 2020 17:08 AEST
Visit info: OPE11453716, Sunshine, Outpatient, 18/05/2020 -
Contributor system: WH_LAB

*** Final Report ***

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REFERRED WORK

The results for : Coronavirus
Have been received from : V.I.D.R.L.
DOHERTY INSTITUTE
792 ELIZABETH ST
MELBOURNE
VIC 3000
Phone: 0393429600

(No charge has been raised by us for collection or courier costs)

Western Health Respiratory

COVID-19 / SARS-CoV-2 Real-time PCR

Date	Sample Id	Spec Type	Spec Site
18.05.20	20204278	Swab	

RESULT: NOT DETECTED

Example 2 (WH run test):

Document Type: COVID-19 NAD comm
Document Date: 19/05/2020 14:29
Document Status: Auth (Verified)
Document Title/Subject: NCP
Performed By/Author: [Redacted]
Visit info: [Redacted]
Contributor system: WH_LAB

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COVID-19 virus (SARS-CoV-2) RT-PCR

Specimen: Swab

COVID-19 virus RNA: Not Detected



- To verify there are no pending COVID-19 orders, navigate to the **orders** tab, and in the **“view”** tab click **pathology**.

You can arrange the orders in alphabetical order by clicking on **Order Name**

Ensure your filter is set to Display: All Orders (All Statuses) this will bring up all pathology for this encounter .

Order Name	Status	Details
C-Reactive Protein (CRP) Blood	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 13/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
C-Reactive Protein (CRP) Blood	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 12/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
C-Reactive Protein (CRP) Blood	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 11/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
C-Reactive Protein (CRP) Blood	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, Clin Call Back: -, Special Instructions: -
Culture Blood	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, Body site: Peripheral, 10/05/2020 15:11:00, ONCE only, Clin Call Back: -
Culture Urine (MCS)	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Urine, Midstream, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, ONCE only, Clin Call Back: -, Special Instructions: -
Full Blood Examination (FBE)	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 12/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Full Blood Examination (FBE)	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 11/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Full Blood Examination (FBE)	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, Clin Call Back: -, Special Instructions: -
Lactate Level Blood Venous	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 11/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Lactate Level Blood Venous	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, Clin Call Back: -, Special Instructions: -
Liver Function Tests (LFTs)	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 13/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Liver Function Tests (LFTs)	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 12/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Liver Function Tests (LFTs)	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, Clin Call Back: -, Special Instructions: -
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Sputum	InProcess (Collected)	Collect Now, Spec Type: Sputum, 10/05/2020 20:05:00, Clin Call Back: Call inpatient treating team
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Swab	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Swab, 10/05/2020 15:46:00, Clin Call Back: -
Respiratory Virus NAD/PCR	Completed	Collect Nasopharyngeal and Oropharyngeal samples using a single Orange-top swab for both
Thyroid Function Tests (TFTs)	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Swab, 10/05/2020 16:12:00, ONCE only, Clin Call Back: -
Urea, Electrolytes and Creatinine (UEC)	InProcess (Collected)	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 12/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Urea, Electrolytes and Creatinine (UEC)	Completed	Phlebotomy Round, Spec Type: Blood, 12/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -
Urea, Electrolytes and Creatinine (UEC)	InProcess (Dispatched)	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 11/05/2020 06:00:00, Clin Call Back: -

- The date and time the order was for collection will be visible.

Liver Function Tests (LFTs)	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Blood, 10/05/2020 15:06:00, Clin Call Back: -, Special In
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Sputum	InProcess (Collected)	Collect Now, Spec Type: Sputum, 10/05/2020 20:05:00, Clin Call Back: Call inpat
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Swab	Completed	Collect Now, Spec Type: Swab, 10/05/2020 15:46:00, Clin Call Back: -

**** Ensure the most recent result corresponds to the most recent order date and time ****

- To further verify results are correct, ensure the **sample type** in the **report** corresponds to the **sample type** in the **order**.

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COVID-19 virus (SARS-CoV-2) RT-PCR

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COVID-19 virus RNA: Not Detected

Liver Function Tests (LFTs)	Completed	Collect Now,
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Sputum	InProcess (Collected)	Collect Now,
Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAD/PCR Swab	Completed	Collect Now,

- If unsure – CALL DOREVITCH (Footscray x57272, Sunshine x51488) to confirm the status of any orders.