

COVID-19 Vaccination

What You Need To Know



Pfizer

- 2 shots given 21 days apart (Age 12+)
- 3rd Dose available for "moderately to severely immunocompromised people" at least 28 days after their 2nd shot
- Please Note: 3rd Dose shots and Booster shots are a full dose
- Please Note: Currently pending authorization for ages 5 to 11

Moderna

- 2 shots given 28 days apart (Age 18+)
- 3rd Dose available for "moderately to severely immunocompromised people" at least 28 days after their 2nd shot
- Please Note: 3rd Dose shots are a full dose
- Please Note: Booster shot is half (1/2) of a full dose

Johnson & Johnson (Janssen)

- 1 shot (Age 18+)

Booster Shots (Pfizer & Moderna)

- People 65 years and older and residents in long-term care settings should receive a booster shot at least 6 months after their 2nd shot
- People aged 50–64 years with underlying medical conditions should receive a booster shot at least 6 months after their 2nd shot
- People aged 18–49 years with underlying medical conditions may receive a booster shot at least 6 months after their 2nd shot
- People aged 18-64 years who are at increased risk for COVID-19 exposure and transmission because of occupational or institutional setting may receive a booster shot at least 6 months after their 2nd shot

Booster Shots ("Janssen")

- People aged 18 years and older (18+) should receive a booster shot at least 2 months after their 1st shot

Eligibility Status for Booster Shots

- Individuals who already received a 3rd Dose due to an immunocompromised immune system are NOT eligible for a Booster shot

Mixing & Matching of Booster Shots

- Both the FDA and CDC support individuals to receive a Booster shot that is a different vaccine than the vaccine type that the individual originally received
- An individual must be fully vaccinated with one vaccine type prior to receiving a Booster shot of another vaccine type
 - Pfizer: must have received 1st and 2nd dose given 21 days apart
 - Moderna: must have received 1st and 2nd dose given 28 days apart
 - Janssen: must have received their 1st dose



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