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# Standard Operating Procedure

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| SUBJECT: Direct Admission COVID testing requirements | REVISION DATE: |
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| | Direct Admission from other Healthcare Facility |
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| 1 | COVID test required prior to arrival, unless transfer is emergent. Use algorithm below to determine if antigen or PCR test is required. |
| 2 | If the transfer is emergent, the patient is placed in the COVID unit as a PUI, in a private room. Antigen test with reflex is ordered upon admission. |
| 3 | If a PCR test is needed but the sending facility does not have PCR testing available, the patient should be admitted to a private room on the COVID unit, as a PUI. Appropriate testing ordered upon admission. |
| | Direct Admission from Home |
| 1 | The patient is placed in a private room on the COVID unit, as a PUI. Antigen test with reflex is ordered upon admission. |