

Alert

If you have traveled from affected areas with ongoing community spread of COVID-19 (the novel coronavirus) in the last 14 days:

There is an outbreak of a new illness called COVID-19 caused by a novel (new) coronavirus which can cause moderate to severe respiratory illness. If you have developed a fever, cough or have trouble breathing **seek medical care right away.**

- Call before going to your healthcare provider, urgent care or emergency room.
- Tell them the symptoms you are experiencing.
- Wear a mask before entering the clinic.
- Hand them this card.

For Triage Staff/Clinicians:

- Use Standard, Contact and Airborne precautions and eye protection.
- Place the patient in an Airborne infection Isolation Room (AIIR) if possible. If not available, place patient in a private examination room with the door closed. Do not use the room for other patients until the local health department advises it is permissible.
- Notify infection control and your state/local health department immediately.
- Local health department contacts:
<https://www.nyscho.org/directory/>

For more information

www.cdc.gov/nCoV

health.ny.gov/coronavirus