COVID-19 affects different people in different ways. Most people will develop mild to moderate illness and recover without hospitalisation. Symptoms of COVID-19 can include the following:

Most common symptoms:

- fever
- cough
- tiredness
- loss of taste or smell

Less common symptoms:

- sore throat
- headache
- diarrhoea
- red or irritated eyes
- aches and pains
- red or irritated eyes
- a rash on skin, or discoloration of fingers or toes

Serious symptoms:

- difficulty breathing or shortness of breath
- loss of speech or mobility, or confusion
- chest pain

Call triple zero (000) immediately if you experience any of the following:

- central or crushing chest pain
- unconsciousness or a seizure (fit)
- severe difficulty breathing or turning blue
- severe bleeding or inability to control bleeding with pressure
- slurred or sudden inability to move or speak, or sudden facial drooping
- or, a severe accident

This is not a list of all possible COVID-19 symptoms. Please contact the COVID@home direct line on 1800 973 363 to discuss any other symptoms that are concerning to you.