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Update: Monoclonal Antibody Therapy in San Luis Obispo County

Access to monoclonal antibody therapy has expanded in San Luis Obispo County and health care providers may refer eligible patients for this treatment from local providers. The FDA has issued Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) for use of REGEN-COV and Sotrovimab.

REGEN-COV: REGEN-COV may be used for the treatment of mild to moderate COVID-19 and post-exposure prophylaxis against COVID-19 in individuals at high risk for progression to severe disease. The EUA allows for the administration of REGEN-COV via either intravenous infusion or subcutaneous injection. Results from clinical trials indicate that REGEN-COV reduces the risk of COVID-19 related hospitalization or all-cause death by 70% in individuals with mild to moderate COVID-19 and at least one risk factor for progression to severe disease. See www.fda.gov/media/145611/download for detail.

Sotrovimab: The EUA for Sotrovimab covers only those individuals with confirmed COVID-19 who are at high risk for progression to severe disease. It has not been authorized for post-exposure prophylaxis. The EUA allows for the administration of Sotrovimab via intravenous infusion only. Results from clinical trials indicate Sotrovimab reduces the risk of COVID-19 related hospitalization or all-cause death by 79%. See www.fda.gov/media/149534/download (page 29) for detail.

To refer patients for monoclonal antibody therapy

Eligible patients may find providers through two national hubs: Health and Human Services Combat Covid (<https://combatcovid.hhs.gov>) and the National Infusion Center Association (<https://covid.infusioncenter.org>). In addition, several health care providers in SLO County are accepting patients by appointment and are not yet listed on these hubs:

- Halcyon Laser & Surgery Center in Arroyo Grande: 805-489-8254
- Regenerative Mind Body (Dr. Timothy Jones) in Avila Beach:
www.regenerativemindbody.com, 805-556-7006
- Community Health Center of the Central Coast (for enrolled CHC patients only):
www.communityhealthcenters.org, 866-614-4636

The patient or referring provider should call ahead to see if the medical office currently has supply and available appointments, as the situation can change quickly.

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