

## Treating Eligible Residents for COVID-19 in Your Facility

1. Does your facility provide targeted pharmaceutical treatment to all residents infected with COVID-19?
  - Yes: Excellent, thank you! See helpful resources in Sections 3-5 below.
  - No: See potential options below
2. Is your facility able to prescribe and administer medications to your residents?
  - **Yes:**
    - Speak to your medical director and ask if they are willing to prescribe COVID-19 treatment to any positive residents
    - Obtain treatment allocated directly to your facility through DOH (contact [mcm@doh.wa.gov](mailto:mcm@doh.wa.gov) to learn more) **OR** work with your affiliated pharmacy to see if they have supply
    - If your affiliated pharmacy does not have a supply, they should contact [mcm@doh.wa.gov](mailto:mcm@doh.wa.gov) and submit the following information:
      - Site Name
      - Shipping Address
      - Email Address
      - Hours of operation
      - Point of contact w/ email address
      - Pharmacy/Medical license
      - Quantities of therapeutics needed by type
    - See Section 5 below for additional resources
  - **No:**
    - Help each resident develop a plan to access treatment
    - Work with the individual providers for each patient to come up with a treatment plan **OR**
    - Reach out to Birds Eye Medical, the DOH-contracted provider, for telemedicine support for evaluation and prescription of treatment for individual positive residents.

Treat and prevent  
COVID-19 outbreaks in  
your long-term  
care facility.



Let's Talk! (360) 888-7044

**Help is available NOW at no cost to  
your organization!**

Bird's Eye Medical is available to provide prompt COVID-19 treatment and prevention services to high-risk patients.

What we can provide:

- Virtual provider visits and prescribing
- Antiviral medication dispensing
- Onsite monoclonal antibody administration
- Staffing to support these services
- All necessary supplies including medications

3. Once you have established access to a willing prescriber and the medications:
  - Have the prescribing provider make a plan, including standing order, for each individual resident (i.e., which medication they would receive if positive and what the dose would be, and if any of their regular medications would need to be held) if they should test positive for COVID-19.
  - They can refer to these resources for assistance:
    - [Nonhospitalized Adults: Therapeutic Management | COVID-19 Treatment Guidelines \(nih.gov\)](#);
    - [Management of Drug Interactions With Nirmatrelvir/Ritonavir \(Paxlovid®\): Resource for Clinicians \(idsociety.org\)](#);
    - [Therapeutics Clinical Implementation Guide - Outpatient Administration Guide for Healthcare Providers \(hhs.gov\)](#)
  
4. You can provide communication to all residents and their families on the importance of COVID-19 treatment for those at higher risk and information on how to access treatment:
  - Retail pharmacies with oral antivirals available free of charge
    - [Safeway / Albertsons / Rite Aid / Walgreens / CVS / Walmart / Kroger](#)
    - And many more pharmacies found here: [COVID-19 Therapeutics Locator](#)
  - Free Telemedicine [COVID-19 Care – Bird's Eye Medical \(www.test2treatwa.com\)](#)
  
5. Additional Resources:
  - [What Are Oral Antivirals information sheet \(PDF\) | Available in additional languages](#) - DOH Flyer
  - [What are Oral Antivirals? | combatCOVID.hhs.gov](#) - HHS website
  - [What Are Monoclonal Antibody Treatments information sheet \(PDF\) | Available in additional languages](#) - DOH Flyer
  - [What Are Monoclonal Antibodies? | combatCOVID.hhs.gov](#) - HHS website