



For Immediate Release

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Community Testing Offered with National Guard Assistance

St. Croix Tribal Health and Human Services and Burnett County Department of Health of Human Services have requested assistance from the National Guard to provide additional community based testing for our area. **Testing is free of cost.**

WHERE: 4404 State Road 70 Hertel, WI

WHEN: Friday, October 30, 2020 from 10am-6pm

Friday, November 13, 2020 from 10am-6pm

WHO: Anyone 5 years and older with current symptoms of fever, cough, loss of smell/taste, shortness of breath, sore throat, fatigue, body aches, diarrhea, vomiting and/or nausea, chills or muscle aches are eligible for nasal swab testing. Testing is also available to those who have been in close contact with positive COVID-19 cases.

Register: <https://register.covidconnect.wi.gov/en-US/>

Nasal swab testing is provided at this community collection site. Nasal swab testing is a test that is completed by swabbing just inside of an individual's nostril. Following testing, people should return straight home and isolate themselves until they receive their test results. Follow up instructions will also be provided to those seeking testing at the test site.

For further information on other community based testing sites within the region, please visit the Burnett County Public Health Facebook Page.