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Tiziano Barbui, MD

Dear Dr. Barbui:

On behalf of the American Society of Hematology (ASH) and the hematology community, I would like to thank you for your important and ongoing service as a contributor to the hematology and COVID-19 Frequently Asked Clinical Questions (FAQs), which are available on the ASH website at www.hematology.org/covid-19.

The FAQs remain a critical element of the Society's response to the COVID-19 pandemic by providing succinct expert consensus on clinical questions raised worldwide as to the ongoing treatment of people living with hematologic conditions during a pandemic. The data in [this online report](#) illustrate the value of these FAQs, which have collectively been accessed more than 1.4 million times by users from nearly every country in the world. ASH and I have also received many kudos from users of the FAQs that attest to their value as a source of "curbside consults" during this rapidly developing public health crisis.

I hope that you continue to find your work contributing to the FAQs to be worthwhile. ASH is fortunate to have members such as yourself who generously volunteer their time, energy, and expertise to the betterment of the Society and the subspecialty of hematology.

Once again, I extend my sincere appreciation for your commitment to ASH and the field of hematology.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'SL' or similar, written in a cursive style.

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2020 ASH President