

Splatsin Contact Tracing

To reduce the spread of COVID-19



Contact Tracing by Interior Health is an important tool to help stop the spread of COVID-19 in our community. Splatsin Health Services supports Interior Health.



When a person tests positive for COVID-19 a public health nurse interviews them to identify people that they have been in contact with. These people are contacts.

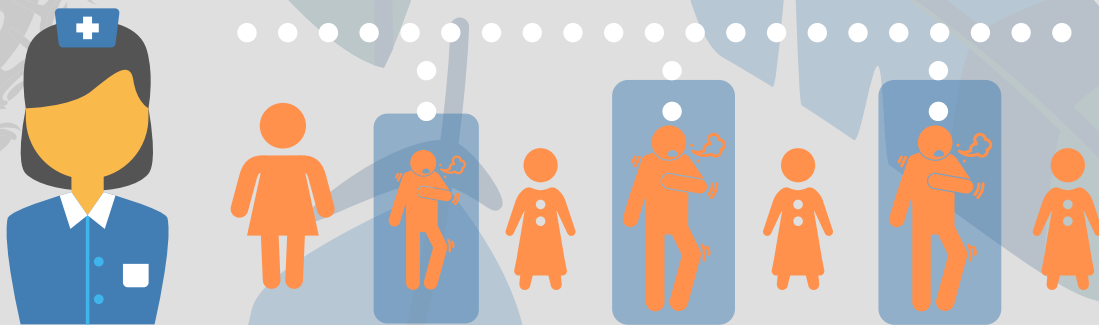


Only contacts who may have been exposed to the positive person's respiratory droplets from coughing, sneezing or speaking need to be identified.



A positive person can tell others that they have COVID-19 but they cannot do their own contact tracing.

Interior Health gets in touch with the contacts and asks them about symptoms of COVID-19.



Contacts with symptoms are sent for testing.



When a contact tests positive, the whole process repeats to identify their contacts.

Contacts with no symptoms are asked to self-isolate for 14 days since their last contact with the positive person and monitor for symptoms.



Contact tracing helps people get diagnosed earlier and reduces the chance of spreading the virus. If you get sick you can help by telling Interior Health about your contacts.



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