## t VS Antibody Test Molecular

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), there are two kinds of tests available for COVID-19: viral test and antibody test. The viral or molecular test determines if a patient is actively infected with SARS-CoV-2, samples are collected through nasopharyngeal swabbing. On the other hand, the antibody or serology test also known as test for past infection, reveals if a patient has been exposed to the virus through blood samples.

## Molecular PCR (Nasal Swab) Test





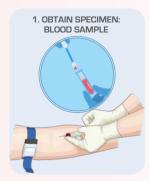
COVID-19 swab sample

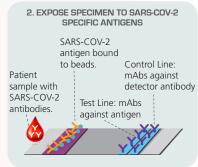


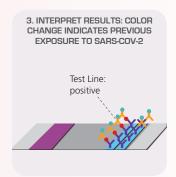


Viral Testing (Nucleic Acid Detection) Diagnose Active SARS-CoV-2 Infections

# Antibody (Blood Work) Test







Antibody Test (Serology) Detect Immune Response to SARS-CoV-2 Exposure

Source: American Society for Microbiology

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