

NATIONAL BRIEFING WITH CDC: COVID-19 AND THE CHRONIC DISEASE COMMUNITY

April 29th, 2020
2PM - 3PM EDT

Join us for a virtual briefing with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, John Hopkins Medicine, U.C. Davis Health and organizations representing the chronic disease community on COVID-19.

Objective: Learn from experts about why the COVID-19 virus can put people with chronic conditions/diseases at higher risk for complications. Our experts will be able to answer many of your questions about the pandemic and how to protect yourself and your loved ones.



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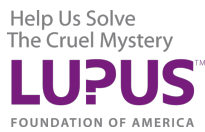
Some of the topics to be covered include:

- What makes an individual high-risk for coronavirus complications ?
- Why are people with certain chronic conditions more severely affected than others?
- What are some of the things people living with chronic conditions can do to protect themselves against this virus?
- What are some of the treatment options for people living with chronic conditions ?
- What to do and be aware of if a high-risk individual contract the virus
- What it means to safely resume everyday routines once “stay at home” orders begin to lift
- The status of testing for COVID-19 infection and antibody testing

We need your questions. Submit any questions you would like answered by using the form on the registration page or by emailing them to: juliette@chroniccareca.org. We will try our best to answer all your questions.

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