This checklist summarizes the key requirements that must be met prior to using the Abbott BinaxNOW™ COVID-19 Antigen (Ag) Card. Facilities must:

1 **Obtain CLIA Certification**
   - Operate under CLIA Certificate of Waiver, Certificate of Compliance, Certificate of Accreditation **OR**
   - Partner with a facility that holds a CLIA waiver

2 **Train Staff**
   - Attend optional Train-the-Trainer course hosted by Department for Public Health
   - Review Abbott BinaxNOW™ training resources¹
   - Review PPE guidance and Interim Guidelines for Collecting, Handling and Testing
   - Document staff training per facility policy

3 **Report Positive Results within 24 hours**
   All test results (positive, negative, and inconclusive) shall be reported to the Health Department within 24 hours. There are several reporting options. Learn more at [healthvermont.gov/LabReporting](https://healthvermont.gov/LabReporting). If you have a situation that requires prompt public health follow-up, an epidemiologist is available 24/7 at 802-863-7240 or 800-640-4374 (within Vermont only).

¹[forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=O500IK26PEOcAnDtzhVZxnYHsES1qh9Hs2EGYmwc2tBURDVPSDJS1hUTzdJMFlyVDZHQQH51cxViIQCN0PWCu](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=O500IK26PEOcAnDtzhVZxnYHsES1qh9Hs2EGYmwc2tBURDVPSDJS1hUTzdJMFlyVDZHQQH51cxViIQCN0PWCu)