What are monoclonal antibody COVID-19 treatments?

Monoclonal antibodies are like your body’s own antibodies as they help your immune system quickly destroy the COVID-19 virus before it harms you or causes hospitalization. Fortunately, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has authorized monoclonal antibody treatment for emergency use for eligible patients.

If you test positive for COVID-19 or have symptoms, talk to a healthcare provider right away. Monoclonal antibody treatment must be given as soon as possible within 10 days of getting a symptom. These treatments are of little to no cost to you and are given through a one-time IV infusion.

Who can receive monoclonal antibodies?

You may be eligible for monoclonal antibody treatment if you are 12 years or older and weigh more than 88 pounds, have had mild to moderate symptoms of COVID-19 in the last 10 days, have tested positive for COVID-19, and have one or more of the following high-risk factors:

- Any medical condition or other factor, including race or ethnicity, that puts you at higher risk of progression to severe COVID-19
- Age ≥ 65 years of age
- Obesity or being overweight
- Pregnancy
- Chronic kidney disease
- Diabetes
- Immunosuppressive disease or immunosuppressive treatment
- Cardiovascular disease or hypertension
- Chronic lung diseases
- Sickle cell disease
- Neurodevelopmental disorders
- Having a medical-related technological dependence (for example: tracheostomy, gastrostomy, or positive pressure ventilation not related to COVID-19)
Learn about your treatment options.

Treatment must be given within 10 days of first COVID-19 symptoms. You may get a referral from a healthcare provider to receive treatment at a local infusion site.

If you do not have a healthcare provider, you may be able to locate an infusion center yourself using the phone numbers at the bottom of this page.

If you are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 but have tested positive for the virus and are considered high-risk, you may still be eligible for treatment. Talk with a healthcare provider to see if monoclonal antibody treatment is right for you.

You are **not** eligible for treatment if you:

- Are hospitalized due to COVID-19, OR
- Require oxygen therapy due to COVID-19, OR
- Require an increase in baseline oxygen flow rate due to COVID-19 for those on chronic oxygen therapy due to an underlying non-COVID-19 related health issue.

How to Find Infusion Locations

You can find infusion locations in your area by:

- visiting the [HHS Protect Infusion Site Locator](https://hhsprotect.infusioncenter.org), the [National Infusion Center Association Locator](https://infusioncenter.org)
- calling **1-877-332-6585** for English or **1-877-366-0310** for Spanish

Contact the infusion location(s) to learn their referral procedures and whether they are accepting new patients.

For more information, visit [CombatCOVID.hhs.gov](https://CombatCOVID.hhs.gov)