

Mefenamic acid in combination with ribavirin significantly reduces chikungunya virus infection in vitro and in vivo.

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- Chikungunya virus (CHIKV) infection is a persistent problem worldwide due to efficient adaptation of the viral vectors, *Aedes aegypti* and *Aedes albopictus* mosquitoes. Therefore, the absence of effective anti-CHIKV drugs to combat chikungunya outbreaks often leads to a significant impact on public health care.
- Pre-clinical data has highlighted that mefenamic acid significantly impairs CHIKV replication, individually or in combination with the common antiviral drug, ribavirin.

*Mefenamic acid in combination with ribavirin
exhibits significant antiviral activity against
Chikungunya virus.*