

# UPDATE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)



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Dear Members,

Please see below for information on how to access free at-home rapid antigen COVID-19 tests being made available by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. *EOEA confirmed to us that all ALRs are eligible to request these tests.* The original message from EOEA and details on submitting a request and other important instructions can be accessed utilizing the links provided below.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts is making **at-home rapid antigen COVID-19 tests** available to Councils on Aging, Aging Services Access Points (ASAPs), Senior Affordable Housing Providers, Health Care Providers, and other Community-Based Organizations, **free of cost**, while supplies allow. Organizations can visit [bit.ly/covidtestrequestMA](https://bit.ly/covidtestrequestMA) to submit a request for up to 1,800 tests per physical location.

Requests will be processed on a **first-come, first-served basis** and delivered as soon as possible along with stickers noting extended expiration dates and treatment options.

More information about at-home COVID-19 tests, including links to instructions in multiple languages, can be found at <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/using-a-covid-19-self-test>.

[Executive Office of Elder Affairs](#)

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*If you have any questions, please contact us at [Mass-ALA@mass-ala.org](mailto:Mass-ALA@mass-ala.org)*

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