

**Table:** Epidemiologic studies on the risk of infection and severity of disease progression of COVID-19 with ACE inhibitors and angiotensin II receptor blockers

Author Typ of study Period of time Country	Patients		Results				Annotations	
	Number of patients tested (T), infected (I) or with severe disease (S) or number of controls (C)	Number of patients treated with <b>ACE</b> inhibitors / AT II blockers			adjusted Odds Ratio <sup>a</sup> (OR) (95% confidence interval)			
			ACE	AT	ACE	AT		
<b>MANCIA<sup>1</sup></b> Case-control study 21.2.20-11.3.20 Italy	I: 6.272 C: 30.759 S: 617 C: 2.969	I: 1.502 C: 6.569 S: n.s. C: n.s.	1.394 5.910 n.s. n.s.		<b>Infektion</b> 0,96 (0,87 - 1,07) <b>Severe disease</b> 0,91 (0,69 - 1,21)	0,95 (0,86 - 1,05) 0,83 (0,63 - 1,10)	Use of the antihypertensives in 2019, severe disease = ventilation or death	
<b>REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup></b> Cohort study 1.3.20-15.4.20 USA (New York)	T: 12.594 I: 5.894 S: 1.002	T: 1.044 I: 627 S: 150	1.328 664 162		<b>Positive test</b> (median difference) -2,5% (-6,7 - 1,6) <b>Severe disease</b> (median difference) -1,9% (-6,6 - 2,8)	2,2% (-1,9 - 6,3) -1,4% (-6,1 - 3,3)	Use of the antihypertensives in the last 18 months, severe disease = intensive care unit, ventilation or death	
<b>MEHTA<sup>3</sup></b> Cohort study 8.3.20-12.4.20 USA (Florida, Ohio)	T: 18.472 I: 1.735 S: 421	T: 1.322 I: 116 S: n.s.	982 98 n.s.		<b>Positive test</b> 0,89 (0,72 - 1,10) <b>Severe disease</b> 1,84 (1,22 - 2,79) <sup>b</sup>	1,09 (0,87 - 1,37) 1,61 (-1,04 - 2,50) <sup>b</sup>	Use of the antihypertensives at time of testing, severe disease = hospitalisation <sup>b</sup>	
<b>MEHRA<sup>4d</sup></b> Cohort study 20.12.19-29.3.20 Europe (65%), Asia, North Amerika	I: 8.910 S: 515	I: 770 S: 16	556 38		<b>Severe disease</b> 0,33 (0,20 - 0,54)	1,23 (0,87 - 1,74)	Infected hospitalised patients, Use of the antihypertensives at the time of hospitalisation, severe disease = in-hospital death	
<b>De ABAJO<sup>5</sup></b> Case-control study 1.3.20-24.3.20 Spain	S: 1.139 C: 11.390	S: 240 C: 2.192	237 1.552		<b>Severe disease</b> 0,80 (0,64 - 1,00) <sup>c</sup>	1,10 (0,88 - 1,37) <sup>c</sup>	Infected hospitalised patients, Use of the antihypertensives until at least 1 month prior to hospitalisation, severe disease = hospitalisation <sup>c</sup>	

Abbreviations: n.s. = not stated

a In REYNOLDS median difference with 95% confidence interval is given.

b For the endpoint intensive care unit (161 patients) OR 1,77 (1,07 - 2,92 [ACE]), OR 1,16 (0,67 - 2,02 [AT]), respectively.

c For the endpoint intensive care unit or death (393 cases) OR 0,92 (0,65 - 1,29 [ACE]), OR 1,25 (0,89 - 1,77 [AT]), respectively.

d Study retracted, see below