



Newly Diagnosed with COVID-19?

Talk to your Healthcare Provider about a NEW TREATMENT for high-risk patients

- ❖ Midland Health has been authorized to provide a new antibody treatment for newly-diagnosed, high-risk COVID-19 patients: **Bamlanivimab**. This experimental treatment could help prevent hospitalization in high-risk patients.
- ❖ The treatment is administered by the hospital staff in a special off-site infusion center.
- ❖ In order to qualify for the treatment, the following must be true:
 - You have had COVID symptoms in the last 4 days and have tested COVID positive less than 4 days ago.
 - You have not been hospitalized for COVID or use more oxygen than before you were diagnosed with COVID.
 - One of the following must also be true:
 - You are significantly overweight (Obese, BMI>35)
 - You have chronic kidney disease, diabetes, or an immunosuppressive disease or are receiving immunosuppressive treatments.
 - You are 65 or older **AND ALSO HAVE** heart disease, high blood pressure, or a chronic respiratory disease, like COPD.

** Final eligibility is determined when screened by hospital provider upon referral*

*** If eligibility is approved, you will be scheduled regardless of the ability to pay. If available, insurance information will be collected. NO out-of-pocket fees will be required for anyone.*

If you feel you meet criteria, call your Healthcare Provider –OR– use the Self-Referral Option:

Provider Option:

Your primary provider can refer you for treatment. For help finding a provider, please consider the following resources:

- Call 221-DOCS (432.221.3627) or
- **Download the BasinMD app to view a list of medical providers available now. BasinMD offers 24/7 medical care from anywhere using your smartphone, tablet, or computer.**

Self-Referral Option:

Go to midlandhealth.org/MAIS and complete the form. Upon review of the form, a Midland Health employee will follow up on the inquiry.

