Ibuprofen Use In COVID-19

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MYTH

Taking Ibuprofen to treat COVID-19 will increase the severity of infection.

TRUTH

Ibuprofen can be used to safely manage symptoms of COVID-19.

Multiple studies compared the use of Ibuprofen (Advil/Motrin) and Acetaminophen (Tylenol) in patients with COVID-19, and saw NO differences in mortality rates OR the need for respiratory support.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Follow your doctor’s recommendations

Don’t change medication use without contacting your physician

Stay home if you are sick or have been in contact with someone who is sick

Manage symptoms with over the counter medications, such as Tylenol or Ibuprofen

Point your phone camera to the code on the left to view current CDC guidelines regarding COVID-19.

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