



# COVID-19 VACCINE ELIGIBILITY

## Primary, Additional and Booster Doses for FDA Approved/Authorized COVID-19 Vaccines<sup>1</sup>

	Pfizer <sup>2</sup> /Comirnaty	Moderna <sup>3</sup>	Johnson & Johnson (J&J)
<b>Eligible age</b>	Everyone 5 and older <sup>1</sup>	Everyone 18 and older	Everyone 18 and older
<b>Primary Series</b>	Two doses 21 days apart	Two doses 28 days apart	One dose
<b>Additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) Dose</b> <sup>3,4</sup>	<b>Who: Strongly recommended</b> if you are age 12 or older and have a moderately or severely <a href="#">weakened immune system</a> .		Not recommended. See Booster Dose below.
	<b>When:</b> At least 28 days after your second dose		
<b>Booster Dose</b> <sup>3,5</sup>  <i>A booster dose may be any COVID-19 vaccine (J&amp;J, Pfizer, or Moderna)</i>	<b>Who: Strongly Recommended</b> for everyone age 18 and older.  Very important if you are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 65 and older</li> <li>• Age 18 and older and have an <a href="#">underlying medical condition</a> or have risk of exposure at work or in the community.</li> </ul>		<b>Who: Strongly recommended</b> for everyone who got J&J for their primary series.  This includes if you have a moderately or severely <a href="#">weakened immune system</a> .
	<b>When:</b> At least 6 months after your second dose <sup>6</sup> .		<b>When:</b> At least 2 months after your J&J dose.

- 1** If you received a WHO-listed vaccine or a vaccine as part of a COVID-19 vaccine clinical trial, see table on the next page for additional dose and booster dose information.
- 2** The Pfizer vaccine for children 5-11 years of age has the same active ingredients as the adult vaccine but is a smaller dose (1/3<sup>rd</sup> the dose that teens and adults receive).
- 3** Moderna doses vary. The primary series and the additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) dose are a full dose. The booster dose is a half dose.
- 4** **Additional dose** - The CDC recommends that [moderately to severely immunocompromised people](#) who received an mRNA vaccine (Pfizer or Moderna) as their primary series receive an additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) dose. The additional dose should be the same COVID-19 vaccine as their primary series. Talk to your doctor about the need to get an additional dose of COVID-19 vaccine and ask about the best timing based on your current treatment plan. *Note:* if you are immunocompromised and received the J&J vaccine for your primary series, you should get a booster dose.
- 5** **Booster doses.** You may choose which vaccine you receive as a booster dose. It can be a booster dose of Pfizer, Moderna, or J&J COVID-19 vaccine. Talk to your doctor if you have questions about the risks and benefits of a booster or about which vaccine to get as a booster.
- 6** If you are immunocompromised, this will be 6 months after your additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) dose.

For more information, see [How to get Vaccinated](#), [Doses for Immunocompromised](#) and [Booster Doses](#).





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## Additional and Booster Doses for Fully Vaccinated<sup>1</sup> Persons Who Received a Non-FDA Authorized/Approved Vaccine for Their Primary Series

	WHO-listed COVID-19 vaccine <sup>2</sup>	Active vaccine from a COVID-19 clinical trial <sup>3</sup>
<b>Additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) Dose</b> <sup>4</sup>	<b>Who: Strongly recommended</b> if you are age 12 or older and have a moderately or severely <a href="#">weakened immune system</a> .	
	<b>When:</b> At least 28 days after your second dose	
<b>Booster Dose</b> <sup>4</sup>	<b>Who: Strongly Recommended</b> for everyone age 18 and older.  Very important if you are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 65 and older</li> <li>• Age 18 and older and have an <a href="#">underlying medical condition</a> or have risk of exposure at work or in the community.</li> </ul>	
	<b>When:</b> At least 6 months after your second dose <sup>5</sup> .	

- 1 You are considered fully vaccinated** two weeks after receiving your final dose of the vaccine series. See [When You've Been Fully Vaccinated](#) webpage for more details.
- 2 This also includes if you completed a mix and match series.** A mix and match series is a combination of FDA-approved, FDA-authorized, or WHO-listed COVID-19 vaccines. Current non-FDA approved/authorized [WHO-listed vaccines](#) are AstraZeneca-Oxford (e.g., Covishield, Vaxzevria), Sinopharm, Sinovac, and Covaxin. See the [When Am I Fully Vaccinated?](#) section on the *When You've Been Fully Vaccinated webpage* to learn more.
- 3 If you took part in the AstraZeneca or Novavax clinical vaccine trial** and you received the “active” COVID-19 vaccine (not placebo).
- 4 The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine is the only vaccine authorized** as an additional dose or booster for people who did not receive an FDA authorized/approved COVID-19 vaccine series.
- 5 If you are immunocompromised**, this will be 6 months after your additional (3<sup>rd</sup>) dose.

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