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PASCO COUNTY MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY THERAPY TREATMENT SITE UPDATE



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Port Richey, Fla. – The State of Florida successfully deployed and expanded state-run, lifesaving monoclonal antibody therapy treatment sites statewide. Throughout this process, the State has worked with a robust network of community partners to ensure the health care sector is equipped to administer monoclonal antibody therapy treatment to Floridians.

To support this transition of monoclonal antibody therapy treatment administration to locally operated providers, the state-supported monoclonal antibody therapy treatment site at Fasano Center, 11611 Denton Ave. in Pasco County, will close on November 27, 2021.

Alternative monoclonal antibody therapy treatment locations in this area are listed below:

AdventHealth Dade City
13100 Fort King Rd
Dade City, FL

Medical Center Of Trinity
9330 State Road 54, Ste 401
Trinity, FL

AdventHealth Wesley Chapel
2600 Bruce B Downs Blvd
Wesley Chapel, FL

Morton Plant North Bay Hospital
6600 Madison St
Port Richey, FL

AdventHealth Zephyrhills
7050 Gall Blvd
Zephyrhills, FL

The Florida Department of Health will continue to allocate doses of monoclonal antibodies to health care providers with high utilization rates and will ensure inventory levels meet county demand.

Monoclonal Antibody Therapy Treatment Locator:

Monoclonal antibody therapy treatment locations can be found at [FloridaHealthCOVID19.gov](https://www.floridahealth.gov/covid-19/monoclonal-antibody-therapy-treatment-locator) and by using the National Infusion Center Association's [treatment locator](#).

Benefits of Treatment:

Monoclonal antibodies help the immune system recognize and respond effectively to the COVID-19 virus.

Monoclonal antibody therapy treatment is for individuals who have contracted or been exposed to COVID-19. Monoclonal antibody therapy treatment can prevent severe illness, hospitalization, and death in high-risk patients who have contracted COVID-19. Specifically, it:

- Reduces the risk of death/hospitalization by 70%-85%.
- Reduces the risk of developing symptomatic disease by over 80%.

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