

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Symptoms

Reported illnesses have ranged from **mild symptoms to severe illness** and death for confirmed coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) cases.

Symptoms may appear **2-14 days after exposure***:

- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath



Call your healthcare professional if you develop symptoms, and have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or if you have recently traveled from an area with [widespread or ongoing community spread of COVID-19](#).

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**This is based on what has been seen previously as the incubation period of [MERS-CoV](#) viruses.*

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CORONAVIRUS DISEASE
2019 (COVID-19)

SYMPTOMS* OF CORONAVIRUS DISEASE

Patients with COVID-19 have reportedly had mild to severe respiratory illness. Symptoms can include

- Fever
- Cough

Shortness of breath

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