

Monoclonal Antibody Infusion Process

Maniilaq Health Center



1. If you are positive and interested in a Monoclonal Antibody Infusion

- Call 907-442-7047 between the hours of 8am-5pm M-F.
- Call the ER at 907-442-7202 After 5pm and on weekends

2. When you call you will need to provide the following information to assist in determining your eligibility for the infusion:

Name

Date of Birth

Date of your positive test

Symptoms

3. This information will be forwarded to our respiratory provider to determine your eligibility for the infusion.

4. What should you expect **after you call**?

- Your request will be forwarded immediately and you will receive a call back from the provider the same day.
- The provider will inform you if you meet eligibility requirements.
- An infusion team nurse will call you if you are eligible to set up your infusion appointment.
- Infusion appointments are made **within 24 hours** if you are in Kotzebue and within **1-2 days if you are in a village** (to accommodate transportation to your community to provide the infusion).

What to Expect When Getting an Infusion

1. IV access is required.
2. The medication is infused over 1 hour.
3. You will need to plan to stay for 1 hour after your infusion to be observed to ensure your safety.
4. You may bring a book, device, or laptop as desired.
5. You will be in a comfortable isolated area to limit contact and contamination.
6. **If you live in a village** the infusion nurse will care for you in your CHAP Clinic.
7. Know that the infusion nurse is fully trained to give this medication and to assess you for any adverse reactions.
8. The infusion nurse will have medications available for any signs of an allergic reaction.
9. **After completion of your infusion and 1-hour observation period** the IV will be removed and you will be free to return to your quarantine site.
10. The infusion is available to anyone 10 years and older who meet current manufacturer approved criteria.