











## How COVID-19 compares with the flu

Symptoms	COVID-19	Cold	Flu
	Symptoms range from mild to severe	Gradual onset of symptoms	Abrupt onset of symptoms
 Fever	Common	Rare	Common
 Cough	Common	Common	Common
 Sore throat	Sometimes	Common	Common
 Shortness of breath	Common	No	Rare
 Fatigue	Sometimes	Sometimes	Common
 Aches and pains	Sometimes	No	Common
 Headaches	Sometimes	Common	Common
 Runny or stuffy nose	Sometimes	Common	Sometimes
 Diarrhoea	Rare	No	Sometimes, especially for children
 Sneezing	No	Common	No