



What should I do if have been in contact with someone diagnosed with COVID-19?

You have been in **close contact** with someone if you didn't use protective measures correctly within 48 hours before the onset of his/her COVID-19 symptoms, or within 48 hours before his/her positive test to COVID-19 if he/she is an asymptomatic person, and:

You were providing personal care for that person, or in contact with his/her secretions or body fluids



Healthcare /Social services/Household settings

You shared the same place, at a distance of less than 2 meters, and for a total time of more than 15 minutes in 24 hours



Community settings

If you have had **close contact**, you should follow these recommendations:

Stay at home, preferably in your room, for 10 days after your last contact with that person

Avoid leaving your room as much as possible and prevent physical contact with people living in your household

Strictly follow the prevention measures. If you have to leave you room, wear a surgical mask

Monitor the onset of any symptom (fever, cough, shortness of breath) during the 10 quarantine days and the following 4 days

Wash your hands frequently

If possible, do not share the bathroom with other people living with you



You must organize yourself so as to avoid going out of your home, unless it is strictly necessary. In that case, wear **surgical mask**.



- If you experience any symptoms, call your health center or [the hotline of your Autonomous Community](#) and inform that you are a contact.
- If you experience shortness of breath, worsening of symptoms or feeling heaviness, call 112
- For more information see the [“Recommendations for home isolation in mild cases of COVID-19”](#).