Information About COVID-19 and Authorized Oral Rx Treatment

If you are at high risk and suspect that you have COVID-19, remember to ACT fast to test and seek treatment

To learn more about an authorized oral Rx treatment option, visit **Treatcv19.com**

How to **ACT** against COVID-19

COVID-19 spreads quickly, and in some people it can start with mild symptoms and quickly progress to more severe disease.

If you think you have been infected, remember to ACT fast.

ASSESS
for COVID-19 symptoms and your risk status

CONFIRM
through COVID-19 testing

TALK
to your healthcare provider about treatment options, including oral treatments, that might be right for you

If you have any questions about symptoms, testing, or appropriate treatment options, speak with your healthcare provider as soon as possible

ASSESS for symptoms of COVID-19

What is COVID-19?

COVID-19 is caused by an infection from a virus called SARS-CoV-2, which belongs to the coronavirus family. You can get COVID-19 through contact with another person who has the virus. **You should get tested as soon as possible if you have been in contact with someone with COVID-19 or if you have symptoms.**

Loss of taste or smell	**Nausea or vomiting**	**Sore throat**
Diarrhea	**Fever or chills**	**Muscle or body aches**
Congestion or runny nose	**Fatigue**	**Cough**
Headache	**Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing**	

For a full list of COVID-19 symptoms, please visit
https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html

ASSESS your risk status

Who is at high risk for severe COVID-19?

While people of all ages or groups are susceptible to infection, certain groups of people—known as high risk—are more likely than others to become severely ill. **High risk means that you may be at risk of progressing to severe COVID-19, which can lead to hospitalization or worse, even when your symptoms start off mild.**

Speak with your healthcare provider to determine if you are at high risk for severe illness from COVID-19.

Being high risk is more common than you think.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has determined that a person with one or more of these high risk factors is more likely to develop severe illness from COVID-19.

Some of these common factors include:

Overweight or obesity (body mass index [BMI] of ≥25 kg/m²)

Older adults (eg, 65 years of age and older)

Smoking (current or former)

Diabetes (Type 1 or Type 2)

Asthma

COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)

Heart disease

High risk factors are common. Test early and, if positive, talk with your healthcare provider about treatment options even if your symptoms are mild, including authorized oral treatments that can be taken at home.

For a full list of high risk factors from the CDC, please visit **www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions**

CONFIRM if you have COVID-19 through testing

Why is it important to test for COVID-19?
The virus spreads quickly in your body, and you may infect others without realizing.

You can confirm if you have COVID-19 through a positive rapid or PCR test.

If you have been in close contact with someone with COVID-19 or if you have symptoms, you should be tested for infection as soon as possible.

Early testing may help reduce the spread of COVID-19. Talk to your healthcare provider and ask about appropriate treatment right away after a positive viral test.

Every day matters for treating COVID-19—test early and, if you test positive, talk to your healthcare provider and ask about treatments right away.

TALK with your healthcare provider about authorized oral Rx treatments

Treating COVID-19

Oral Rx treatment options are available for appropriate patients who are at high risk for progressing to severe COVID-19, even if their symptoms start out mild.

Don't delay testing if you have symptoms by waiting to see if they get better or worse—oral treatments are available and can be taken at home, but must be started within 5 days from when symptoms begin.

Discuss your medications before starting treatment

If you are prescribed a treatment for COVID-19, talk to your healthcare provider about any medications you are currently taking, including prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Some medicines may interact with COVID-19 treatments or cause serious side effects.

Keep a list of your medications to show your healthcare provider and pharmacist when you are prescribed a new medication.

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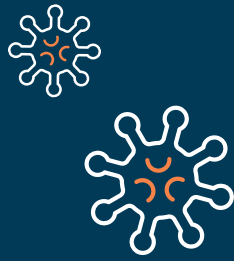
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Don't wait if you test positive for COVID-19—for those at high risk, even mild symptoms could lead to hospitalization or death. Speak with your healthcare provider as soon as possible to see if an authorized oral prescription treatment is right for you.

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