

# Testing Task Force Update

New PCR tests reported: 108,670

Down from peak of ~362,000 tests/day in early January

Average test positivity

past 7 days : **0.8%**

down 0.1% from last week

Average test turnaround time last week:

- **0.8 days**
- **< 2 days: 97%**
- **< 1 day: 86%**

Supplies:

- **Swabs: 13.8 million**
- **Transport media: 9.9 million**
- **BinaxNow Antigen tests: 3.9 million**

Reported May 26, 2021 with data as of May 25, 2021.

<https://covid19.ca.gov/state-dashboard/> <https://testing.covid19.ca.gov/>

# Antigen Testing Program

**Testing.covid19.ca.gov, click on start testing**

## **Free BINAXnow Antigen Tests**

Symptomatic individuals

Asymptomatic individuals  $\geq 2x$  / week

Pre-entry screening, visitor testing for SNFs

Confirm with PCR:

All positive antigen tests

Symptomatic negative antigen tests

Setup relationship with Valencia Branch Laboratory for confirmatory testing

# Resources

- Website: <https://testing.covid19.ca.gov>
- Application: <https://testing.covid19.ca.gov/antigen-apply/>
- Flyer: [What type of testing would you like to provide? | California Coronavirus Testing Task Force](#)