

Getting Vaccinated Against COVID-19



Getting vaccinated is one of many steps you can take to protect yourself and others from COVID-19. All vaccines have been proven to prevent serious illness, hospitalization and death.

It doesn't matter which vaccine you get. Just get vaccinated when it is your turn.

A Quick Glance: COVID-19 Vaccines

	Pfizer-BioNTech	Moderna	Johnson & Johnson
Status	Emergency use in the U.S. and other countries	Emergency use in the U.S. and other countries	Emergency use in the U.S. and other countries
Recommended for	Anyone 16 and older	Adults 18 and older	Adults 18 and older
Dosage	Two shots, 21 days apart	Two shots, 28 days apart	One shot
Common Side Effects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chills • Headache • Pain • Tiredness • Redness and/or swelling at injection site 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chills • Headache • Pain • Tiredness • Redness and/or swelling at injection site 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chills • Headache • Pain • Tiredness • Redness and/or swelling at injection site
Type of Vaccine	mRNA	mRNA	Viral Vector
How it works	More info (CDC website)	More info (CDC website)	More info (CDC website)
Effectiveness against symptomatic COVID-19 illness	95%	95%	72%
Hospitalization and Death Prevention	Extremely effective	Extremely effective	Extremely effective