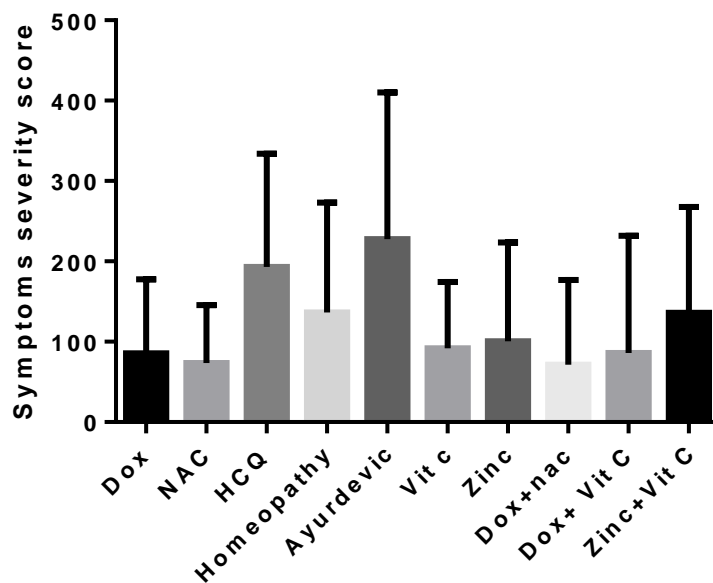


Prophylactic use of some medicines probably acts for COVID-19: a real world observation

This is a picture indicating efficacy of preventive efforts in reducing the symptom load of covid-19 patients. We conducted survey in our patients who consulted us after suffering from covid-19. We noted the prophylaxis used (just the names of the agents), if any, alongside noting the severity of symptoms with the duration. Thus, we prepared a symptom severity score and tried to see for which agent (been used) the score is minimum. Although the number of patients in this survey is small, the results show a trend of relatively better efficacy for NAC and doxycycline.



[Dox: doxycycline, NAC: N-acetylcysteine, HCQ: hydroxychloroquine. (n=105)]

This real world observation indicates a prospect for the use of prophylaxis. We are continuing data collection to verify the findings in a larger number of patients and in better details. The observation also mandates a lot of field research to do with urgent effects.