



PHYSICIAN TO THE PRESIDENT
THE WHITE HOUSE

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MEMORANDUM FOR: KARINE JEAN-PIERRE
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY

FROM: KEVIN C. O'CONNOR, D.O., FAAFP
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SUBJECT: President Biden COVID Update

President Biden completed his sixth dose of PAXLOVID this morning. He is still experiencing a loose, non-productive cough and hoarseness, but his symptoms continue to improve steadily. His pulse, blood pressure, respiratory rate and temperature remain absolutely normal. His oxygen saturation continues to be excellent on room air. His lungs remain clear.

Genomic sequencing has determined that the SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) variant which the President has encountered is the KP .2.3 variant. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the KP .2.3 variant accounts for approximately 33.3% of new infections in the United States.

The President continues to tolerate treatment well and will continue PAXLOVID as planned. He continues to perform all of his presidential duties.

I will continue to keep your office updated with any changes in his condition or treatment plan.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. O'Connor".

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