



STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE for Home Isolation



Treatment Protocol for suspected Asymptomatic Covid-19 cases awaiting reports (except travellers)



- Self isolate till report is available, with independent room, with separate washroom as far as possible.
- Temperature monitoring minimum 3 times per day.
- SPO2 (Pulse-oxymeter reading) monitoring twice a day.
- Take 6 minute walk test twice a day,
(i.e. check initial SPO2 and note down the reading. Take a walk after this for 6 mins at normal pace inside the room itself, and recheck the reading on pulse-oxymeter. Any drop in reading of 4 units and above kindly contact nearest health centre of hospital. For example if previous SPO2 is 94 and post walk test SPO2 is 90, i.e. difference of 4 or more)
- Avoid eating together with the family members.
- All other family members also to eat separately.
- All family members to wear mask at all times.
- Continue medications on co-morbid conditions like Diabetes, Hypertension, Kidney disease, Asthama, etc. as prescribed.
- Following medications to be taken **only if patient turns symptomatic**
- Tab. Paracetamol 500 mg only if fever (Not more than 4 times per day)
- Tab. Doxycycline 100 mg one tab twice daily x 5 days (1 hr before breakfast and dinner)
- Tab. Ivermectin 12 mg one tab daily x 5 days (1 hr before Lunch)
- Steam inhalation and gargling daily 5 times a day.
- **Caution:** Pregnant, lactating women and children below 15 yrs must not take Ivermectin and Doxycycline.

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 - Patient to continue medication as above regardless of positive or negative covid test status.



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