WHAT IS CONTACT TRACING?

Contract tracing is a tool public health workers use to stop the spread of a disease. HERE’S HOW IT WORKS:

1. When someone tests positive for COVID-19, the Health Department is notified.
2. We call the person who tested positive for COVID-19 to see who else might have been exposed.
3. Once we know who else might have been exposed, we contact those people.
4. Everyone is asked to self-quarantine for at least two weeks to stop the spread of COVID-19.

If you get a call from the Prince George’s County Health Department about COVID-19, take it seriously.

What we ask for:
- Where you’ve been for the last few days
- The names and contact information of people you’ve had close contact with so we can call them
- We will NOT tell them who potentially exposed them without permission

What we DON’T ask for:
- Social Security number
- Payment information (contact tracing is no charge to you)
- Immigration status

Free COVID-19 information and testing by appointment only: 301-883-6627
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