3 TYPES OF COVID-19 TESTING

	MOLECULAR TEST	ANTIGEN TEST	ANTIBODY TEST
What is it?	A diagnostic test that can detect active infection	A diagnostic test that can detect active infection quickly	A test that detects antibodies the immune system created in response to pat infection
What kind of sample is taken?	Nasal or throat swab	Nasal or throat swab	Blood draw
How accurate is it?	Highly accurate	Positive results are highly accurate, but negative results may need confirmation from a molecular test	Occasionally, a second antibody test is needed for better accuracy

Source: FDA

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