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Recent Advances in the Understanding and Management of Mucormycosis

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Abstract: Mucormycosis is a fungal infection brimming a war in the shadow of covid-19 in India, Mucormycosis is caused by molds called as mucormycetes, corona virus disease caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome corona virus. (SARS-COV-2) has associated with wide range of bacterial and fungal infection. Aspergillasis and Candida have been reported the main fungal pathogens for co-infection in the people of covid19. Covid-19 increases/leads to weakened immune system preventing the body form effectively protecting against infection as a result individuals recovering from covid-19 are the risk for Mucormycosis. Steroid treatment for covid-19 may also act to suppress the body's immune response contributing to these increased Mucormycosis infection rate. Mucormycosis is highly tendency for contigenous spread associated with poor progenosis and other immunosuppressive condition including corticosteroid theraphy and other drug theraphy are known risk factor for Mucormycosis.

Keywords: *Mucormycosis, covid-19, corticosteroid theraphy, drug theraphy, immunosupression, fungal infection*

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