

## **Local COVID-19 Testing Sites & Information**

Note: Health plans are **required** to cover COVID-19 tests at no cost to the enrollee. It is recommended that you first contact your healthcare provider for a COVID-19 test.

If you are unable to get a test from your healthcare provider, the County of San Diego (County) has coordinated free diagnostic COVID-19 testing at many locations. These tests take about 5-10 minutes. Results generally come back in approximately 3 days.

For more information regarding COVID-19 testing, you may direct individuals to the San Diego County COVID-19 website (The above information was directly copied from this page.):  
[https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community\\_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/testing.html](https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/testing.html)

### **State Testing Sites** – The closest testing site to campus has been put in bold type.

State-run testing sites do not require a referral from a doctor. All state-run testing sites will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. open on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. If you are unable to [schedule online](#), call [\(888\) 634-1123](tel:8886341123). **Testing is free.**

- Chula Vista testing site, 565 Broadway, Chula Vista, CA 91910
- Kimball Senior Center, 1221 D Ave, National City, CA 919150
- **California Center for the Arts, Escondido Center Theater, 260 N. Escondido Blvd. Escondido CA 92025**
- San Diego County Assessor Office, 200 S. Magnolia Avenue, El Cajon, CA 92020
- San Ysidro Civic Center, 212 West Park Ave. San Ysidro, CA 92173

### **County Testing Sites** -- The closest testing site to campus has been put in bold type.

County-run testing sites do not require a referral from a doctor. An appointment is not required at all County testing locations. The county recommends residents to first call their health care provider for a testing appointment. Those without or who could not secure an appointment through their health care provider can schedule a test [online](#) or by calling 211 and asking for the Nurse Triage Line. **Testing is free.**

#### **North County Testing Sites**

- **California Center for the Arts, Escondido Center Theater, 260 N. Escondido Blvd, Escondido CA, 92025**

**Walk-in testing will be held Tuesday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.**

- County Fire - Deer Springs Boulder Oaks Golf Club, 10333 Meadow Glen Way, Escondido, CA 92026
  - **One day testing site:** The days this testing site is available varies. Please check the [county website here](#) for more info on when testing will be available at this location.
- North Coastal Live Well Health Center, 1701 Mission Ave. Oceanside, CA 92058
  - Drive-up testing will be held Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Cal State San Marcos' Viasat Building, 333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Road, San Marcos, CA 92078
  - Walk-up testing will be held seven days a week from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. No appointment is necessary
- County Fire - Valley Center Elementary, 28751 Cole Grade Rd, Valley Center, CA 92082
  - **One day testing site:** The days this testing site is available varies. Please [check the county website here](#) for more info on when testing will be available at this location.

(source: NBC San Diego website -- <https://www.nbcsandiego.com/news/local/state-run-county-testing-sites-around-sd-county/2327288/> )

## **Other Local Testing Sites**

*For Veterans only:*

Escondido VA Clinic, 815 E Pennsylvania Ave, Escondido, CA 92025

Open 7:30am – 4:30pm, Monday – Friday

We offer diagnostic testing for Veterans who are enrolled in VA health care and meet the [CDC testing criteria](#). At this time, we're not charging a copay for testing.

**To get a test, you must have an appointment.**

(Visit <https://www.va.gov/coronavirus-veteran-frequently-asked-questions/> for more information.)

*OPTUMServe State COVID-19 Testing Services:*

340 N Escondido Blvd., Escondido, CA 92025

Open 7am – 7pm, Tuesday – Saturday

**You must visit their website to register and schedule an appointment ahead of time.**

<https://lhi.care/covidtesting>

*To search for local testing sites in California by city/zip code, you can also visit:*

<https://www.arcgis.com/apps/Nearby/index.html?appid=43118dc0d5d348d8ab20a81967a15401>