

Fast Facts: COVID-19 Vaccines

Go to MyVaccine.FL.gov to pre-register for vaccine at state-supported sites in your area.



The U.S. vaccine safety system makes sure that all vaccines are as safe as possible: COVID-19 vaccines have gone through the same safety standards as other vaccines.

COVID-19 vaccine teaches your body how to recognize and fight the virus that causes COVID-19. The vaccine:

- Doesn't give you COVID-19.
- Can keep you from getting seriously ill even if you do get COVID-19.



After vaccination, you might have some side effects—they will go away in a few days. Side effects are normal signs your body is building protection. Side effects include:

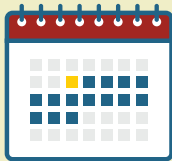
- Pain and swelling on the arm with the shot.
- Fever, chills, tiredness and headache.



Florida's COVID-19
Call Center:
1-866-779-6121,
press 3

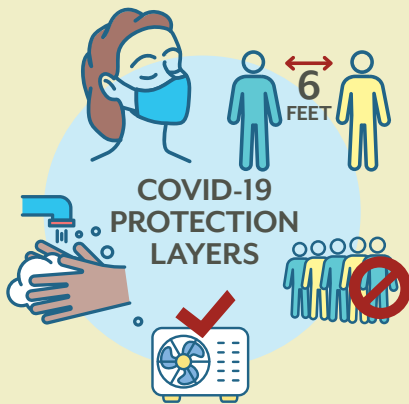
If you're worried about certain side effects, call:

- Your health care provider.
- The COVID-19 Call Center at 1-866-779-6121, and press 3 to talk to a medical professional (the call center is open 24/7).



You're fully vaccinated when your body has built up protection against the virus. That's two weeks after:

- The second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccines.
- The single-dose of Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine.



Until you're fully vaccinated, keep using the COVID-19 protection layers: wear a mask, stay 6 feet apart from others, avoid crowds and poorly ventilated spaces, and wash your hands a lot.

We're still learning how effective the vaccines are, and how long they can protect people. For now, after you've been fully vaccinated, keep using the COVID-19 protection layers when you're:

- In public.
- Gathering with unvaccinated people from more than one other household.
- Visiting an unvaccinated person who is at increased risk of severe illness or death from COVID-19 or who lives with a person at increased risk.

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COVID-19 vaccine is free of charge to people living in the U.S. Learn more at [CDC.gov/Coronavirus/2019-nCoV/Vaccines/KeyThingsToKnow.html](https://www.cdc.gov/Coronavirus/2019-nCoV/Vaccines/KeyThingsToKnow.html).