
Series 4: COVID-19 Treatments Community Webinar

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Agenda

Welcome & Introductions

COVID-19 Treatment Information &
Updates

How to get Treatment

Paxlovid Testimonial

Ask Us Anything!

Closing Comments & Resources

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Tips for You!



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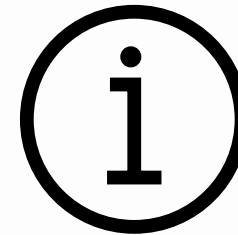
Use Zoom chat to ask your questions and view links/information from OHA



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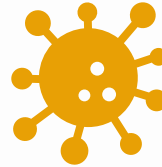
Webinar recording and slides will be posted to our treatment webpage



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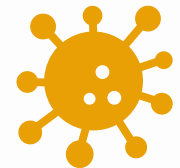
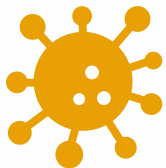
What to Know About COVID-19

COVID-19 is still with us. If you're at high risk for severe illness, it makes sense to protect yourself.



New variants might cause further spikes in illness.

Long-COVID is having a long-term impact on people's health and quality of life



What are COVID-19 treatments?



Oral Antivirals

- They stop the virus from multiplying
- Need to start them within 5 days of getting sick



Monoclonal Antibodies

- Given by vein
- They stop spread of virus in your body
- Need to start within 7 days of getting sick

Both reduce risk of hospitalization and death



Summary of Treatments



**Mild-to-moderate
symptoms**

Available Treatments:

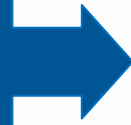
- Oral antivirals
 - Paxlovid
 - Lagevrio (molnupiravir)
- Medicines by vein
 - Bebtelovimab
 - Remdesivir



Who Should get Treatment



Treatments are for:



ill people who test positive for COVID-19, and are at high risk for severe illness



A healthcare provider will prescribe based on your personal medical history



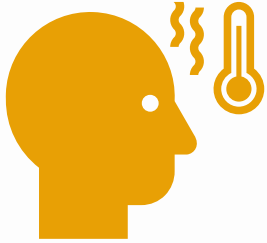
View the chat for the link to the CDC's high-risk conditions webpage to see if these medicines are right for you and to help when speaking with a healthcare provider



How to Get Treatment



How to Get Treatment



You have symptoms or tested positive for COVID-19

IMPORTANT: You must seek treatment within 5 days of feeling sick



Call your healthcare provider or a healthcare professional as soon as possible



Your healthcare provider will assess you to see if you are eligible for COVID-19 oral antiviral treatment

Don't Have a Healthcare Provider?



Call 211
Call Vive NW
at 844-291-
4970 (Spanish
and Indigenous
languages)



Test positive for COVID-19?

- **Call OHA at (866)-917-8881**
- **Visit** <https://govstatus.egov.com/or-oha-covid-19-positive-test>
- **Español** <https://govstatus.egov.com/or-oha-covid-19-positive-test/es>



Use the
T2T locator

How to Get Treatment Locators

	Test to Treat (T2T) Locator	COVID-19 Treatment Locator
What is it?	Shows sites where you can get tested (or bring a positive at home test), get an oral antiviral prescription, fill the prescription or send it to a nearby pharmacy, all in one visit	Shows public locations near you that have oral antivirals and monoclonal antibodies
Who is it intended for?	Community and Providers	Providers only NOTE: Communities can access, but only providers can call locations to verify supplies and services available
Where can you find it?	https://covid-19-test-to-treat-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/	https://covid-19-therapeutics-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/

How to Get Treatment

- Many pharmacists can now prescribe oral antiviral Paxlovid
- Call your local pharmacy to see if they participate
- Ask what documentation they need for you to be seen
- **Not all patients are eligible to receive prescriptions directly from a pharmacist**



Accessibility

- Have trouble accessing the internet? Need help locating a Test to Treat site? Call [1-800-232-0233](tel:1-800-232-0233) (TTY [1-888-720-7489](tel:1-888-720-7489)) for help in English, Spanish, and more than 150 other languages
- The [Disability Information and Access Line \(DIAL\)](#) helps people with disabilities access services. To get help, call [1-888-677-1199](tel:1-888-677-1199), Monday-Friday from 9am to 8pm ET or email DIAL@usaginganddisability.org.



Testimonial



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Paxlovid Testimonial



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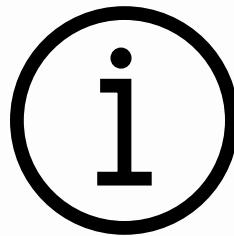
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Please keep your questions related to COVID-19 treatments



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Virus

Upcoming Community Events

- **COVID-19 Therapeutics Video Series** – Links in chat & on webpages
- **Black COVID-19 Strategy Workgroup**
 - 3rd Wednesday of the month: 3:30pm – 5:00pm
 - Upcoming Dates: September 21st
 - To register:
<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJltf--rrz4oGNuMGThUBBVEALFkB3qn6yg>

We Love Feedback!

We have a quick pop-up poll on the screen. If you would kindly submit your responses, we'd love to hear about your experience.



Question 1: Did you find this webinar series useful in getting a better understanding of COVID-19 treatments?

Question 2: With the information and resources provided, do you feel prepared to locate treatments if you think you need them?

Question 3: With the information and resources provided, do you feel prepared to speak with your healthcare provider about treatments if you think you need them?

Question 4: What is one thing you would have wanted us to cover that was not discussed?

Questions | Comments| Suggestions

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How to Prevent COVID-19

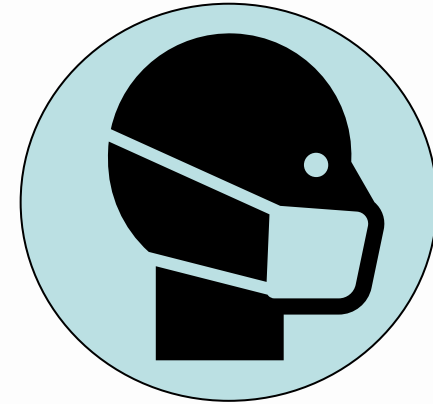
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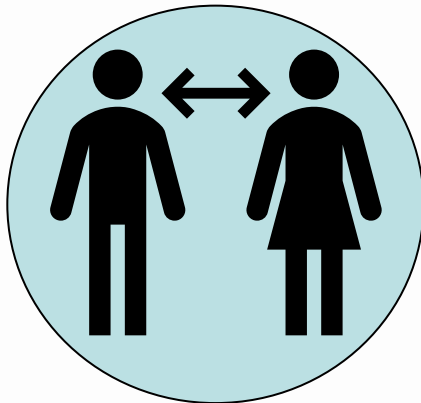
Get vaccinated as soon as possible



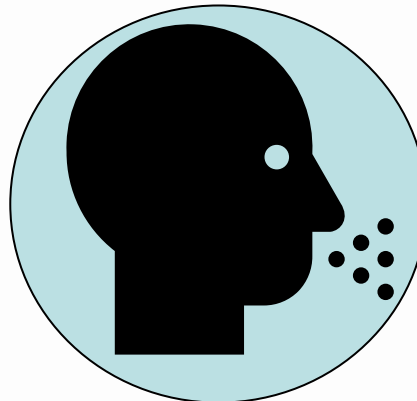
Wash your hands



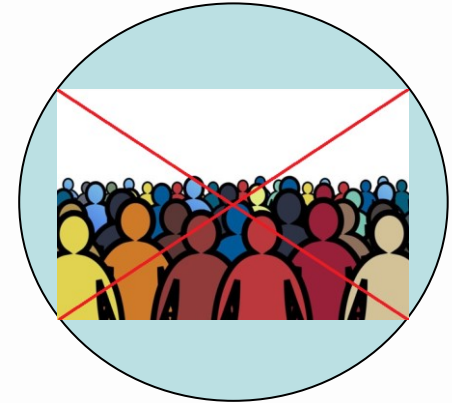
Wear a mask



Keep a safe distance



Cough or sneeze in your elbow



Avoid crowds

Resources

- OHA's treatments webpage: <https://govstatus.egov.com/or-oha-covid-19-treatments>
- High risk additional information: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html>
- OHA's email address: oha.therapeutics@odhsoha.oregon.gov
- What to do if you've tested positive for COVID-19
<https://sharesystems.dhsoha.state.or.us/DHSForms/Served/le3894.pdf> (link on slide deck too)
- Test to treat (T2T) Locator: <https://covid-19-test-to-treat-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/>
- COVID-19 Therapeutics Locator: <https://covid-19-therapeutics-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/>
- My COVID-19 Plan:
<https://sharesystems.dhsoha.state.or.us/DHSForms/Served/le4288.pdf>

Resources

- Oregon Health Plan (OHP) Benefits: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/hsd/ohp/pages/benefits.aspx>
- Cover All Kids: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Pages/OHPcoversme.aspx>
- Healthier Oregon FAQ - English: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Tools/Healthier-Oregon-FAQ.pdf>
- Healthier Oregon FAQ - Spanish: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Tools/Healthier-Oregon-FAQ-SP.pdf>
- Healthier Oregon Webpage: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Pages/Healthier-Oregon.aspx>
- Healthier Oregon Flyers (multiple languages): <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Tools/Healthier-Oregon-Communications.pdf>
- Enroll for OHP: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/OHP/Pages/Apply.aspx>
- Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace: <https://healthcare.oregon.gov/marketplace/Pages/index.aspx>

