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On July 22, 2021, it entered the Transparency Information Unit of the Ministry of Health, your request for access to public information under Law 19/2013, of December 9, on Transparency, Access to public information and Good governance, a request that was registered under number 001-059144.

On August 10, 2021, this request was received at the General Directorate of Public Health, the date from which the one-month period provided for in article 20.1 of Law 19/2013 of December 9 begins to run. , for resolution. On August 12, 2021, you were notified of a written extension of the term for the reasons set forth in the same legal provision.

Once your request has been analyzed, this General Directorate resolves to grant your right of access to information. We indicate that the data available to the Ministry of Health in relation to the SARSCoV-2 pandemic can be found in the following links:

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In them you can access different documents of technical scientific information, procedures and measures for the prevention and control of infection, preparation and response to the pandemic, recommendations for clinical case management, actions in the context of the response to COVID -19 by areas, collectives and groups, and communication aspects.

Specifically, in relation to the cycles of a PCR and antigen tests, you can consult the information in the following document:

[https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica\(ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/documentos/COVID19 Strategy a vigilancia y control e indicadores.pdf](https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/documentos/COVID19%20Estrategia%20de%20vigilancia%20y%20control%20de%20indicadores.pdf)

Vaccines against COVID-19 are administered in Spain at the moment according to the Vaccination Strategy against COVID-19 in Spain [approved by the Interterritorial Council of the National Health System], and are free for citizens. In this sense, they do not require a prescription. You can consult the Strategy and its updates, as well as a summary of the characteristics of the vaccines and their technical data sheet at the following link:

[https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/vacunaCovid19. htm](https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/vacunaCovid19.htm)

z Vaccine efficacy is measured in ideal laboratory terms, and subsequently measured in the LLI population real, once the vaccines have been administered. You can find information at the following link:

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o You can also consult studies on this aspect in the bibliography of the Updates of the Strategy, especially of the 8.

[https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/prevPromocion/vacunaciones/covid19/doc/COVID-19 Actualizacion8 StrategyVacunacion.pdf](https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/prevPromocion/vacunaciones/covid19/doc/COVID-19%20Actualizacion%20de%20la%20Estrategia%20de%20Vacunacion.pdf)

Reactions to vaccines are studied through pharmacovigilance. You can check the topic at the following link:

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On genomic sequencing of the virus you can consult the following link:

<https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/dQcumentos/Integracion-equencing-genomica-en-la-surveillance-del-SARS-CoV-Zpdf>

The Ministry of Health does not have a SARS-CoV-2 culture for testing, and it does not have a registry of laboratories with culture and isolation capacity for testing.

In relation to the SARS-COV-2 diagnostic tests, and in general, with issues related to the SARS-Cov-2 pandemic, the Ministry of Health works with the aforementioned documents, which are updated according to the epidemiological need, to enable decision-making in relation to the management of the pandemic, and the dissemination of information to third parties that can use it in their specific environments. In this sense, the most conceptual and definitional issues remain more in academic and teaching environments, with the Ministry of Health playing a more secondary role and not acting on these issues in its power.

Finally, the evaluation of patients in relation to their state of health, be it COVID-19 or another disease or pathology, is the responsibility of the reference health professionals. The tests, by themselves, are not usually sufficient to determine disease, requiring an expert evaluation of the person who has been tested. Either way, the case definition can be found at the following link:

[https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/documentos/QOV-D19-Strategia\\_vigilance](https://www.mscbs.gob.es/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/documentos/QOV-D19-Strategia_vigilance) and

Against this resolution, which puts an end to administrative proceedings, a contentious-administrative appeal may be filed before the competent judicial body [Law 39/2015, of October 1, on the common administrative procedure of public administrations, and Law 29/1998, of 13 July, regulating the contentious-administrative jurisdiction], within a period of two months or, previously and optionally, a claim before the Council for Transparency and Good Governance within a period of one month; in both cases, the term will be counted from the day following the notification of this resolution.

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