

**COVID 19**  
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## Information Sheet 2      Mould and COVID 19 connection

### **Mould may be a trigger for immune issues and susceptibility to COVID 19**

#### **Overview**

I have read with interest and edited the following bullet points which are taken from a paper published on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020 and written by leading mould warrior and toxicologist Lisa Petrison PhD. The paper was reviewed by Mary Ackerley, M.D.; Keith Berndtson, M.D.; Erik Johnson; and David C. Straus, Ph.D

#### **Summary**

The following “professional” opinions and research may point to the elevated risk of **COVID 19** and those with reduced immune response or exposure to some species of mould.

#### **Edited highlights**

- Wuhan the centre of disease in China has out of control flooding (mould risk)
- A research article from late 2018 showed that bats infected with White Nose Syndrome (a fungal disease) demonstrated 60x more viral shedding of a coronavirus than non-infected bats.  
[https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6195612/?utm\\_source=newsletter&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=the\\_mold\\_coronavirus\\_connection&utm\\_term=2020-03-21](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6195612/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=the_mold_coronavirus_connection&utm_term=2020-03-21)
- A new journal article from UK provides additional insights into the difficulties that human immune systems may have in dealing simultaneously with fungal and viral infections.  
<https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2020/02/200227144226.htm?fbclid=IwAR2ojBusFo69-MSHtaHONTPGg->

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- Nano particles produced by mould may be a carrier for chemicals, (mycotoxins) through the blood brain barrier, which may explain the increasing number of mast cell issues currently being seen

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- Naturopath Nicola Ducharme wrote a new blog article called "Mast Cell Activation Syndrome - Relationship to Lyme Disease and Mycotoxin Illness

[https://www.mastcelldisease.org/2020/02/24/exposure-to-silver-nanoparticles-primes-mast-cells-for-enhanced-activation/?utm\\_source=newsletter&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=the\\_mold\\_coronavirus\\_connection&utm\\_term=2020-03-21](https://www.mastcelldisease.org/2020/02/24/exposure-to-silver-nanoparticles-primes-mast-cells-for-enhanced-activation/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=the_mold_coronavirus_connection&utm_term=2020-03-21)

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### **Conclusion**

Mould is known to suppress immune response. Perhaps those with known immune response are more at risk from COVID 19. Personally I don't know and it is for you to speak with your medical team and assess the possible benefits of the following service

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