

Covid-19 stands for the **Coronavirus** ([nCoV](#)) **disease 2019**.

On 12 February 2020, the novel coronavirus was named severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 ([SARS-CoV-2](#)) while the disease associated with it is now referred to as covid-19.^[1]

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