

## Junior doctor scenario

**Read the following scenario and then use BMJ Best Practice Comorbidities to come up with a high quality and holistic management plan**

You are working as a junior doctor in the Emergency Department on a Friday evening. A 70-year-old woman comes to see you with shortness of breath, loss of taste, and a fever. She has been unwell for a week and has a history of heart failure and depression. She is taking an SSRI, ACE inhibitor and a diuretic to address her existing comorbidities. Examination confirms the patient has crackles throughout her chest and oedema to her ankles.

Tests and chest x-ray confirm the clinical suspicion of severe COVID-19 infection with bilateral lung infiltrates.

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