Ensuring Your Safety

Your participation in clinical trials helps bring medications, devices and vaccines to those who need them most. As a study participant, you play a pivotal role in the future of healthcare, and we are committed to continuing to provide the outstanding experience you’ve come to expect at Covance.

Your Safety Is Our Priority

Your safety during the COVID-19 pandemic is our priority. We’ll be taking these extra steps upon your arrival at the clinic, to ensure the health and well-being of all volunteers and staff members:

- SARS-CoV-2 (coronavirus) testing with results while you wait
- Frequent cleaning of high-touch surfaces
- Temperature check and a mask provided for you
- Social distancing throughout the clinic
- Screening questions about your health and possible exposure

COVID-19 Testing While You Wait

We are using the Accula™ SARS-CoV-2 test system in our U.S. clinics. The simple invasive nasal-swab test provides reliable results in as little as 30 minutes while you wait and helps:

- Determine if you have the coronavirus without making a separate visit to the clinic
- Enhance the safety of all study participants and clinic staff

Results in as little as 30 minutes
Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How is the COVID-19 test performed?
A: The test uses a simple nasal swab – not a deep nasal swab – so it should not be uncomfortable.

Q: When are masks required?
A: Participants must wear masks in all areas of the clinic, except in bedrooms or while eating, drinking, taking medications or showering.

Q: How does social distancing work in the clinic?
A: Clinics have reduced occupancy to allow 6-foot social distancing at all times, except during study procedures. Recreation times may be scheduled to comply with social distancing.

Q: How is cleanliness ensured?
A: Cleaning procedures are enhanced to include surfaces, door handles and clinical equipment. All participants and staff wash or sanitize hands upon clinical research unit entry and frequently while in the clinic.

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