Thyroid eye disease affects Medicare patients’ quality of life.

In fact, 90% of patients said thyroid eye disease has “significantly” impacted their lives.

Thyroid eye disease can cause:
- Pain
- Eye Bulging
- Double Vision
- In Severe Cases, Vision Loss

Since the start of the coronavirus pandemic, patients experienced:
- 98% increased stress levels
- 82% difficulties scheduling an appointment
- 92% difficulties traveling to an appointment
- 70% skipped or missed appointments due to fears of COVID-19

Patients agreed treatment infused by a medical professional from their own home:
- 100% would be more convenient and less risky
- 96% would reduce the burden on their caregivers
- 94% would reduce disruptions to care

Expanding Medicare coverage to include home infusion for thyroid eye disease can protect patients & maintain care.

Demographics:
Respondents were 44% male, 56% female. All were age 65 or older. Respondents were 60% white, 20% Black, 14% Hispanic and 6% Asian.