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**Department of Health providing COVID-19 screening by appointment  
in Alamogordo**

**SANTA FE** – The New Mexico Department of Health announces drive-up screening for the COVID-19 coronavirus in Alamogordo at the Otero County Public Health Office, 1207 8<sup>th</sup> Street, every Thursday from 8:30 to 11:30 am.

Testing is available by appointment only. Please call the Otero County Public Health Office at 575-437-9340, extension 4 to schedule or ask for details. The screening is open to all - with or without COVID-19 symptoms.

Please try to limit two people per vehicle to avoid unnecessary risk for viral spread. No insurance is required for screening.

For more information the Department of Health has added several new features recently to its COVID-19 website, <https://cv.nmhealth.org/> including testing locations, information by county, demographic information for positive cases and the ability to track cases by zip code.

In addition, New Mexicans can continue to call with health-related questions to the Department of Health's coronavirus hotline at 855-600-3453. For non-health-related questions or concerns call 833-551-0518 or visit [newmexico.gov](http://newmexico.gov).

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