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Ivermectin is an antiparasitic widely used as a horse dewormer. It's been touted in right-wing media as a miracle cure to COVID-19, even though there's no experimental data to back the claim.

The ACLU of Arkansas condemned the actions of Washington County Sheriff Tim Helder and a jail physician, writing: "No one — including incarcerated individuals — should be deceived and subject to medical experimentation. Sheriff Helder has a responsibility to provide food, shelter, and safe, appropriate care to incarcerated individuals."

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