WHAT DOES IT MEAN IF MY COVID-19 TEST WAS...

**NEGATIVE** or “Not Detected”?

**THE SARS-COV-2 VIRUS HAS NOT BEEN FOUND**
It is unlikely that you are infected with SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19.

**WERE YOU IN CLOSE CONTACT with someone who tested positive for COVID-19?**

**NO**
- Not that I know of

**STAY SAFE**
Keep social distancing and mask-wearing when around others.

**YES**

**CONTINUE TO MONITOR**
If your exposure was recent, the test might have failed to detect the virus that is in your body. Self-isolate as much as possible for 14 days after your last contact with that person. Continue to monitor for any symptoms (ex: fever, cough, shortness of breath) and wear a mask to protect others in your household.

**POSITIVE** or “Detected”?

**THE SARS-COV-2 VIRUS HAS BEEN FOUND**
The results indicate you are infected with SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19.

**ISOLATE FROM OTHERS AND CONTACT YOUR HEALTH PROVIDER**
Find out the best way to address any symptoms and health needs.

**DO YOU NEED SUPPORT?**
If you need help answering COVID-19 related questions or concerns, call the Montana COVID-19 Hotline:
1-888-333-0461

Or, use visit the Montana State website to locate your local or tribal health department:
https://dphhs.mt.gov/publichealth/FCSS/countytribalhealthdepts

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