Which COVID-19 Test is Best for Me?

	PCR Test in SHAW	PCR Test Test Iowa	Antigen Rapid Test At Home Kit
Symptomatic without history of infection or positive test in the last 90 days	√	√	√
Symptomatic with history of infection or positive test in the last 90 days			✓
Official documentation needed of negative or positive test If you tested positive within the previous 90 days and subsequently recovered and remain without COIVD-19 symptoms you do not need to get tested.	✓	✓	
Asymptomatic with exposure and history of recent infection or positive test in the past 90 days At least 5 days after your last close contact with someone with COVID-19	No need to test! Monitor for symptoms. If you experience any COVID-19 symptoms, schedule an appointment with SHAW.		
Asymptomatic with exposure and have not tested positive in the past 90 days At least 5 days after your last close contact with someone with COVID-19	√	✓	
Symptomatic with exposure and have not tested positive in the last 90 days	√	√	✓
If you are experiencing severe symptoms* please call your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you. *trouble breathing, persistent pain or pressure in the chest, new confusion, inability to wake or stay awake, pale, gray, or blue-colored skin, lips, or nail beds, depending on skin tone	Contact SHAW, a local provider, or a walk-in clinic right away if any experiencing any of these symptoms.		

