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**COVID-19 Testing** 

## To reduce wait times, register online before going to a testing clinic

**Saint-Jérôme, April 8, 2021** – Due to exceptional demand, wait times at our COVID-19 testing clinics have increased significantly. The Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) des Laurentides is asking anyone wishing to get tested for COVID-19 to register online before going to a clinic.

For instructions visit the COVID-19 section of the CISSS des Laurentides website or go directly to the testing section at https://www.santelaurentides.gouv.qc.ca/english/ to register online.

Registering online is easy to do from home and reduces time spent at the testing clinic. Once you arrive, your file will be retrieved by swiping your health insurance card.

Persons without internet access who are unable to register online can still get tested but should expect it to take more time.

Check wait times before going to get tested and be advised that, exceptionally, opening hours have been extended.

The CISSS des Laurentides reminds the public that it is vitally important to get tested as soon as symptoms appear. For opening hours and addresses of our testing clinics, visit the COVID-19 section of the CISSS website at santelaurentides.gouv.qc.ca.