Why I Got Vaccinated



"I want to set an example of doing the right thing. My brother has always said that the problems in the world can be healed if we just love our neighbors. I am passing my love onto all my neighbors, patients and coworkers on the fight against COVID-19 to get the vaccine and protect all."

"I know I'm only one person, but I can make a difference by getting a simple, painless shot. I can only do my best to keep the people around me safe and alive, so I plan to do that. It

Ami Benson, Pharmacy Technician & Compression Fitter, Bremo Pharmacy













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is one of the most selfless things that you can do during this pandemic." Jade Hiriams, CNA, Consulate of Williamsburg, Williamsburg, VA

"I got vaccinated because my PawPaw is my everything. He has been my male role model and constant throughout my life. I wanted to be able to see him again safely."

> Shelby Schloetzer, Activity Director/Social Service Designee, Heritage Gardens Health & Rehabilitation Center, LLC

"I got vaccinated because I wanted to see my family again and to be safe."

Wilson Ryman, Retired

"If you think you are safe because you do all the right things and you will not get the virus, you are wrong. I am a young, healthy person and the virus brought me to my knees. Getting the vaccine was much less detrimental than getting the virus again."

Heather Parrott, DHSc, CCC-SLP - Director of Rehabilitation Services, Dogwood Village of Orange County, Orange, Virginia