

Western Health ED COVID Screening Alert

COVID - 19

Please NOTE the process for screening patients at Triage to stream them into High V Low Risk zones

Please ask the following question:

1. Within the last month, has the Department of Health or anyone else contacted you to let you know that you or someone in your family or household may have been in close contact with someone who has Coronavirus or COVID-19 or that you may be part of a suspected cluster or outbreak of coronavirus?
 - o If **yes** the patient should be streamed and managed as **High Risk COVID**.

Please place all patients who have had contact in the High Risk Area – and consider them to be in ‘Quarantine’ for COVID-19.

Figure 1: Emergency Medicine COVID 19 High Risk and Low Risk sorting Algorithm

