

I took my husband, Walt Sarapata, to the ER of Miami Valley South (Centerville, Ohio) on October 4, 2021 when he fell and passed out at home. He was experiencing nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. He was put on an IV saline drip. All test results came back normal, including an EKG and CT Scan. He tested positive for Covid.

After a few hours, he felt so good, he wanted to go home. He was advised to spend the night due to the fact that he hit his head when he fell. Again, he said that he felt fine and we asked if there was any reason to stay due to the Covid diagnosis. We were told no.

At no time was there an offer of monoclonal antibodies or any other treatment pertaining to the Covid diagnosis. I asked if Ivermectin was part of the Covid protocol and was told no. When I offered studies on its use, the doctor said that he didn't need to see them.

After returning home, Walt slept a lot and began to run a slight fever. I made sure that he drank a lot of fluids. By October 20, I noticed more erratic and strained breathing and called 911. He was taken by ambulance back to the ER of Miami Valley South and then to the Covid Ward at Miami Valley Hospital Main Campus (Dayton, Ohio).

Once it was known that he was unvaccinated, I noticed an air of hostility toward him and later, myself, when I was admitted. In his hospital records was the following sentence - "Patient is unvaccinated because patient and wife claim they did their 'research' and felt the vaccine was rushed." For the first time in my life, I had no say in my treatment nor that of my husband's - there was a Covid protocol to be followed, no exceptions.

During the course of our hospital stays, I repeatedly asked for myself and my husband to be treated with Ivermectin, offering studies and the protocols followed at FLCCC.com. I even offered the Ivermectin I already had at home, if the hospital didn't have any. All of the doctors said no.

When told that Walt would probably not survive, I cried and begged for Ivermectin to be tried - again, I was told no. I tried to use the Right to Try Act and said that I would sign anything releasing them from all liability. Again, my request was denied.

I told them not to put my husband on a respirator, but they did so on October 24, 2021. He died on October 30, 2021.

During my own stay (from 10/22/21 to 11/2/21), I heard the following from the nurses:

- "If everyone would have said 'no' from the beginning, this wouldn't have gotten so out of control."
- "If Covid vaccines are mandated, my daughter, who is also a nurse, and I will both quit."
- "Not everyone around here agrees with the Covid protocols."

I sent the following letter to Miami Valley Hospital:

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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

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RE: Cathy L. Sarapata #207-10-72-57 (Acct:107831946 CSN# 121219498)
Walter A. Sarapata (Deceased) #206-10-40-77 (Acct:107779896 CSN# 120758040)

To Whom It May Concern:

After reviewing my medical records and those of my husband, Walter A. Sarapata (Deceased), I would appreciate this letter being added to both records.

During my hospitalization at Miami Valley Hospital, for the first time in my life, I did not feel that I had any say in my care. Being an active participant in the treatment of my breast cancer for the past fifteen years, it was very disheartening and frustrating to be shut out of any opinions or suggestions for my Covid-19 treatment. It was obvious to me that there was an established protocol to follow regarding a Covid-19 diagnosis and any input from me was unwanted and definitely not encouraged. I requested to be treated with Ivermectin (for myself and my husband) and was denied such treatment. Specifically, Dr. Chambers said to me, “you won’t be receiving Ivermectin here.”

When I offered two Ivermectin studies to doctors (both at MVH South and MVH) detailing the successful use of Ivermectin, along with the Front Line Critical Care Doctors’ website detailing these treatments, I was ignored. Even when my husband was intubated and his prognosis was poor (he later passed away), the use of Ivermectin was not even considered. (At the bottom of this letter, you will find multiple studies and testimonials regarding the successful use of Ivermectin.)

Kathryn B. Goeke, MD stated in my husband’s medical record that “[P]atient is unvaccinated because patient and wife claim they did their ‘research’ and felt the vaccine was rushed.” Not only did this statement sound condescending, it was hurtful for me to read. My husband and I did very extensive research and we made the medical decision not to receive the experimental injection (a/k/a “vaccine”), which could only be administered under Emergency Use

Authorization. On numerous occasions during my stay, I was questioned about our decision to remain unvaccinated, which was obviously regarded as a mistake - voice tones say a lot. As with the Ivermectin studies and the FLCCC.COM website, when I began to offer differing opinions and even statistics easily obtainable from the CDC's VAERS data regarding deaths and adverse events to the "vaccines," I was, once again, ignored.

After I was released from MVH, I was treated with the Ivermectin protocol and made a full and complete recovery. I have no fatigue, brain fog or any other symptoms associated with long-Covid. Although these have been trying times and the narrative has been politicized, I would like to know: How could my husband be allowed to die without trying any and every drug available to save his life? When the truth comes out (and it will), all of those that participated in this medical failure will have to live with themselves. For me, my conscience is clear. I tried my best, but my pleas fell on deaf ears.

It should also be noted that the nurses who treated me remained non-judgmental and provided me excellent care, both physically and emotionally.

Very truly yours,

Cathy L. Sarapata

cc: Steven Lawrence Chambers, MD (via certified mail)
Kathryn B. Goeke, MD (via certified mail)

SUPPORTING IVERMECTIN STUDIES

Frontline COVID-19 Critical Care Alliance (FLCCC) has been calling for widespread adoption of Ivermectin, both as a prophylactic and for the treatment of all phases of COVID-19. FLCCC president Dr. Pierre Kory, former professor of medicine at St. Luke's Aurora Medical Center in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has testified to the benefits of Ivermectin before a number of COVID-19 panels, including the most recent Senate Committee meeting in January 2022. As noted by the FLCCC:

"The data shows the ability of the drug Ivermectin to prevent COVID-19, to keep those with early symptoms from progressing to the hyper-inflammatory phase of the disease, and even to help critically ill patients recover."

Dr. Kory testified that Ivermectin is effectively a 'miracle drug' against COVID-19 and

". . . data from 18 randomized controlled trials that included over 2,100 patients . . . demonstrated that Ivermectin produces faster viral clearance, faster time to hospital discharge, faster time to clinical recovery, and a 75% reduction in mortality rates."

“An off-patent drug called Ivermectin, one of the most widely-used drugs in the world, is also able to reduce symptoms at any stage of the disease, including lethality by about 90%.”

- Michael Yeadon, Ph.D., a life science researcher and former vice-president and chief scientist of allergy and respiratory research at Pfizer

“There are ways to treat Covid with Hydroxychloroquine and Ivermectin that have been suppressed by the government.”

- Brian Hooker, Ph.D., Children’s Health Defense Chief Scientific Officer

“After treating over 15 COVID-19 patients with Ivermectin, vitamin D loading and zinc, none of them came close to the hospital.”

- Dr. Daniel Stock

“Ivermectin has virtually no side effects and has been shown to effectively treat COVID-19.”

- Jodi O’Malley, a registered nurse who works for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ Indian Health Services branch in Phoenix, Arizona

“The evidence for Ivermectin in the treatment of COVID-19 is strong. A 13-study meta-analysis found a 68% reduction in deaths. A follow-up review that included 15 studies found a 62% to 72% reduction in deaths (April 7, 2021).

A meta-analysis published in the July-August 2021 (28(4): e434-e460) issue of the American Journal of Therapeutics, which included 24 randomized controlled trials with a total of 3,406 participants, reported reductions in death ranging between 79% and 91%.

What makes Ivermectin particularly useful in COVID-19 is that it works both in the initial viral phase of the illness, when antivirals are required, and in the later inflammatory stage, when the viral load drops off and anti-inflammatories become necessary.”

- Dr. Tess Lawrie, Director of Evidence-Based Medicine Consultancy Ltd.

“The drug reduces replication of the SARS-CoV-2 virus by several thousand times (Antiviral Research June 2020; 178: 104787). My white paper (Indian Journal of Tuberculosis July 2020; 67(3): 448-451) led several Indian provinces to start using Ivermectin, both as a prophylactic and as treatment for COVID-19 in the summer of 2020 (Financial Express April 14, 2021).”

- Dr. Surya Kant, a medical doctor in India

“The head of the Tokyo Medical Association appeared on national television in September urging doctors to use Ivermectin and they listened. A little over a month later, COVID-19 is under control in Japan ... Japan had slavishly adhered to all the Big Pharma prescriptions, including quarantine, contact tracing, masking, social distance, but finally the pandemic had hit them hard after they started aggressive vaccination in May 2021. The results looked good initially, but in mid-July they started rising again and on August 6 cases hit a new all-time high and continued to rise. Ivermectin was allowed as a treatment on August 13 and after 2 weeks, the cases started to come down. In fact, they are now down 99% from the peak ... In Japan, doctors can now prescribe it without restrictions, and people can buy it legally from India.”

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