

PREPARING FOR A COVID-19 ANTIBODY INFUSION

Your order has been sent to: _____.

If you have not been contacted within 24 hours to schedule an appointment, please call: _____ to ask for an update.



Be on the lookout for a phone call from the infusion center!

Everyone hesitates to answer a call from an unknown number, but it is important that the infusion center is able to contact you to schedule your appointment. The medication works best when it is given as soon as possible, so if you are unable to answer it is important to call back right away.

Find out the visitation policy.

To help prevent the spread of COVID-19 infections, many sites are unable to allow visitors at this time. Ask your infusion site before planning to have a friend or family member stay with you during your treatment.

Start drinking plenty of extra fluids like water for a day or so prior to your appointment.

Staying hydrated can help make your veins more easily accessible. If you have been told to limit your fluid intake due to another medical condition, check with your healthcare provider before drinking extra fluids.

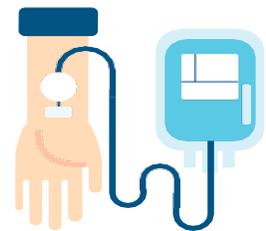
Infusion Day Tips

Start your day as usual.

No special preparation is needed before your infusion. Eat a nutritious breakfast, stay well hydrated, and take your usual daily home medications.

Wear comfortable clothing and be sure your shirt sleeves can be rolled up to allow access to your arms (and veins!).

Some people feel chilly during their infusion because the medication is cooler than your body temperature. Dressing in loose layers and warm socks can help.



Bring something to keep your mind busy.

Reading a book, doing a crossword puzzle, or playing games on your tablet will help pass the time much faster than watching the clock.

Wear a mask!

You will be asked to wear a mask over your nose and mouth when you are around other people to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

