

BREAKING NEWS:

Monoclonal Antibody Therapy Treatments Available Now

Monoclonal Antibody Treatments (MAB) for COVID-19 can prevent severe illness, hospitalization and death among high-risk individuals. This treatment is available widely in Florida.

Individuals 12 years and older who are high-risk, that have contracted or been exposed to COVID-19, are eligible for this treatment. Treatment is free and vaccination status does not matter. Learn more here.

[Find MAB Sites \(https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/monoclonal-antibody-therapy/\)](https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/monoclonal-antibody-therapy/)

[Make An Appointment \(http://www.patientportalfl.com/\)](http://www.patientportalfl.com/)

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Monoclonal Antibody Therapy

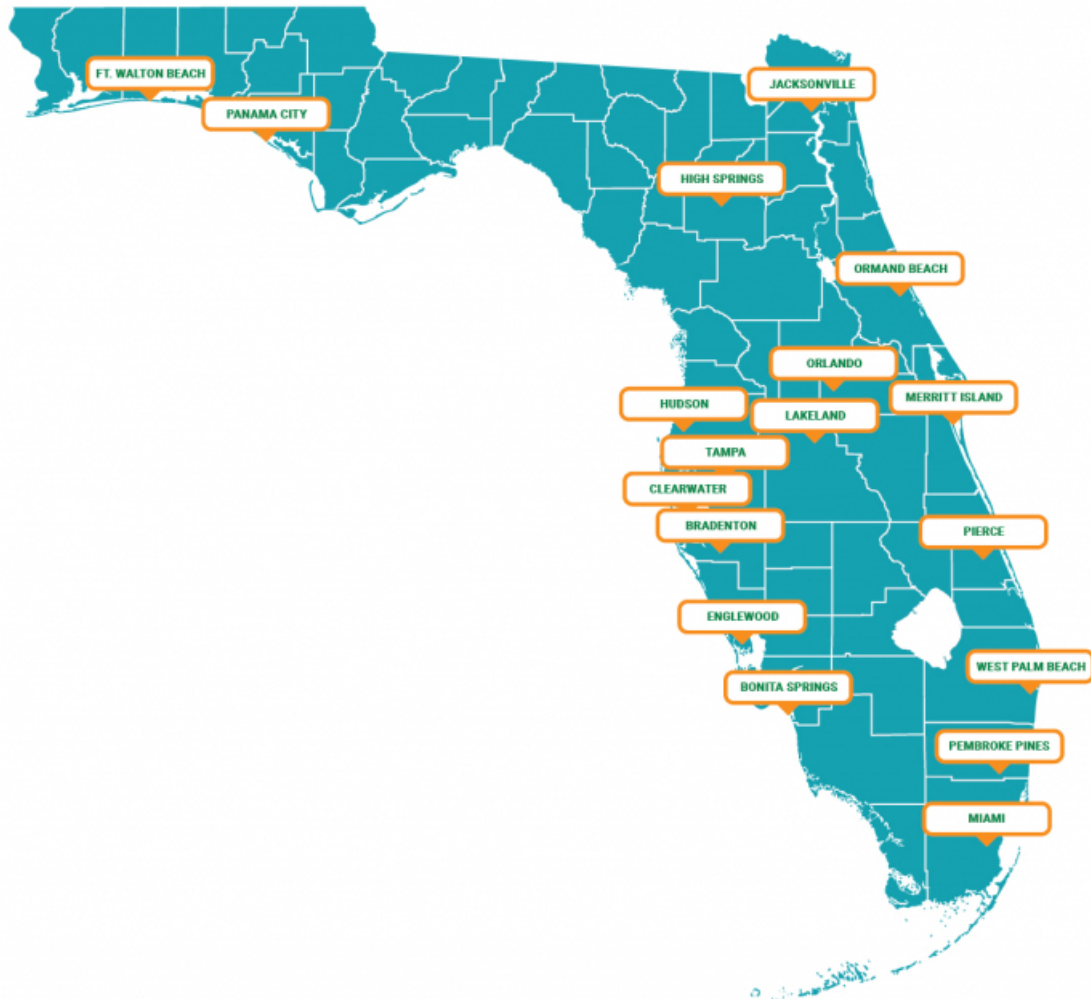
Monoclonal Antibody Therapy for COVID-19

Monoclonal antibody treatments can prevent severe illness, hospitalization and death in high-risk patients who have contracted or been exposed to COVID-19. These treatments are widely available in Florida.

- Treatment is free and vaccination status does not matter. If you are 12 years and older and are at high risk for severe illness due to COVID-19, you are eligible for this treatment.

- In clinical trials, monoclonal antibody treatment showed a 70% reduction in hospitalization and death.
- For high-risk patients who have been exposed to someone with COVID19, Regeneron can give you temporary immunity to decrease your odds of catching the infection by over 80%.

Alachua County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/23/governor-ron-desantis-opens-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-alachua-and-st-lucie-counties/>)



Fellowship Church, 16916 NW US Hwy 441, High Springs

Open Monday – Friday, 9 AM to 5 PM

Bay County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/20/governor-ron-desantis-opens-two-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-northwest-florida/>)

Bay County Fairgrounds, 2230 E. 15th Street, Panama City

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/17/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-in-brevard-county/>

Kiwanis Island Park, 951 Kiwanis Island Park Road, Merritt Island

Open daily 9 AM to 7 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/18/governor-ron-desantis-expands-access-to-covid-treatment-by-opening-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-in-broward-county/>

CB Smith Park, 900 North Flamingo Road, Pembroke Pines

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/23/governor-ron-desantis-opens-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-site-in-charlotte-county/>

Tringali Community Center, 3460 N. Access Road, Englewood

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://flgov.com/2021/08/26/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-state-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-sites-will-open-tomorrow-in-collier-county-leon-county/>

Old Dollar General, 1500 Lake Trafford Rd, Immokalee

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<http://www.floridahealth.gov/newsroom/2021/08/081721-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-jacksonville.pr.html>

Jacksonville Public Library, 304 North Main Street, Jacksonville

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/19/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-monoclonal-antibody-sites-in-volusia-and-hillsborough-counties/>

Kings Forest Park, 8008 East Chelsea Street, Tampa

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/20/governor-ron-desantis-announces-opening-of-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-lee-and-miami-dade-counties/>

Old Bonita Springs Library, 26876 Pine Avenue, Bonita Springs

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

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Vacant Sears, 1500 Apalachee Pkwy, Tallahassee

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/21/governor-ron-desantis-opens-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-polk-and-manatee-counties/>

Manatee Memorial Hospital Complex, 206 2nd Street East, Bradenton

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/20/governor-ron-desantis-announces-opening-of-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-lee-and-miami-dade-counties/>

Tropical Park, 7900 Southwest 40 Street, Miami

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/20/governor-ron-desantis-opens-two-new-monoclonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-northwest-florida/>

NW Florida Fairgrounds, 1958 Lewis Turner Blvd., Ft. Walton Beach

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<http://www.floridahealth.gov/newsroom/2021/08/081721-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-orlando.pr.html>

Camping World Stadium, 1 Citrus Bowl Place, Orlando

Open daily 9 AM to 7 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/18/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-in-west-palm-beach/>

West Gate Park, 3691 Oswego Avenue, West Palm Beach

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/19/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-monoclonal-antibody-site-in-pasco-county/>

Fasano Center, 11611 Denton Avenue, Hudson

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

Pinellas County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/24/governor-ron-desantis-announces-opening-of-new-mono-clonal-antibody-treatment-state-site-in-pinellas-county/>).

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, 409 South Old Coachman Road, Clearwater

Open Monday – Saturday 9 AM to 5 PM

Polk County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/21/governor-ron-desantis-opens-new-mono-clonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-polk-and-manatee-counties/>).

Church at the Mall, 1010 East Memorial Boulevard, Lakeland

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

St. Lucie County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/23/governor-ron-desantis-opens-new-mono-clonal-antibody-treatment-state-sites-in-alachua-and-st-lucie-counties/>).

Havert L. Fenn Center, 2000 Virginia Avenue, Ft. Pierce

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

Sumter County

Barnstorm Theater, 2720 Brownwood Boulevard, The Villages

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

Volusia County (<https://www.flgov.com/2021/08/19/governor-ron-desantis-announces-new-mono-clonal-antibody-sites-in-volusia-and-hillsborough-counties/>).

Ormond Beach Senior and Neighborhood Dining Site, 351 Andrews Street, Ormond Beach

Open daily 9 AM to 5 PM

To Make an Appointment at a State of Florida site [click here](http://www.patientportalfl.com/)
(<http://www.patientportalfl.com/>).

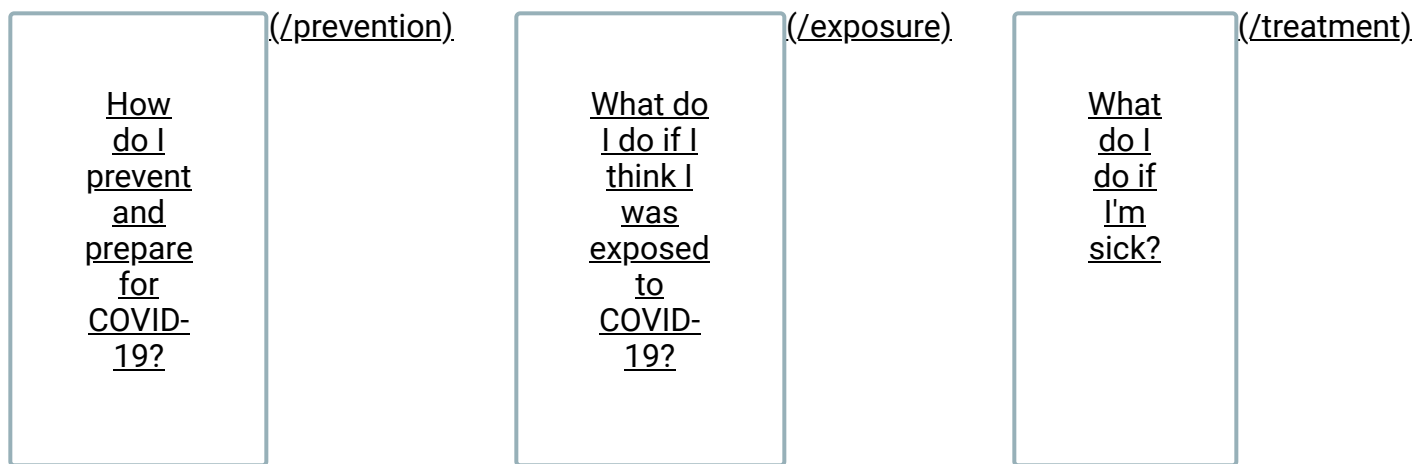
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Monoclonal antibody treatments can be prescribed by health care providers to individuals 12 years of age and older who have been diagnosed with COVID-19 and who have been exposed to someone with COVID-19 and are at high risk for severe illness and hospitalization.

However, to support Governor DeSantis' initiative, there is currently a standing order (<https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Regeneron-Standing-Order-8.12.21.pdf>) in Florida signed by the State Surgeon General that allows patients to receive this treatment without a prescription or referral if administered by an eligible health care provider. Such referrals are not required at any of the State of Florida monoclonal antibody treatment sites and treatments are available at no cost to patients.

The antibodies help the immune system recognize and respond effectively to the virus. According to the treatment guidelines (<https://www.covid19treatmentguidelines.nih.gov/therapies/anti-sars-cov-2-antibody-products/anti-sars-cov-2-monoclonal-antibodies/>), they should be administered as soon as possible after diagnosis. By providing access to these treatments at these new sites, Governor DeSantis is alleviating demand on hospital resources and further making sure that Floridians have access to all potential treatments that can help them recover from COVID-19.

For more information, call the Florida Department of Health Monoclonal Antibody Treatment Support Line: 850-344-9637



How do monoclonal antibodies work?



When is the best time to get monoclonal antibody treatment?



How much does monoclonal antibody treatment cost? +

How do I make a monoclonal antibody treatment appointment? +

Do I need a prescription or referral for monoclonal antibody treatment? +



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