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Case-Fatality Rate and Characteristics of Patients Dying in Relation to COVID-19 in Italy (Onder G, Rezza G, Brusafero S. *JAMA*. 2020 March 23. doi:10.1001/jama.2020.4683. [Epub ahead of print]) https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jama/fullarticle/2763667?guestAccessKey=77e714dd-0ad2-49cc-a649-bfdc1bec1737&utm_source=silverchair&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=article_alert-jama&utm_content=olf&utm_term=032320

JAMA Livestream (Monday, March 23). Coronavirus in New York City - Report From The Front Lines Interview with Michelle N. Gong, MD, MS, Chief of Critical Care Medicine at Montefiore Medical Center in the Bronx, NY https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TH9skp5R9F4&feature=youtu.be%3Futm_source%3Dsilverchair&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=article_alert-jama&utm_content=olf&utm_term=032320

OncoAlert Roundtable: The Italian COVID19 Experience <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sZP-4LYeyDE&app=desktop>

JAMA Network: Coronavirus Update with Anthony Fauci, MD – March 18, 2020 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EXY76TKNy2Y&feature=youtu.be>

Audio Interview: New Research on Possible Treatments for COVID-19 https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMe2005759?url_ver=Z39.88-2003&rfr_id=ori:rid:crossref.org&rfr_dat=cr_pub%3dpubmed

A Trial of Lopinavir-Ritonavir in Adults Hospitalized with Severe Covid-19 (Cao B, Wang Y, Wen D, et al. *N Engl J Med*. March 18, 2020. DOI: 10.1056/NEJMoa2001282. [Epub ahead of print]) https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMoa2001282?query=featured_home



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<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1111/bjh.16597>

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https://jnccn.org/fileasset/jnccn1804-Ueda_20118_preprint.pdf

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[https://www.thelancet.com/journals/lanonc/article/PIIS1470-2045\(20\)30149-2/fulltext](https://www.thelancet.com/journals/lanonc/article/PIIS1470-2045(20)30149-2/fulltext)

COVID-19: Combining Antiviral and Anti-inflammatory Treatments (Stebbing J, et al. *Lancet Infect Dis*. 2020 Feb 27. pii: S1473-3099(20)30132-8. doi: 10.1016/S1473-3099(20)30132-8. [Epub ahead of print])

[https://www.thelancet.com/journals/laninf/article/PIIS1473-3099\(20\)30132-8/fulltext](https://www.thelancet.com/journals/laninf/article/PIIS1473-3099(20)30132-8/fulltext)

Suggested Multimedia Resources

COVID-19: Clinical Update. (*JAMA Network*. Interview with Dr. Preeti Malani, MD, MSJ, Chief Health Officer and Professor of Medicine in the Division of Infectious Diseases at the University of Michigan. April 6, 2020).

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=at9s8MEIwm0>

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update: Epidemics in History. (*JAMA Network*. Q&A with Dr. Frank Snowden, PhD, Andrew Downey Orrick Professor Emeritus of History & History of Medicine, Yale University. April 2, 2020)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h30eayXdhYE&feature=youtu.be%3Futm_source%3Dsilverchair&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=article_alert-jama&utm_content=olf&utm_term=040220

Lessons from the Covi-19 Hotspots. (*N Engl J Med*. 2020 April 1. Dr. Eric Rubin, Dr. Lindsey Baden, Stephen Morrissey)

https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMe2007783?query=featured_home

COVID-19 – Social Networks. (*JAMA Network*. March 31, 2020. Q&A with Nicholas Christakis, MD, PhD, MPH, Director of Yale's Human Nature Lab)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RscVhN2HX_8&feature=youtu.be%3Futm_source%3Dsilverchair&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=article_alert-jama&utm_content=olf&utm_term=033120

The COVID-19 Coronavirus and Cancer Care. (March 27, 2020. Lisa Kennedy-Sheldon, PhD, APRN, AOCNP®, FAAN, Chief Clinical Officer, Oncology Nursing Society)

<https://www.ons.org/podcasts/episode-96-covid-19-coronavirus-and-cancer-care>



Anticoagulation Forum. Managing Anticoagulation During the COVID-19 Pandemic—Guidance from the Anticoagulation Forum. March 16, 2020.

<https://player.vimeo.com/video/398257290>

Practical Measures to Help Prevent Covid-19. (*N Engl J Med.* March 25, 2020. Dr. Eric Rubin, Dr. Lindsey Baden, Stephen Morrissey)

https://interactives.nejm.org/iv/playlist_branded/index.html?media_id=chsWAWUH

COVID-19 and Radiation Oncology. *ASTRO Journals.* (Thomas J. Eichler, MD, President, American Society for Radiation Oncology)

<https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/covid-19-and-radiation-oncology/id553284448?i=1000468914807>

Resources:

American Medical Association

COVID-19 (2019 Novel Coronavirus) Resource Center for Physicians

<https://www.ama-assn.org/delivering-care/public-health/covid-19-2019-novel-coronavirus-resource-center-physicians>

American College of Surgeons

COVID 19: Elective Case Triage Guidelines for Surgical Care

https://www.facs.org/-/media/files/covid19/guidance_for_triage_of_nonemergent_surgical_procedures_cancer_surgery.ashx

American Society of Hematology

COVID-19 and Aggressive Lymphoma: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-aggressive-lymphoma>

COVID-19 and Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-all>

COVID-19 and Chronic Lymphoblastic Leukemia: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-cll>

COVID-19 and Indolent Lymphomas: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-indolent-lymphomas>

COVID-19 and Coagulopathy: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-coagulopathy>



COVID-19 and ITP: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-itp>

COVID-19 and TTP: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-ttp>

COVID-19 Lessons from Wuhan: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-lessons-from-wuhan>

COVID-19 and VTE/Anticoagulation: Frequently Asked Questions (*also see link to a Webinar on this topic below*)

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-vte-anticoagulation>

COVID-19 and Aplastic Anemia: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-aplastic-anemia>

COVID-19 and Myelodysplastic Syndromes: Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-myelodysplastic-syndromes>

COVID-19 and Face Masks for Providers: Frequently Asked Questions: Should all health care workers who interact with patients routinely wear a face mask given the shortage of PPE?

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19/covid-19-and-face-masks-for-providers>

COVID-19 Drug Interactions

<http://covid19-druginteractions.org/>

COVID-19 Resources

<https://www.hematology.org/covid-19>

Community Oncology Alliance

COA Launches Practice Referral Service for Patients Seeking Cancer Treatment During Crisis. [Press release]. April 3, 2020.

<https://communityoncology.org/coa-launches-practice-referral-service-for-patients-seeking-cancer-treatment-during-crisis/>

H.R. 748 CARES Act Small Business Support for COVID-19

https://communityoncology.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/COA_HR748_CARES_SmallBusinessRelief.pdf

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Practice Resources and Protocols

<https://communityoncology.org/coronavirus-covid-19-practice-resources-and-protocols/>



COA Urgent Comments to White House on Prior Authorization During COVID-19 Emergency
<https://communityoncology.org/coa-urgent-comments-to-white-house-on-prior-authorization-during-covid-19-emergency/>

COA to Present Virtual Conference Due to Coronavirus (April 23-24, 2020. *Free for all healthcare and practice professionals*)
<https://www.coaconference.com/events/2020-community-oncology-conference/event-summary-8fad91472269437b88ddd3c120b3b3a9.aspx?5S,M3,8fad9147-2269-437b-88dd-d3c120b3b3a9=>

National Cancer Institute

Coronavirus: What People with Cancer Should Know
<https://www.cancer.gov/contact/emergency-preparedness/coronavirus>

National Institutes of Health

Coronavirus (COVID-19)
<https://www.nih.gov/health-information/coronavirus>

US Food and Drug Administration

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update: FDA Continues to Accelerate Development of Novel Therapies for COVID-19. FDA News Release. March 31, 2020.
<https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/coronavirus-covid-19-update-fda-continues-accelerate-development-novel-therapies-covid-19>

A Message to Patients With Cancer and Health Care Providers About COVID-19
<https://www.fda.gov/about-fda/oncology-center-excellence/message-patients-cancer-and-health-care-providers-about-covid-19>

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update: FDA Issues first Emergency Use Authorization for Point of Care Diagnostic: FDA News Release
<https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/coronavirus-covid-19-update-fda-issues-first-emergency-use-authorization-point-care-diagnostic>

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)
<https://www.fda.gov/emergency-preparedness-and-response/mcm-issues/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19>

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update: FDA Issues Guidance for Conducting Clinical Trials
<https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/coronavirus-covid-19-update-fda-issues-guidance-conducting-clinical-trials>



Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update: FDA Issues Emergency Use Authorization to Thermo Fisher
<https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/coronavirus-covid-19-update-fda-issues-emergency-use-authorization-thermo-fisher>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

COVID-19: Information for Healthcare Professionals
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/hcp/index.html>

Coronavirus (COVID-19)
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

World Health Organization

Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Outbreak
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>

American Society of Clinical Oncology

Financial Support Available to Providers During COVID-19 Pandemic
<https://www.asco.org/practice-policy/policy-issues-statements/asco-in-action/financial-support-available-providers-during>

MIPS Reporting Deadline Extended to April 30 Due to COVID-19
<https://www.asco.org/practice-policy/policy-issues-statements/asco-in-action/mips-reporting-deadline-extended-april-30>

ASCO Statement on Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)
https://meetings.asco.org/am/asco-statement-novel-coronavirus-covid-19?et_cid=41189452&et_rid=1743078639&linkid=here

More Testing, Personal Protective Equipment, Practice Support Needed During COVID-19 Crisis
<https://www.asco.org/practice-policy/policy-issues-statements/asco-in-action/more-testing-personal-protective-equipment>

Second Emergency Funding Package Responding to COVID-19 Signed Into Law
<https://www.asco.org/practice-policy/policy-issues-statements/asco-in-action/second-emergency-funding-package-responding>

ASCO Coronavirus Resources
<https://www.asco.org/asco-coronavirus-information>

Coronavirus 2019: What People with Cancer Need to Know
<https://www.cancer.net/blog/2020-03/coronavirus-2019-what-people-with-cancer-need-know>



COVID-19 Clinical Oncology Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

<https://www.asco.org/sites/new-www.asco.org/files/content-files/blog-release/pdf/COVID-19-Clinical%20Oncology-FAQs-3-12-2020.pdf>

National Comprehensive Cancer Network

Self-care and Stress Management During the COVID-19 Crisis: Toolkit for Oncology Healthcare Professionals

<https://www.nccn.org/members/committees/bestpractices/files/Distress-Management-Clinician-COVID-19.pdf>

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Resources for the Cancer Care Community

<https://www.nccn.org/covid-19/default.aspx>

American Society for Transplantation and Cellular Therapy

Interim Guidelines for COVID-19 Management in Hematopoietic Cell Transplant and Cellular Therapy Patients. Version 1.1

[https://higherlogicdownload.s3.amazonaws.com/ASBMT/a1e2ac9a-36d2-4e23-945c-45118b667268/UploadedImages/COVID-19 Interim Patient Guidelines 3 9 20 V2.pdf](https://higherlogicdownload.s3.amazonaws.com/ASBMT/a1e2ac9a-36d2-4e23-945c-45118b667268/UploadedImages/COVID-19%20Interim%20Patient%20Guidelines%203%209%2020%20V2.pdf)

American Society for Radiation Oncology

COVID-19 Recommendations to Radiation Oncology Practices

<https://www.astro.org/Daily-Practice/COVID-19-Recommendations-and-Information>

RTAnswers: Emergency Preparation: Coronavirus

<https://rtanswers.org/Resources/Emergency-Preparedness>

ASTRO Advocacy in the Coronavirus Crisis

<https://www.astro.org/Blog/March-2020/ASTRO-Advocacy-in-the-Coronavirus-Crisis>

Oncology Nursing Society

ONS Interim Guidelines During the COVID-19 Pandemic

<https://www.ons.org/covid-19-interim-guidelines?ref=HC&ref=HP>

Psychosocial Support for Patients with Cancer During COVID-19

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/psychosocial-support-for-patients-with-cancer-during-covid-19?ref=HP>

ONS Information Regarding the Coronavirus (COVID-19)

<https://www.ons.org/coronavirus?ref=HC&ref=HP>



COVID-19 Fact Sheet and Implications for Patients with Cancer

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/covid-19-fact-sheet-and-implications-for-patients-with-cancer>

COVID-19 Patient Education Talking Points

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/covid-19-patient-education-talking-points>

Emotional Coping Strategies for COVID-19

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/emotional-coping-strategies-for-covid-19>

Telehealth Visits During COVID-19

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/telehealth-visits-during-covid-19>

COVID-19 Telephone Triage for Patients with Cancer

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/covid-19-telephone-triage-for-patients-with-cancer>

How to Manage PPE Supply Shortages Related to COVID-19

<https://voice.ons.org/news-and-views/how-to-manage-ppe-supply-shortages-related-to-covid-19>