

# **LUCIRA**<sup>™</sup>

**COVID-19 & FLU TEST** 

# Is it Covid or Flu?

Know for sure. Know now.

Lucira is the only *all-in-one molecular*COVID-19 & flu test that delivers **PCR-quality accuracy** in 30 minutes or less



# It's Not "Just the Flu"

Lower respiratory infections are the world's most deadly communicable disease and rank as the **4th leading cause of death**.

https://www.who.int/news-room/fact-sheets/detail/the-top-10-causes-of-death



### Children + Flu

Influenza can **kill 100 or more children** in the US per year in a bad flu season.

https://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/index.htm

### Diabetes + Flu

3X more likely to be **hospitalized**4X more likely to be **admitted to the ICU** 

https://dlabeteslournals.org/care/article/33/7 //49/3939//Diabetes-and-the-Severity-of-Pandemic-Influenza-A https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC7780362/

### Cardiac Issues + Flu

10X more likely to have a *first* heart attack 8X more likely to have a *first* stroke

https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/ne1moal702090 https://erj.ersjournals.com/content/51/3/1701794.short

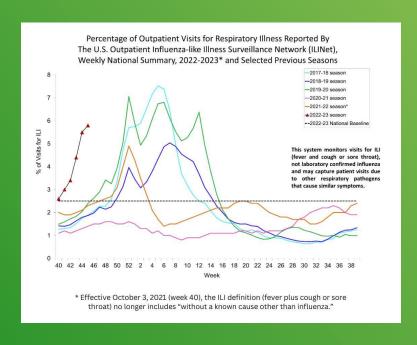
Both COVID-19 and influenza can cause significant inflammation, leaving people more susceptible to other infections or pathogens.

## Prepare for a Difficult Flu Season

### How bad could it be?

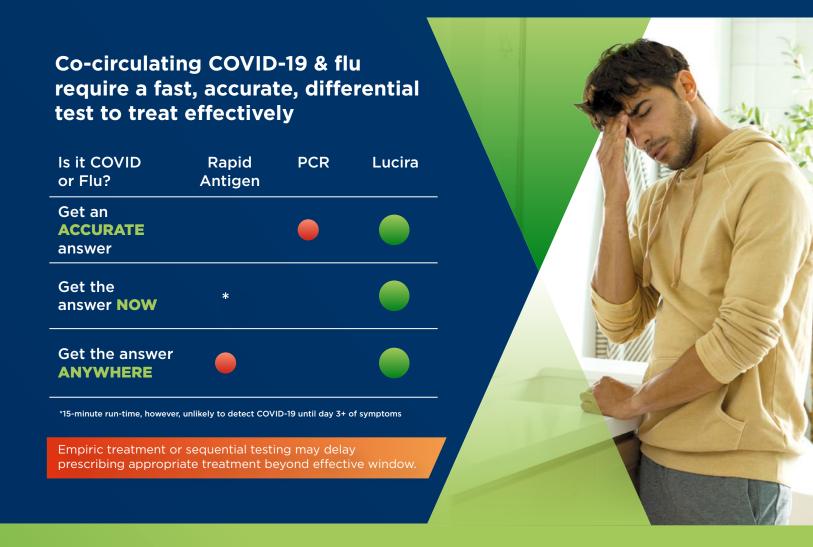
"Not since the 2009 H1N1 swine flu pandemic has there been such a high burden of flu, a metric the CDC uses to estimate a season's severity based on laboratory-confirmed cases, doctor visits, hospitalizations and deaths."

Lack of exposure to the flu virus during the COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in **lowered immunity** in the population, and **reduced masking** and **decreased social distancing** could increase transmission.



https://www.washingtonpost.com/health/2022/10/28/flu-season-2022-cdc/

## Is it Covid? Flu? Both?



COVID-19 and flu have many of the same symptoms. **Testing** is required to confirm a diagnosis and treat the illness. The Lucira test can also detect if someone has Covid and flu at the same time.

## Know for sure.

Lucira COVID-19 & Flu Test performed comparably in head-to-head clinical trial and surrogate studies compared to highly sensitive lab-based PCR

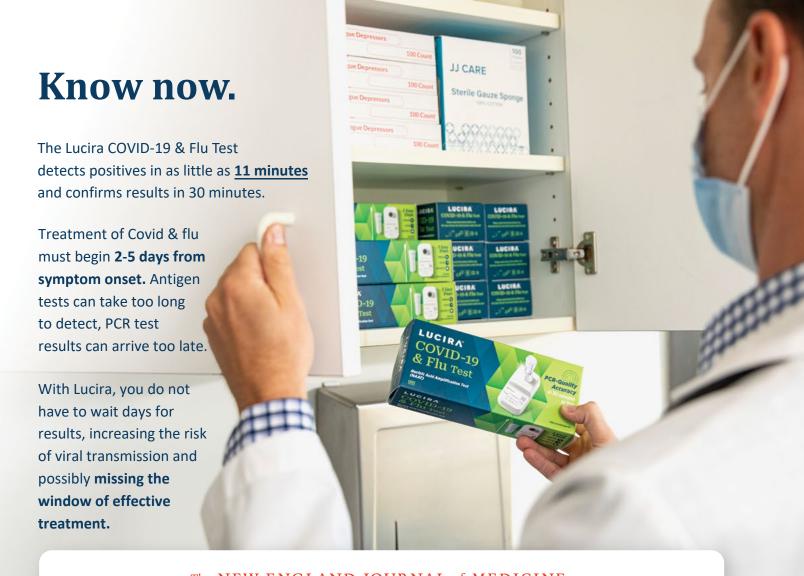
Lucira COVID-19 & Flu Prospective Clinical Study Results	Positive Percent Agreement (PPA)	Negative Percent Agreement (NPA)
COVID-19 (Study 1)	<b>94.1%</b> (48/51)	98.0% (49/50)
COVID-19 (Study 2)	100.0% (2/2)	100.0% (235/235)
Influenza A	91.4% (32/35)	99.8 <b>%</b> (422/423)
Influenza B	N/A* (0/0)	100.0% (240/240)

<sup>\*</sup> Minimal Influenza B in circulation during the clinical trial period

Lucira COVID-19 & Flu Surrogate Sample Testing Study Results	Positive Percent Agreement (PPA)	Negative Percent Agreement (NPA)	
COVID-19	98.2% (108/110)	100.0% (296/296)	
Influenza A	100.0% (59/59)	99.7% (347/348)	
Influenza B	97.6% (40/41)	99.5 <b>%</b> (363/365)	

Competitors: Roche cobas SARS-CoV-2 Test and Quidel

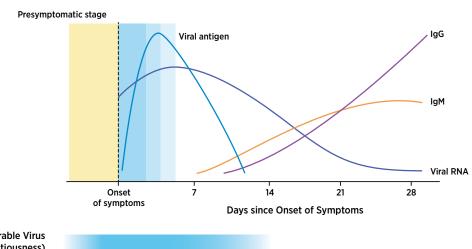




### The NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL of MEDICINE

## Rapid Diagnostic Testing for SARS-CoV-2

Pathophysiology and Timeline of Viremia, Antigenemia, and Immune Response during Acute SARS-CoV-2 Infection



Culturable Virus (correlate of infectiousness)

Positive RT-PCR Test

**Positive Antigen Test** 





Treatment must start within first few days of symptom onset



PCR tests can take too long to receive results



Rapid antigen tests can take too long to begin detecting



# MOLECULAR TESTS ARE PROVEN TO BE More Sensitive and Specific than Antigen Tests

Robust NIH-sponsored head-to-head study of at-home antigen tests and lab-based PCR assays

PUBLICATION PENDING

Sensitivity	Symptomatic	Asymptomatic	Asymptomatic excluding singleton PCR+*
Starting day of PCR+ (D0)			
1 test, DO	59.6%	9.3%	11.7%
2 tests, D0 + D2	96.2%	39.3%	50.7%
3 tests, D0 + D2 + D4	93.6%	56.4%	74.6%
Aggregate of DO-6			
1 test	82.5%	34.2%	38.5%
2 tests, 48 hours	93.4%	55.6%	62.9%
3 tests, 96 hours	94.8%	68.8%	79.2%

<sup>\*</sup> Singleton PCR+ is a single positive PCR test preceded and followed by negative PCR tests

Title: Performance of Screening for SARS-CoV-1 2 using Rapid Antigen Tests to Detect Incidence of Symptomatic and Asymptomatic SARS-CoV-2 Infection: findings from the Test Us at Home prospective cohort study<sup>1</sup>

Status: Pre-print, Funding: NIH, Timing: October 2021 to February 2022, N=7,361

### **RAPID ANTIGEN TEST SENSITIVITY:**

- Single test symptomatic 60-83%; asymptomatic 9-34%
- 2 tests 48 hours apart symptomatic 92%
- 3 tests 96 hours apart asymptomatic 75-80%.

#### **Practical Interpretation**

If 150 people are screened with a single rapid antigen test and 15 of them are in their first week of a COVID infection...



1 of 5 symptomatic will test negative

### Based on this study...

5 will have symptoms early in their infection / 10 will not have symptoms

7 of 15 infected people will be cleared by a screening protocol using 1 rapid antigen test

# **All-in-One Design**

This equipment-free platform requires no capital investment, calibration, or training. Each single use test can be run independently, allowing for unlimited simultaneous testing.

Everything needed to run the Lucira COVID-19 & Flu Test comes in one box. Batteries included.







# **Lucira Technology**

### Laboratory quality in the palm of your hand

The Lucira test uses **RT-LAMP** which amplifies viral genetic material while the test is running. The amplification that occurs in PCR and the Lucira test allows molecular tests to detect a positive sample with greater sensitivity than antigen tests. As a result, *Lucira's detection limit is comparable to high-sensitivity lab PCR tests*.

### DESIGN FAIL-SAFES TRIGGER INVALIDS TO HELP MITIGATE FALSE RESULTS

- Lysis and positive control
- Signal intensity monitoring
- Temperature control monitoring
- · Fluid fill-time monitoring
- Battery-life measurement
- Delayed start (humidity risk)
- Other device malfunctions





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Covid-19 Molecular Test Covid-19 & Flu Molecular Test

2022 Part B Provider Reimbursement Guide



### Applicable Covid-19 & Flu Test Related CPT Codes

Code	Descriptor	CMS Allowable
87635	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]), amplified probe technique.	\$51.31 (Q4-2022)
87636	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]) and influenza virus types A and B, multiplex amplified probe technique	\$142.63 (Q4-2022)

### Part B Modifiers Used during the Covid-19 Public Health Emergency (PHE)

Modifier	Part B-1500 Form	Details	References
CS	Yes	Waives cost-sharing during the PHE • Should only be used for a medical visit that results in an order for or administration of a COVID-19 lab test • Should be applied to each applicable line on the claim that would result in patient responsibility	https://www.cms.gov /files/document/ 03092020-covid-19- faqs-508.pdf
CR	Yes	Defined as "Catastrophe/disaster-related" • Should be used for Part B billing, both institutional and non-institutional (i.e., claims submitted using the ASC X12 837 professional claim format or paper Form CMS-1500 or, for pharmacies, in the NCPDP format) • This requirement does not apply for purposes of compliance with waivers (blanket or individual) of sanctions under the physician self-referral law	https://www.cms.gov/- files/document/summa- ry-covid-19-emergen- cy-declaration-waivers.pdf  https://www.cms.gov/- files/document/se20011. pdf
95	Yes	Defined as "Synchronous Telemedicine Service Rendered via Real-Time Interactive Audio and Video Telecommunications System"	https://www.cms.gov/- files/document/se20016. pdf

