

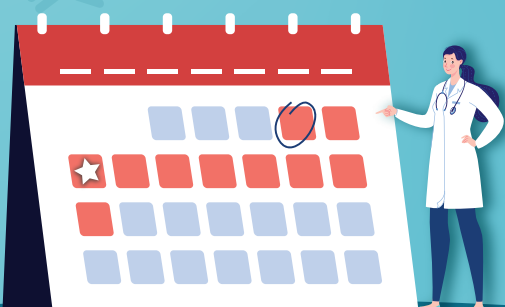
Positive for COVID-19?

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY TREATMENT

Can Keep a Mild Case From Becoming Worse

SEEK TREATMENT RIGHT AWAY!

If you have symptoms of COVID-19, it is important to get tested right away so you can get treated as soon as possible — before your symptoms get worse. Monoclonal antibodies can prevent you from needing to be hospitalized.



To be effective, **monoclonal antibody treatment works best within a few days of feeling sick.** As soon as you test positive, ask your doctor about monoclonal antibodies.

WHO CAN GET MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES?

Anyone who is at risk of severe disease such as:

- Overweight (*BMI > 25*)
- Immunocompromised (*like cancer treatment, transplant patients*)
- Health conditions (*like diabetes, high blood pressure, or asthma*)
- Other conditions that may make it hard to fight off COVID-19
- 65 years of age or older
- And more

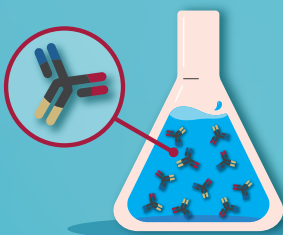
Many people can benefit from monoclonal antibody treatment. Talk to your doctor to see if it's right for you.

The treatment is not meant for people who are on oxygen due to COVID-19 or who have been hospitalized due to COVID-19.



WHAT ARE MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES?

Antibodies are proteins that exist in our bodies as part of our immune system to recognize and defend against harmful viruses and bacteria. Some people can't generate the antibodies needed to fight COVID-19.



Monoclonal antibodies are just like your body's antibodies but selected for their strong ability to resist the virus. They are produced in a laboratory and are designed to **target the COVID-19 virus, helping you get better faster.**

Monoclonal antibodies were **authorized by the FDA as a treatment for COVID-19 in November 2020.** FDA approved monoclonal antibody treatments for other conditions — including HIV, certain cancers, and autoimmune disorders — have been in use since the mid-1980s.

HOW DOES MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY TREATMENT WORK?

Monoclonal antibody treatment is given as a one-time IV infusion. It takes 20 minutes to an hour for the infusion, followed by an hour of observation.

This treatment gives temporary enhanced immunity, which can help you from getting sicker. Feel better faster and stay out of the hospital!




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HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Currently, **the medication** used for COVID-19 monoclonal antibody treatment **is FREE OF CHARGE**, but infusion service fees to administer the drug may apply. Many health plans will cover the full cost.



HOW DO I GET TREATMENT?

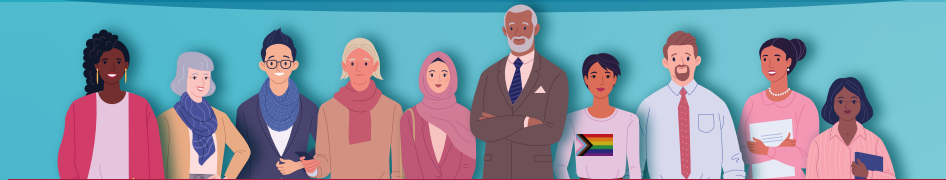
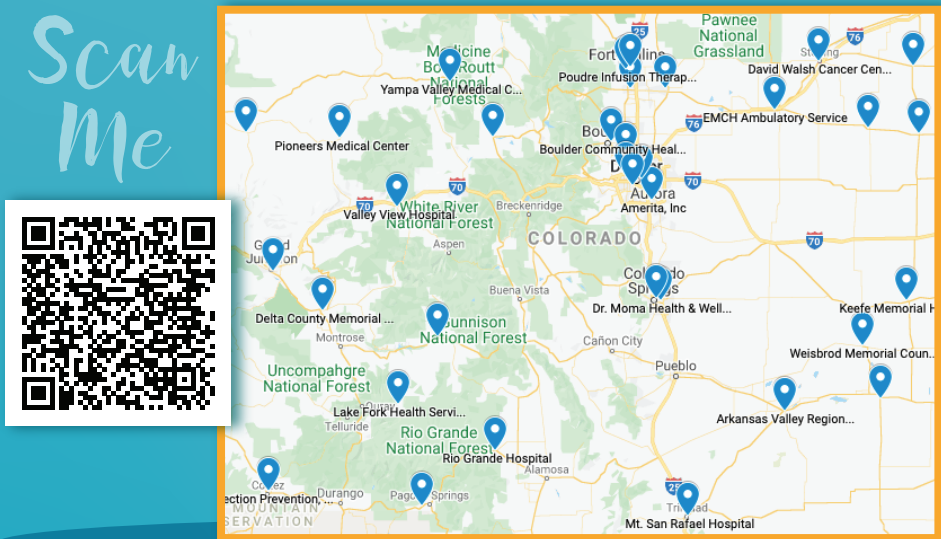
Since monoclonal antibody treatment is for people with existing health risks, **you need a referral from a doctor**. If you do not have a doctor, here are some options for connecting with one:

- Call or visit your nearest urgent care. Tell them when you first had COVID-19 symptoms. Also tell them if you have any other health problems. Ask if they will give you a referral for antibody treatment.
- UCHealth virtual urgent care can help you find out if you qualify for antibody treatment and make a referral to the closest infusion center. You can set up your own UCHealth account and request a virtual urgent care visit here: www.uchealth.org/services/virtual-urgent-care/ or call **303-529-9313**.



WHERE DO I GET IT?

There are 30+ infusion centers in Colorado. Talk to your doctor and ask for a referral to an infusion center near you.

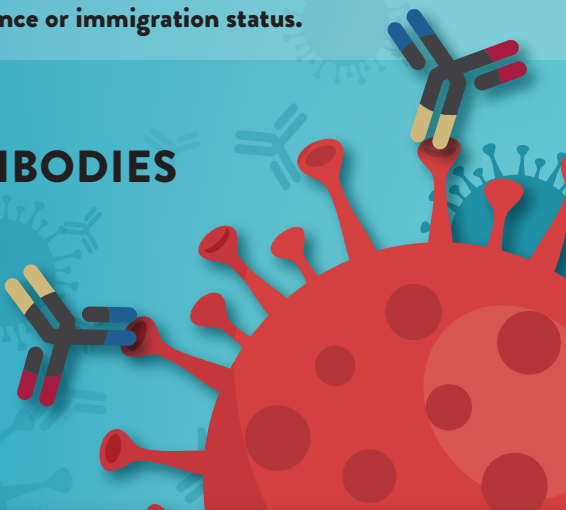


INCLUSION

Monoclonal antibody treatment is available to individuals regardless of insurance or immigration status.

Tell a loved one about
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It might save their life.



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