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# Press Release

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## **NO COST COVID OVER THE COUNTER COVID- 19 ANTIGEN RAPID TEST KITS**

**CERES, CA** – The City of Ceres is going to distribute 210 free COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Test Kits (2 tests per kit) of the city's allocation of tests received from Stanislaus County.

The kits will be distributed first-come, first-served, while the supply lasts to Ceres residents, limit of 4 per household. Please bring proof of residency such as a driver's license or utility bill and ID. The distribution will happen **Thursday, January 6, 2022 from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm** at 2220 Magnolia Street, Ceres, CA (Utility Counter).

Over the counter COVID-19 testing allows individuals to conveniently learn their COVID-19 status. This testing may allow people to learn that they have COVID-19 earlier in their infectious period and isolate at home, reducing the spread of COVID-19. It may also allow people to more easily learn their status before traveling, attending family gatherings or community events.

Thank you to the Stanislaus County Health Services Agency's Public Health Department, in partnership with California Department of Public Health for making these kits available to localities.