



## News Brief

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### Overwhelming Response at Drive-through COVID-19 Testing Site

**BILLINGS, MT** – Today RiverStone Health began offering free drive-through COVID-19 testing weekday mornings in the parking lot of the Shrine Auditorium. The response to the first day of testing was overwhelming.

Additional RiverStone Health staff were called in to support the testing effort. Because of the demand for testing, the drive-through lanes were closed at 11 a.m. to ensure those already in line could get tested.

A total of 237 people were tested today. Because of staffing capacity, only 175 tests will be available each day at the testing site.

Testing breakdown is as follows:

- 80 symptomatic tests
- 157 asymptomatic tests

Testing for those with a prescription from RiverStone Health will be held from 9 to 10 a.m. Testing for the general public begins at 10 a.m. The tests for the general public are available on a first-come, first-served basis. The testing site will close at 12:30 p.m. for the day

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