DO YOU KNOW ABOUT

MEDICATIONS THAT TREAT COVID?

Paxlovid and Molnupiravir are prescription oral medications that are authorized for the treatment of COVID-19.

How do they work?

They are considered oral antiviral medications. They work by keeping viruses from making more of themselves. These medications can decrease the risk of hospitalization and death from COVID-19.



Paxlovid

(Nirmatrelvir + Ritonavir)

Who can take it?

May be used in patients 12
years old and older within 5
days of the start of
symptoms

How do you take it?

Take 3 tablets by mouth every morning and evening*



What are the side effects?



This medication can cause an altered sense of taste, diarrhea, high blood pressure, and body aches

Molnupiravir

Who can take it?

May be used in patients 18
years old and older within 5
days of the start of
symptoms

How do you take it?

Take 4 tablets by mouth every morning and evening*



What are the side effects?



This medication can cause diarrhea, nausea, and dizziness

Ask your doctor or pharmacist today for more information on these medications.

Paxlovid and Molnupiravir

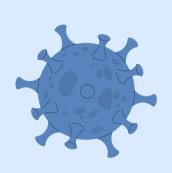
*If you have kidney disease, your doctor may decrease your dose of these medications.





If you are on other medications, your dose may need changed while you take these medications.

These medications are only for patients that have COVID-19. They are not used to prevent illness in those that have been exposed.



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COVID-19 Therapeutics



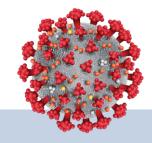
I just tested positive for COVID-19, are there treatments?

There are IV medications and oral pills that can be used to treat COVID-19. Talk with a health care provider as soon as possible to see if you are eligible for one of these treatments – you will need a prescription.

You can also find a Test to Treat site¹ and get treatment where you get tested.

¹https://covid-19-test-to-treat-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/





Have your provider send the prescription to any pharmacy listed on the treatment locator² or call 1-800-338-3831.

²https://covid-19-therapeutics-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/



Questions about COVID-19?

Call 1-800-889-3931 or email

dph.mabtherapy@illinois.gov

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COVID-19 Tratamientos



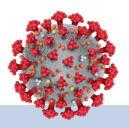
Acabo de dar positivo en COVID-19, ¿hay tratamientos?

Hay medicamentos intravenosos y píldoras orales que pueden utilizarse para tratar el COVID-19. Hable con un proveedor de atención médica tan pronto como sea posible para ver si usted es elegible para uno de estos tratamientos - usted necesitará una prescripción.

También puede encontrar un sitio de Test to Treat¹ y obtener el tratamiento en el lugar donde se hace la prueba.

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Haz que tu proveedor envíe la prescripción a cualquier farmacia que figure en el localizador de tratamientos² o llama al 1-800-338-3831.

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