



COVID-19 Testing For Travellers in Phase 5b

Guidance for people using a taxi to travel to the testing site at the Princess Elizabeth Hospital

This guidance will provide guidance for people who fit the criteria below

- They require testing at the drive-through site at the Princess Elizabeth Hospital
- They have NO symptoms of COVID-19 (a new continuous cough, a sore throat, muscle aches, headache/sinus pain, a fever, a high temperature, shortness of breath)
- They have no transport of their own and cannot access a lift to the testing centre from a member of their household

If a person fulfils these three criteria they may use a taxi to get to their test appointment.

What guidance do people getting tested need to follow?

They must

- Inform the taxi company they are booking to go for a COVID-19 test at the hospital drive-through
- Wear a face mask throughout the journey
- Sanitise hands before entering the taxi
- Keep the car windows down throughout the journey
- Follow other instructions given by the taxi driver
- Sit in the back seat behind the driver

On arrival at the PEH the taxi driver should drive into car park C where they will be greeted by a porter and directed into the drive through testing centre. Both passenger and driver should remain in the vehicle until directed otherwise.

When the taxi is in the testing facility the person requiring a test will be asked to step out of the taxi and informed where to stand/sit for the test to take place. The individual being tested must keep their mask in place until instructed to remove it by a member of the testing team.

Once the swab has been taken the individual must replace their mask and sanitise their hands. They should then get back into the taxi and continue to follow the above guidance until they are back at their place of residence.

Which taxi companies can I use?

The States of Guernsey do not endorse any particular company. The companies below are listed in alphabetical order and all have agreed to offer this service at the time of publication. This information is provided to assist those who may not be familiar with the taxi companies available in Guernsey



Owner/Operator	Contact Number
A & S Taxis	07781 125544
Andy Walford (AJ Taxis)	07781 415100
Barry Harris (Bazzas Taxis)	07781 169700
Colin Bush (Busheys Taxis)	07781 159799
Glen Pontin (Guernsey Taxis)	07781 154254
Henry Hulme	07781 143433
Ian Vaudin (Donkey Taxis)	07839 747667
Island Taxis	01481 700500
John Bishop (Johns Taxis)	07781 112048
Kevin Le Tissier	07781 103135
Peter Blondel (ABCAB)	07781 134555
Prestige Taxi Services	07781 115522
Richard Guerin (A2B Taxis)	07781 104939
Sarah Flouquet (SJ Taxis)	07781 130000
Steve Bichard	07781 133828