

## Help us understand how medicines act in COVID-19

**We count on you to continue to report any suspected side effects your patients may experience with medicines they are taking while infected.**

Please report all suspected side effects your patients experience while infected, including with medicines intended to treat the disease or pre-existing conditions.

Suspected side effects should be reported even if the medicine is not authorised for use in COVID-19.



**For a reminder of how to report to your national authority, please visit the relevant website:**

[www.adrreports.eu/en/report\\_side\\_effect.html](http://www.adrreports.eu/en/report_side_effect.html)

When reporting side effects, healthcare professionals are encouraged to provide information that is as accurate and complete as possible.

### When reporting a suspected side effect in a patient, you should tell us:

- The age and sex of the patient
- Whether the infection was diagnosed through testing or based on clinical symptoms alone
- A description of the side effects
- The name of the medicine (brand name as well as active substance) suspected to have caused the side effects
- Dose and duration of treatment with the medicine
- The batch number of medicine (found on the packaging)
- Any other medicines being taken around the same time, including non-prescription medicines, herbal remedies or contraceptives
- Any other health conditions your patient may have