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Test Type Interpretation

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In previous systems, a generic test type such as PCR, antigen, or antibody was typically used. In ShowMe WorldCare, reports received via electronic messaging provide the exact test name. The information below indicates how to interpret some of the more common test types.

NOTE: For COVID-19, a home test would not be considered to fall within any of these three categories and should be classified as a Home Test in ShowMe WorldCare.

PCR

Real Time Reverse Transcriptase PCR

RT-PCR

RNA

NAAT

DNA

RdRp

LAMP

Rapid PCR

Abbott ID Now

Gene Xpert

Xpert Xpress

CEPHEID

BioFire

TaqPath

Antigen

Ag

Sofia

Abbott BinaxNow

BD Veritor

CareStart

Antibody

IgG

IgM

IgA

Total antibody

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