The New Coronavirus (COVID-19) and its Potential Effects on the Body

Most people with COVID-19 disease will have no symptoms or will have mild-to-moderate symptoms. Severe disease is uncommon. Talk with your health provider if you have symptoms or think you have been exposed.

Older adults are at a higher risk for serious complications or severe disease. Adults over the age of 60 years old account for the majority of deaths from COVID-19. In addition, patients with diabetes, obesity, or high blood pressure are more likely to develop serious disease.