

**COVID-19 VACCINE – CDC GUIDELINES**

	<b>Children 5-11</b>	<b>Children &amp; Teens 12-17</b>	<b>Adults 18-49</b>	<b>Adults 50+</b>
<b>PFIZER</b>				
<b>1st dose</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>2nd dose</b>	Yes • 3 weeks after 1st dose • Must be Pfizer	Yes • 3-8 weeks after 1st dose • Must be Pfizer	Yes • 3-8 weeks after 1st dose • Should be Pfizer	Yes • 3-8 weeks after 1st dose • Should be Pfizer
<b>1st booster</b>	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Must be Pfizer	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Must be Pfizer	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Can be Pfizer or Moderna	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Can be Pfizer or Moderna
<b>2nd booster</b>	No	No	No	Yes (optional) • At least 4 months after 1st booster • Can be Pfizer or Moderna
<b>MODERNA</b>				
<b>1st dose</b>	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>2nd dose</b>	No	No	Yes • 4-8 weeks after 1st dose • Should be Moderna	Yes • 4-8 weeks after 1st dose • Should be Moderna
<b>1st booster</b>	No	No	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Can be Pfizer or Moderna	Yes • At least 5 months after 2nd dose • Can be Pfizer or Moderna
<b>2nd booster</b>	No	No	No	Yes (optional) • At least 4 months after 1st booster • Can be Pfizer or Moderna
<b>JOHNSON &amp; JOHNSON</b>				
<b>1st dose</b>	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>2nd dose</b>	No	No	No	No
<b>1st booster</b>	No	No	Yes • At least 2 months after 1st dose • Should be Pfizer or Moderna	Yes • At least 2 months after 1st dose • Should be Pfizer or Moderna
<b>2nd booster</b>	No	No	Yes* • *ONLY IF 1st booster was also J&J • At least 4 months after 1st booster • Should be Pfizer or Moderna	Yes • Recommended if 1st booster was also J&J • Optional if 1st booster was Pfizer or Moderna • At least 4 months after 1st booster

- People ages 5-11, people ages 65+, people who are immunocompromised, or anyone wanting extra protection due to high levels of community transmission: Should get 2<sup>nd</sup> dose 3 weeks after 1<sup>st</sup> dose (Pfizer) or 4 weeks after 1<sup>st</sup> dose (Moderna, adults only)
- People ages 12-64, especially males 12-39: Consider 2<sup>nd</sup> dose (Pfizer or Moderna) 8 weeks after 1<sup>st</sup> dose

See guidelines for people who are immunocompromised, people who have or recently had COVID-19, and people who were vaccinated outside the United States, reverse page.

## People who are immunocompromised

All ages: Should get 2<sup>nd</sup> dose 3 weeks after 1<sup>st</sup> dose (Pfizer) or 4 weeks after 1<sup>st</sup> dose (Moderna, adults only)

Children 5-11: Should get 3<sup>rd</sup> Pfizer dose, at least 4 weeks after 2<sup>nd</sup> dose.

Pre-teens, teens, & adults: Should get 3<sup>rd</sup> Pfizer dose (12+) or 3<sup>rd</sup> Moderna dose (18+), at least 4 weeks after 2<sup>nd</sup> dose; Should get 1st booster (Pfizer 12+ or Moderna 18+), at least 3 months after 3<sup>rd</sup> dose  
Optional 2<sup>nd</sup> booster (Pfizer 12+ or Moderna 18+), at least 4 months after 1<sup>st</sup> booster

## People who have or recently had COVID-19

- Wait to receive any vaccine, including a COVID-19 vaccine, until after they recover and complete their isolation period.
- If they recently had COVID-19, they *may* consider delaying their next booster by 3 months from when their symptoms started or, if they had no symptoms, when they first received a positive test.

## People who were vaccinated outside the United States

### Accepted COVID-19 Vaccines:

Vaccines approved or authorized by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA):

- Johnson & Johnson's Janssen
- Moderna
- Pfizer-BioNTech

Vaccines listed for emergency use by the World Health Organization (WHO):

- Johnson & Johnson's Janssen
- Moderna
- Pfizer-BioNTech
- AstraZeneca
- Covaxin
- Covishield
- BIBP/Sinopharm
- Sinovac
- Novavax/Covovax

If they received a COVID-19 vaccine that is NOT on either of the lists above, they should start COVID-19 vaccination over with an FDA-authorized or approved COVID-19 vaccine. Before receiving an FDA-authorized or approved COVID-19 vaccine, wait at least 28 days after the last dose of the non-FDA-authorized or approved vaccine.

If vaccinated outside of the United States, they have completed the primary series if they:

- Received one dose of a single-dose accepted COVID-19 vaccine (on either list above)
- Received two doses (or any accepted combination) of a two-dose accepted COVID-19 vaccine (on either list above)

CDC does not recommend mixing different COVID-19 vaccines for the primary series but is aware that this is increasingly common in many countries outside of the United States. Therefore, for the interpretation of vaccination records, people who received a mixed primary series have completed the primary series.

If they received a COVID-19 vaccine that IS on either of the lists above, but they have NOT completed the primary series as described above, they do not have to start the primary series over. They should get one primary series dose (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna). If the first dose was an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine, it would be best to get the same vaccine again to complete the primary series. They should also receive a booster when eligible.

If they received a COVID-19 vaccine that IS on either of the lists above AND they completed the primary series, then they are eligible for the booster per the guidelines above.