

Coronavirus



The Coronavirus is a new illness.



It is like a bad cold or flu.

You might get sick if someone who is sick:



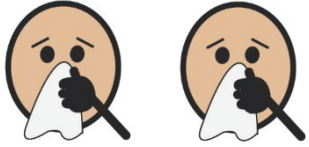
- Coughs or sneezes on you



- Touches you



- Touches something and you also touch it



You might make other people sick if you do these things when you are sick.

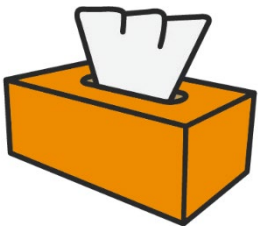
Some things you can do to stop getting it or giving it to other people are:



- Wash your hands lots of times. Count to 20 when you do it.



- If you cannot wash your hands, use hand sanitiser.



- If you cough or sneeze, try to catch it in a tissue and throw the tissue away

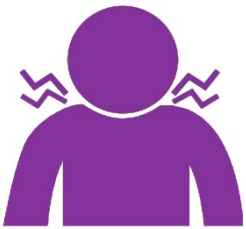


- Do not touch your face or eyes with your hands

The things you might feel if you have Coronavirus are:



- Fever (high temperature)



- Sore throat

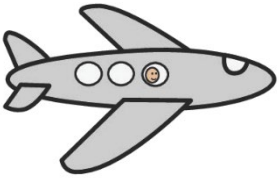


- Cough



- Trouble breathing

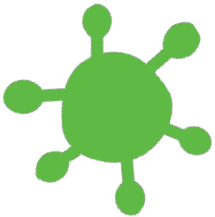
If you feel any of these things **and** have



- been in another country



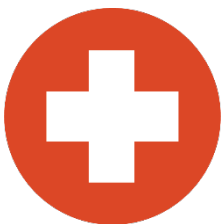
- been close to someone who has Coronavirus



You might have Coronavirus.



If you think you might have Coronavirus, stay at home and:



- Call your doctor

- There are some places set up for Coronavirus where you can get tested

Learn about them here

https://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Articles/A_E/COVID-clinics



- Call HealthDirect on 1800 022 222 to talk to a nurse



- If you are feeling very sick or finding it very hard to breathe, call an ambulance on 000



The below links also have information about the Coronavirus and what you should do.

<https://www.healthdirect.gov.au/coronavirus>

<https://www.health.gov.au/news/health-alerts/novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov-health-alert>

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>