

mAb Update: Prophylaxis Indication

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**Infection Control Assessment
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Casirivimab-Imdevimab Prophylaxis Indication

As of 7/30/2021, casirivimab-imdevimab (no other mAb) has been authorized for use as **post-exposure prophylaxis** in:

- Adult and pediatric individuals (12 years of age and older weighing at least 40 kg) for post-exposure prophylaxis of COVID-19 in individuals who are at high risk for progression to severe COVID-19, including hospitalization or death, and are:
- Not fully vaccinated or who are not expected to mount an adequate immune response to complete SARS-CoV-2 vaccination (for example, individuals with immunocompromising conditions including those taking immunosuppressive medications) AND
 - Have been exposed to an individual infected with SARS-CoV-2 consistent with close contact criteria per CDC or
 - Who are at high risk of exposure to an individual infected with SARS-CoV-2 because of occurrence of COVID-19 infection in other individuals in the same institutional setting (for example, nursing homes or prisons)

Asymptomatic positives can also receive prophylaxis



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Post-exposure prophylaxis dose is same as treatment dose (600 mg casirivimab + 600 mg imdevimab)

- For individuals with continued risk of exposure >4 weeks, a repeat dose of 300 mg casirivimab + 300 mg imdevimab can be given once every 4 weeks

Can be administered as IV infusion or subcutaneous injection for post-exposure prophylaxis

Updated provider fact sheet: <https://www.fda.gov/media/145611/download>

If you have patient(s) who you consider eligible for and interested in mAb for prophylaxis, or for any questions, please email Anwatkins@nebraskamed.com or call 662-820-1509.

