

Role: Patient

You are 56-year-old person of color (POC) admitted to the ICU with COVID pneumonia. You never received the vaccination because you read articles on social media that the vaccine was causing more side effects in POC. After several days in the ICU, the medical team managed to wean your high flow nasal canula to a simple nasal canula running at 2 liters of supplemental oxygen. They want to discharge you home on oxygen, but you think you are starting to feel worse. You are in more pain, and you think it is getting more difficult to breath, not easier. The medical team just performed a chest x-ray and are arriving to provide you with the results.

The exercise begins with the medical team providing you with the imaging results and telling you you're ready to go home. At some point during the exercise, ask if there are other medications you can go home on, like paxlovid. Also, tell the medical team you are starting to develop a lot of pain today and wondering if you can go home with some pain pills.