



To: Riverside County PCPs, Specialists, and IPAs
From: IEHP – Provider Relations
Date: October 19, 2021
Subject: COVID-19 Treatment – RUHS Monoclonal Antibody Treatment Center

California’s Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) is providing Monoclonal Antibody Therapy through Riverside University Health System (RUHS)’s **Monoclonal Antibody Treatment Center**. This FDA approved infusion has been found effective in treating patients with COVID-19.

Questions	Answers
WHO is eligible?	Members over 12 years old with mild-to-moderate COVID-19 who meet criteria defined in the FDA’s Emergency Use Authorization: https://www.fda.gov/media/143891/download . All California residents are eligible.
HOW can Members get treatment?	Both Members and Providers may refer directly to RUHS. RUHS will screen Members according to the criteria referenced above. Prior authorization is <u>not</u> required.
WHEN are appointments scheduled?	Appointments will be scheduled for the same or following day, Monday through Saturday, 8am-6pm. Call (951) 486-6520 to schedule.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the IEHP Provider Relations Team at (909) 890-2054 or (866) 223-4347.

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Enclosure: RUHS – COVID-19 Treatment – Monoclonal Antibody Treatment Center



COVID-19 TREATMENT

Monoclonal Antibody Treatment Center

State of California - Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) is providing Monoclonal Antibody Therapy to patients over 12 years old with mild-to-moderate COVID-19 who meet criteria under the FDA's Emergency Use Authorization.

Patients must meet three of the following criteria:

- 1 - Positive SARS-CoV-2 test result
- 2 – Post Exposure Prophylaxis to people exposed to a SARS-CoV-2 infected individual or who are at high risk of exposure to an infected person.
- 3 - SpO₂>93% on Room Air
- 4 - Symptoms that started within the last ten days
- 5 - At least one of the following risk factors for severe disease
 - Body Mass Index (BMI) ≥ 25
 - Chronic kidney disease
 - Diabetes mellitus
 - Pregnant
 - Immunosuppressive disease
 - Receiving immunosuppressive treatment
 - Age ≥ 65 years of age
 - Age ≥ 55 years of age AND one of the following
 - Cardiovascular disease, OR
 - Hypertension, OR
 - COPD/other chronic respiratory disease

Self-referral or physician referral both accepted.

Appointments will be scheduled the same day or the following day and will be offered **Monday thru Saturday 8am-6pm**

Call to make an appointment: 951-486-6520

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