

COVID-19 LIFESTYLE & NUTRACEUTICAL PROTOCOL*

SYMPTOMATIC PATIENTS

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Nutraceutical Intervention	LOW RISK PATIENTS □ Astragalus Root - 500 mg BID □ Melatonin 5mg at bedtime □ N-acetyl cysteine (NAC) 900 mg BID □ Quercetin - 1,000 mg BID □ Standardized Elderberry - 250 mg BID □ Standardized EGCG - 250 mg QD □ Vitamin A - 5,000 IU BID □ Vitamin C - 1,500 mg BID (as ascorbic acid, not ascorbate) □ Vitamin D3 - 5,000 IU BID □ Zinc - 30 mg BID (elemental - any salt but not oxide or carnosine)	HIGH RISK PATIENTS □ Astaxanthin 12mg QD □ Astragalus Root - 500 mg BID □ Citicoline CDP Choline 2,000 mg QD □ (Citicoline monosodium salt) □ Melatonin 5mg at bedtime □ N-acetyl cysteine (NAC) 900 mg BID □ Quercetin - 1,000 mg BID □ Resveratrol - 100 mg QD □ Standardized Elderberry - 250 mg BID □ Standardized EGCG - 250 mg QD □ Vitamin A - 5,000 IU BID □ Vitamin C - 1,500 mg BID (as ascorbic acid, not ascorbate) □ Vitamin D3 - 5,000 IU BID □ Zinc - 30 mg BID (elemental - any salt but not oxide or carnosine)
Nutrition Recommendations	 ☐ High fiber/low sugar diet with focus on plant-based, organic foods ☐ Emphasis on foods that promote glutathione production (eg, cruciferous and allium vegetables, citrus fruits, etc) ☐ Adequate hydration with electrolyte support ** NOTE: Glycocalyx degrades for 12 hours after glucose-rich meal 	 ☐ High fiber/low sugar diet with focus on plant-based, organic foods ☐ Emphasis on foods that promote glutathione production (eg, cruciferous and allium vegetables, citrus fruits, etc) ☐ Adequate hydration with electrolyte support ** NOTE: Glycocalyx degrades for 12 hours after glucose-rich meal
Exercise	Mild exercise as tolerated (walks, tai chi, non-vigorous yoga)	Gentle movement (short walks, stretching, gentle tai chi & yoga)
Sleep	Minimum 8 hours - increase as needed	Minimum 8 hours - increase as needed
Other	Meditation/prayerSeek laughter and joySpend time in sunshine	Meditation/prayerSeek laughter and joySpend time in sunshine

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GENERAL POPULATION AND ASYMPTOMATIC PATIENTS

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Exercise	Exercise as indicated based on current and past medical history	Exercise as indicated based on current and past medical history without overexertion
Sleep	7-8 hours nightly	Minimum 8 hours - increase as needed
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