

## LICENSING TEAM

### Southampton & Eastleigh Licensing Partnership

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Our ref: **Asymptomatic testing**

Please ask for: Taxi Licensing

### **Asymptomatic testing available for Taxi & Private Hire Drivers at The Point, Leigh Road, Eastleigh SO50 9DE**

#### **Please share with this information with drivers**

As 1 in 3 people show no symptoms of the Coronavirus, testing is the only way we know for sure we are not unknowingly spreading it. The testing centre is open to anyone who needs to leave their homes for work. (open Mon-Sat 8am-4pm) You can book your test using the link below:

[www.eastleigh.gov.uk/CommunityTestingEastleigh](http://www.eastleigh.gov.uk/CommunityTestingEastleigh)

#### **Who can be tested?**

1. Adults who live or work with primary or secondary school age children, or those part of a childcare support bubble, can now use our testing centre too. Secondary age children should continue to get their tests via their schools. Tests at the testing centre should only be booked by people aged 16 and over
2. People who live or work in the Borough and cannot work from home, suggested list below
  - Care home staff who cannot access testing at work
  - Children's social workers and associated staff
  - Communal living establishments e.g. hostels, YMCA etc
  - Construction workers, trades and delivery drivers
  - Education or childcare settings not covered by existing schools testing e.g. early years and nursery workers, children homes, childminders, school nurses, specialist teachers and service staff (including catering and transport staff not employed directly by a school), volunteers who support these services
  - Emergency workers (police, fire, prison)
  - Essential manufacturing and distribution
  - Essential retail – including click and collect venues
  - Health visitors
  - Home care workers
  - Informal carers and support workers
  - Medium sized local businesses (generally businesses between 50 and 250 staff) unable to practically access testing
  - Opticians and optician staff
  - Postal workers
  - Public sector workers unable to work from home

- Road transport drivers and other drivers and transport operatives e.g. public transport, taxi firms, couriers, community transport etc
- Religious staff
- Road maintenance
- Security and grounds persons
- Small or local businesses (generally less than 50 staff), sole traders or self-employed citizens
- Social care workers
- Supported living workers
- Undertakers, mortuary, and crematorium assistants
- Utility workers e.g. telephone, power, and water etc
- Vets and veterinary staff
- Waste management e.g. refuse and salvage occupations, street cleaners.

The testing centre is open Monday to Saturday from 8am - 4pm

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