## COVID-19 Medications can fave Your Life

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Even during the warmer months, COVID-19 is still here! Protect yourself and others through wearing a face mask, keeping good hygiene and getting tested if you have symptoms.

Certain COVID-19 Medications can save your life, learn more about how you can stay protected:

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## Antivirals can protect you against COVID-19

If you have signs of COVID-19, call your doctor immediately. Your doctor can provide Antiviral medicines to treat COVID-19 and help your recover quickly.

- Antivirals work best within first 5 days!
- Antivirals are available for people who -
  - are 70 years of age or older,
  - are 50 years of age or older, with two risk factors for severe disease,
  - are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander and 30 years of age or older, with one risk factor for severe disease.
- Antivirals are prescription only. A GP can assess if you need these medicines and prescribe them for you.



## Book your COVID-19 and flu vaccine now

COVID-19 and flu vaccines are available at your local pharmacy or GP. It is safe and effective to take them both at the same time.

You should get a booster if it has been 6 months or more since your last COVID-19 vaccine dose or confirmed infection. Particularly recommended for people over 65 years.

You can get your COVID-19 and flu vaccination at the DPV Health Broadmeadows and Mill Park medical centres.

