Clinical research studies are trying to find out which drugs might be effective and safe for COVID-19. It is best to avoid medications to treat or prevent COVID-19 outside of a study until we know they work. Here’s what we know so far about whether these medications are effective for COVID-19.

- **Hydroxychloroquine**: Malaria, arthritis drug
- **Chloroquine**: Malaria drug
- **Remdesivir**: Anti-viral drug
- **Lopinavir/Ritonavir**: (Kaletra®) HIV drug
- **Tocilizumab**: Immunosuppressant
- **Vitamins**: Vitamin C, Vitamin D
- **Supplements**: Zinc
- **Antibiotics**: Drugs that kill bacteria

For information on the truths in COVID-19, visit [www.canada.ca/COVID-19](http://www.canada.ca/COVID-19) and talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you have questions.

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