

TO: Vermont Health Care Providers and Health Care Facilities

FROM: Dr. Mark Levine, Commissioner of Health

## Updated guidance for administering COVID-19 therapies, Evusheld and Sotrovimab

## **BACKGROUND:**

Emergency Use Authorizations (EUAs) for two monoclonal antibody therapies have recently been updated.

- As of February 24, 2022, the dosing for Evusheld has been updated:
  - The initial dosage of Evusheld is now 300 mg of tixagevimab and 300 mg cilgavimab administered as two consecutive intramuscular injections.
  - For patients who received a dose of Evusheld prior to February 24, 2022, providers should schedule these patients to receive additional doses (tixagevimab 150 mg and cilgavimab 150 mg).
- As of February 23, 2022, the duration of infusion and the timing of administration of sotrovimab has changed:
  - Administer sotrovimab 500 mg intravenously over 15 minutes for 50 mL infusion bag OR over 30 minutes for 100 mL infusion bag.
  - Sotrovimab should be given within seven days of symptom onset (previously 10 days).

## **REQUESTED ACTION:**

Be familiar with the updated Emergency Use Authorizations for Evusheld and sotrovimab.

Evusheld EUA
Sotrovimab EUA

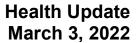
View a side-by-side comparison of all available COVID-19 outpatient therapies. https://aspr.hhs.gov/COVID-19/Therapeutics/Documents/side-by-side-overview.pdf

For a list of updated sites, please use this tool to locate available therapeutics near you. <a href="https://covid-19-therapeutics-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/">https://covid-19-therapeutics-locator-dhhs.hub.arcgis.com/</a>

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