

# CORONAVIRUS:

## Recognise the symptoms

<b>SYMPTOMS</b>	<b>CORONAVIRUS</b> Symptoms range from mild to severe	<b>ASTHMA</b>	<b>HAY FEVER</b>	<b>COLD</b> Gradual onset of symptoms	<b>FLU</b> Rapid onset of symptoms
Fever ( $\geq 37.8^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Common	No	No	Rare	Common
Cough	Common (usually dry and continuous)	Sometimes (wheeze and cough)	Sometimes (usually dry)	Mild	Common (usually dry)
Shortness of breath	Sometimes	Sometimes	No	No	No
Headache	Sometimes	No	Sometimes	Rare	Common
Sore throat	Sometimes	No	'Itchy' throat	Common	Sometimes
Runny / stuffy nose	Rare	No	Common	Common	Sometimes
Sneezing	No	No	Common	Common	No
Aches and pains	Sometimes	No	No	Common	Common
Fatigue	Sometimes	No	Sometimes	Sometimes	Common
Diarrhoea	Rare	No	No	No	Sometimes (for children)
Loss of taste and smell	Common	No	Common	Common	No

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