

7 Questions About the COVID-19 Vaccine for Adults

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- 1 Who should get the COVID-19 vaccine, and how many doses?**
Everyone who is eligible should get an annual COVID-19 vaccine, including those who are moderately or severely immunocompromised. For information, scan the "Vaccines for COVID-19" QR code at the bottom right.
- 2 If I get the COVID-19 virus, won't I be protected from COVID-19?**
Getting a COVID-19 vaccine is a safer and more dependable way to build immunity to COVID-19 than getting sick with it. The level of protection from getting sick may vary depending on how mild or severe the illness was and your age.
- 3 Is the COVID vaccine going to continue to change?**
The virus itself is constantly changing and future vaccines will be updated to address the various new strains when possible. Visit the [CDC's website](#) or scan the QR codes at the bottom of this page for the latest information.
- 4 Can you get the COVID-19 vaccine and the flu or pneumonia shot together?**
Absolutely, and it's a great way to prepare for the fall and winter flu season!
- 5 Are you "Up to Date" after completing a primary series or getting a COVID-19 vaccine annually?** *You are "Up to Date" with COVID-19 vaccines if you have received the annual COVID vaccine. In some cases, an additional vaccine may be recommended. See the links below for more information.*
- 6 If you are moderately or severely immunocompromised (have a weakened immune system), should you get the COVID-19 vaccine?** *Absolutely YES! Persons who have a weakened immune system are at increased risk of severe COVID-19 illness and death. Please visit these links for more information: [Risk Factors for Severe Illness from Respiratory Viruses](#) and [COVID-19 Vaccines for People Who Are Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised](#).*
- 7 Where can I get more information about when to get COVID-19 vaccines?**
Visit the CDC's website to learn more about [vaccines for COVID-19](#).

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