

Virtual Community Town Hall

October 19, 2021 AGENDA

6:00-6:05 Welcome

6:05-6:30 Panel Presentations



Dr. Adit Ginde
Emergency Medicine



Dr. Matthew Wynia
Internal Medicine

- Burden of COVID
- mAb Treatment for COVID

6:30-6:40 Community Member Stories



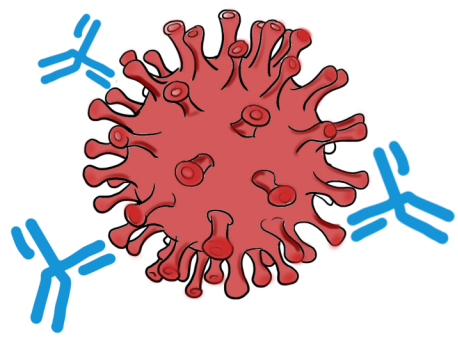
Betty Huart



David Legg

6:40-7:00 Q & A

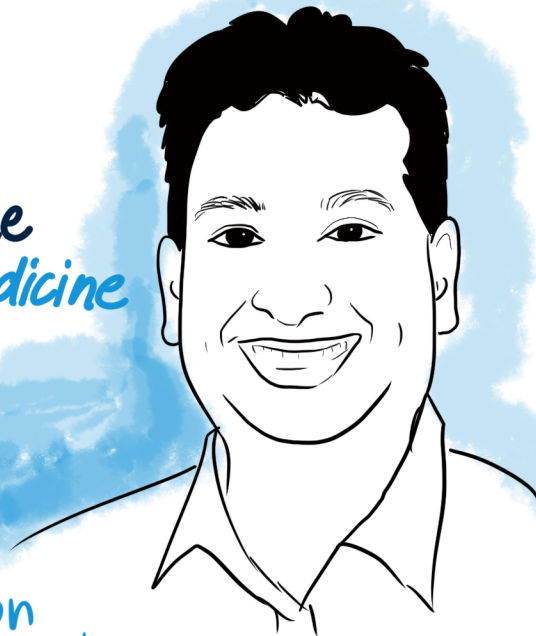
7:00-7:30 Participant Feedback on Messaging



COVID 19 TREATMENT for people who are IMMUNOCOMPROMISED

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Research on
COVID treatment

mAbs Treatment

- avert 70-86% hospitalizations
- originally isolated from recovered patients
- BLOCKS virus
- effective on Delta variant
- NIH Recommended
- given early - passive immunity
- post exposure prophylaxis

Not heavily researched

- 95% Kidney transplants
- AstraZeneca drug
- Prevention Protection for 9 months
- potential for additive treatment
- not available yet... maybe a couple of months
- IV administered
- drug pd for by fed. gov't

mAb 15% hospitalized
mAb 76% hospitalized

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Policy & Ethical
Issues

Weakened immune system

so intertwined

COVID

Causes

- Health conditions
- HIV
- Pregnancy
- Medications
- Rx for autoimmune
- Cancer Chemotherapies

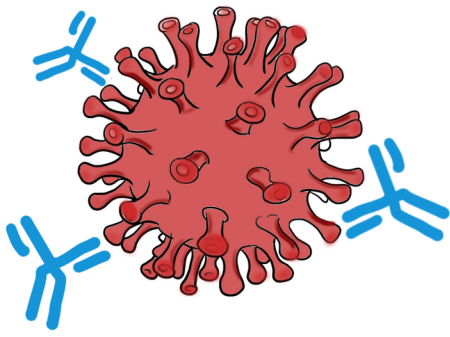
If you get COVID

* severe *

complicated

Still at risk transplants

rely on community-wide immunity



COVID 19 TREATMENT

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PATIENT STORIES

David
Legg



COVID is a
scary thing

24 years
Hepatitis C

2020

30th wedding
anniversary

~~EAGLES~~

donor -



19 year
old

vaccine
+
booster

Still
feel I
don't know
if I have
enough protection

Betty
Huarte



COVID has scared
me more than the transplant

Liver transplant
w/ Hepatitis C Liver in 2019

anti-rejection drugs,
vulnerable to COVID

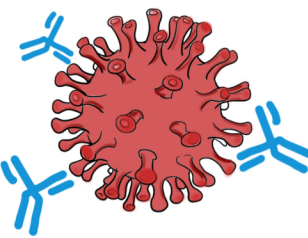
Childhood Asthma

March
2021

vaccine
+
booster



if I could
carry a
pill in my
pocket



COVID 19 TREATMENT

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Questions & Answers

Helpful Approaches AstraZeneca - for emergency use

we know more than we did

uncertainty



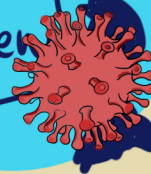
living w/ a transplant

fear

create assurance
... a plan

can be
additive

need
peer review



allergic
reactions

not
contra-indication

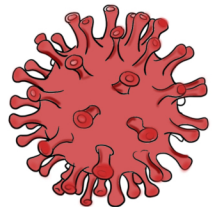
long term effects
unknown

same eligibility
requirements?
unknown

Newest variant?

not widespread
in U.S.

designed
around pieces
of virus



Prophylaxis-

every 9 months

inter-muscular
injection



Access?
Availability?

Many are
eligible, but it
is complicated

• shortages

but if you are
immunocompromised

COLORADO

it takes
ADVOCACY
your provider



We are
being stingy

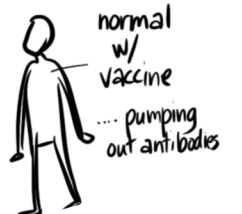


for people
who benefit
the MOST

Prioritize those who are
not vaccinated?

- ① Immunocompromised
- ② Non-vaccinated -- need to meet other high risk

Age cut-offs?



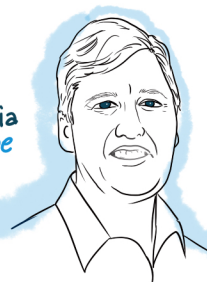
What % are we protected...
is there a test?

need
individualized
tests

Am I
protected?

ex. Colin Powell

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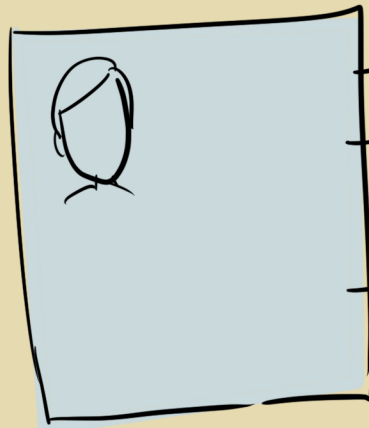
Messaging Feedback

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The Message?



specific that
apply to me &
my health issues
I can relate
to it



like diversity
like pictures

less cluttered



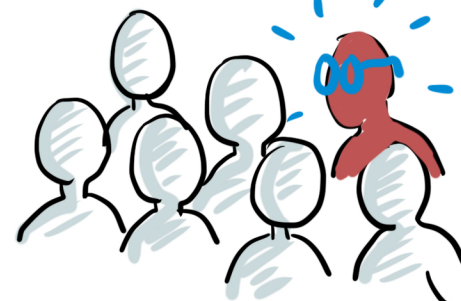
-those groups
w/ certain
conditions

Materials available



-- Spanish
available
soon on
website

! always looking
for credible spokespeople



How do we become
more **VISIBLE**?

there are **MANY** of us

IMMUNOCOMPROMISED:
1 in 25 people

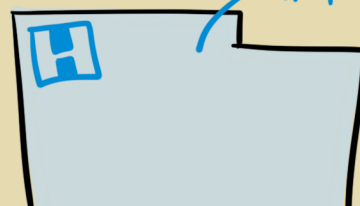
Where to share?

where do people
get their information?

Do you have anyone
in your household that...



Mental Health Providers



at the hospital

groups



Kris Klug



At
Ski Resort

Athletic
Spokesperson