

# COVID-19 Testing Sunday at New Bedford Airport Canceled Due to Blizzard

The COVID-19 testing clinic scheduled for Sunday, Jan. 30, at New Bedford Regional Airport has been canceled due to the blizzard forecast for late Friday through Saturday in the region.

Project Beacon's appointment-based COVID-19 testing at New Bedford Regional Airport—part of the state's Stop the Spread program—could resume its regular schedule Monday, if conditions allow. Everyone with a test appointment for Sunday has been notified and provided with rescheduling assistance, a Project Beacon official said Friday.

Appointments for free COVID-19 tests can be made at [beacontesting.com](https://beacontesting.com). Airport officials ask that people reach the site via the airport's side entrance on Downey Street.

Contact Project Beacon by email at [help@beacontesting.com](mailto:help@beacontesting.com); or by calling 617-741-7310.

The availability of Monday's testing clinic provided by Seven Hills Behavioral Health at former Fire Station 11 in the South End—walk-up, with no appointment necessary—also will depend on weather conditions over the weekend.

For rapid tests, the federal government is offering free at-home test kits online, at [COVIDtests.gov](https://COVIDtests.gov). Every home in the U.S. is eligible to order four free at-home COVID-19 tests. If you test positive with a rapid test, isolate for at least five days and notify close contacts. State guidance on isolation and quarantining can be found [here](#).

If you test negative, re-testing a day or more later is advised, particularly if you have symptoms or a known exposure

to the virus.

Testing sites in New Bedford and surrounding towns can be found on the state's Stop the Spread website, [www.mass.gov/info-details/find-a-covid-19-test](http://www.mass.gov/info-details/find-a-covid-19-test).

Upcoming testing locations in New Bedford include:

Monday, Jan. 31 (if conditions allow):

Project Beacon at New Bedford Regional Airport (1569 Airport Road) – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Former Fire Station 11 (754 Brock Ave.) – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 1:

Project Beacon at New Bedford Regional Airport (1569 Airport Road) – 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Former Fire Station 11 (754 Brock Ave.) – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 2:

Project Beacon at New Bedford Regional Airport (1569 Airport Road) – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Seven Hills at PAACA (360 Coggeshall St.) – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 3:

Project Beacon at New Bedford Regional Airport (1569 Airport Road) – 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Former Fire Station 11 (754 Brock Ave.) – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 4:

Former Fire Station 11 (754 Brock Ave.) – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 6:

Project Beacon at New Bedford Regional Airport (1569 Airport Road) – 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.