# Covid–19: Identifying the symptoms

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| **Symptoms** | **Covid-19** | **Cold** | **Flu** |
| **Fever** | Common | Rare | Common |
| **Cough** | Common | Common | Common |
| **Sore Throat** | Sometimes | Common | Common |
| **Shortness of breath** | Sometimes | No | NO |
| **Fatigue** | Sometimes | Sometimes | Common |
| **Aches & Pains** | Sometimes | No | Common |
| **Headaches** | Sometimes | Common | Common |
| **Runny or stuffy nose** | Sometimes | Common | Sometimes |
| **Diarrhea** | Rare | No | Sometimes, especially in children |
| **Sneezing** | No | Common | No |

Together we can help stop the spread and stay healthy. For more information about Coronavirus (COVID-19) visit [www.health.gov.au](http://www.health.gov.au)

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