Treatment must be started early, so don't delay testing.

If you test positive for COVID-19 and have symptoms, talk to your healthcare provider right away about treatment. The table below explains 3 different options for COVID-19 treatment.

Treatments are not a substitute for vaccination. Vaccination remains the safest, most effective way to protect yourself from COVID-19.

	Paxlovid	Remdesivir	Molnupiravir
Who is eligible?	 Ages 12+ Persons with even mild symptoms who are not hospitalized but are at risk for serious illness. 	 Adults and children over 28 days of age and over 3 kg (7 lbs.) Persons with even mild symptoms who are not hospitalized but are at risk for serious illness. 	 Ages 18+ Persons with even mild symptoms who are not hospitalized but are at risk for serious illness.
When must it be started?	Within 5 days from start of symptoms	Within 7 days from start of symptoms	Within 5 days from start of symptoms
How is it given?	Pills taken orally for 5 days	Once daily Intravenous Infusion (IV) for 3 days	Pills taken orally for 5 days
Where can it be given?	Home	Healthcare facility/ infusion center	Home

For more information, visit:

https://www.fda.gov/consumers/consumer-updates/know-your-treatment-options-covid-19



