





Coronavirus





Coronavirus is a new illness.



The signs of coronavirus are like other illnesses such as a cold or the flu.

This might mean you may have

- a cough
- a high temperature
- or find it hard to breathe

These signs do not mean you have coronavirus.



We do not know much about the coronavirus at the moment.



Call 111 if you think you might have coronavirus or if you have been with someone who has coronavirus.



You should call 111 if you have been away to the places where people have had coronavirus.

If you are unsure go to this website:

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/advice-for-travellers/







How to stop catching or spreading germs



Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze.



Put used tissues in the bin straight away.



Then wash your hands with soap and water straight away.

Learn how to wash your hands from the Purple All Stars:

https://vimeo.com/134952598



Try to stay away from people who are unwell.



Unless you have just washed your hands you should try to not touch your face.



If you have called 111 about coronavirus, you may be asked to stay away from other people.

This may be called self-isolation.



This means you should stay at home and cannot go out.







What does self-isolation mean?



Do not go to work, school or public places.



Do not use a bus, trains or taxis.



You may need to do this for up to 14 days and the NHS will give you further advice if this needs to happen.

If you have coronavirus



Antibiotics do not help, as they do not work against viruses.



There is no treatment for coronavirus at the moment.

You will be given treatment for the symptoms.



Some people can have coronavirus but have no symptoms.



You will need to stay away from other people until you are better. If you are supported by carers please see this advice: Click here.