

I personally purchased off-label use drugs (ivermectin and hydroxychloroquine) for a high price to an out-of-state provider and pharmacy. I strongly believe they worked and I got them completely appropriately but I would have MUCH rather have got them locally. Now, with the high cost and difficulty in utilizing out-of-state providers- you will have people continuing to use horse paste for Ivermectin in desperation for proper treatment. If doctors and pharmacies weren't so discouraged and penalized for using these drugs- patients would actually be safer by being under the care of a local doctor taking prescribed human form medications. Honestly, I am one of those people. I used the expensive treatment on my daughter then got the cheaper paste for myself. I feel that she recovered better and faster but we both fared very well with these medications (in addition to Vitamin C, D, Zinc, and monoclonal antibodies).

Also absolutely...unfortunately...we must protect patients NOW from vaccine discrimination. As a nurse, we are trained to care for drug addicts and rapists the same as anyone else. This should be NO different! It is entirely unfair to even consider treating an unvaccinated person differently than a vaccinated person. Please pass this bill to protect patients NOW.