

Guide to Vaccine Eligibility

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Individuals 12-17

When can I receive this dose?

Which brands are available?

Who is eligible?

1st Dose

Any time

Pfizer

Ages 12-17

2nd Dose

3 weeks (21 days) after 1st dose

Pfizer

Ages 12-17

Individuals 18+

1st Dose

Any time

Pfizer

All Adults

Moderna

All Adults

J&J

All Adults

2nd dose

3 weeks (21 days) after 1st dose

Pfizer

All Adults

4 weeks (28 days) after 1st dose

Moderna

All Adults

3rd dose

4 weeks (28 days) after second dose

Pfizer

Adults who are moderately to severely immunocompromised*

Moderna

Booster

6 months after second dose

Pfizer (can get any booster)

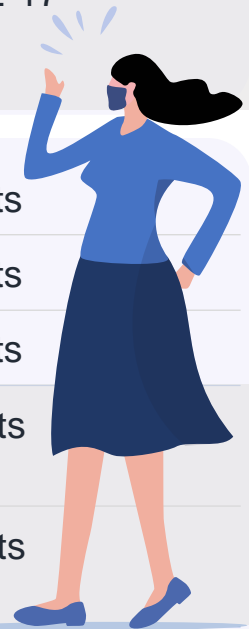
Ages 65 and older
Ages 18 and older who have [underlying medical conditions](#)** , who work or live in [high-risk settings](#)*** , or who live in [long term care](#)****

Moderna (can get any booster)

2 months after first dose

J&J (can get any booster)

All adults



All booster doses are interchangeable

* Immunocompromised = An individual with a weakened immune system due to certain health conditions. Note: Immunocompromised persons may receive a booster dose 6 months after their additional doses (third doses) of an mRNA vaccine.

** Underlying medical conditions = For example, cancer, diabetes, hypertension and other conditions that increase risk for severe COVID-19 illness.

*** High-risk settings = For example, healthcare workers, teachers, and others whose job puts them at risk of COVID-19 exposure.

**** Long term care = For example, individuals living in residential care, assisted living, nursing homes etc. that increase risk for COVID-19 exposure

Ready to get vaccinated?

Visit COVID19.nj.gov/vaccine

Additional questions?

The NJ COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center is available at: **855-568-0545**

*Booster eligibility for individuals fully vaccinated with the *Moderna or Pfizer* COVID-19 vaccine

Adults are eligible

6 months

after your *Moderna or Pfizer* second dose



Individuals are eligible for boosters if

65+

OR

18+

You may choose from *Moderna, Pfizer or J&J* for your booster dose

- Who live in long term care settings, or
- Who have underlying medical conditions, or
- Who work or live in high-risk settings

*For full eligibility details, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/p1021-covid-booster.html>

**For example, individuals living in residential care, assisted living, nursing homes etc. that increase risk for COVID-19 exposure

***For example healthcare workers, teachers and others whose job puts them at increased risk of exposure to COVID-19



For more information:

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***Booster eligibility for individuals vaccinated with the *Johnson & Johnson* COVID-19 vaccine**

Adults are eligible

2 months

after your *J&J vaccine*
(single dose)



Boosters
are recommended
for ages

18+

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for your booster dose

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Quick question for you...

Did you receive a second dose of the **Pfizer** or **Moderna** COVID-19 vaccine at least 6 months ago?

Yes? Awesome! My next question for you. Are you...

- 65 years and older, or
- Age 18+ and live in long term care settings, or
- Age 18+ and have underlying medical conditions, or
- Age 18+ and work or live in high-risk settings*



Yes? Thanks for sharing. That means...

YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR A BOOSTER

You may choose from Moderna, Pfizer or J&J for your booster dose

Visit [covid19.nj.gov/vaccine](https://www.covid19.nj.gov/vaccine), call 855-568-0545, or talk to your healthcare provider about scheduling an appointment

*For example healthcare workers, teachers and others whose job puts them at risk of severe COVID-19
For full eligibility details, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/p1021-covid-boosters.html>

Quick question for you...

Did you receive your dose of the **J&J** COVID-19 vaccine at least 2 months ago?

Yes? Thanks for sharing.
That means...



YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR A BOOSTER

You may choose from Moderna, Pfizer or J&J for your booster dose

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Now Available

Booster doses are now available to adults (18+) fully vaccinated with Moderna or Pfizer* who are at a higher risk of exposure to COVID-19 because of their job

Some examples include...



Healthcare workers



Educational staff



Manufacturing workers



Food and agriculture workers



Postal workers



Corrections workers



Grocery store workers



Public transit workers

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Visit covid19.nj.gov/vaccine or call **855-568-0545** to find a vaccination site near you

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Now Available

Booster doses are now available to adults (18+), fully vaccinated with Moderna or Pfizer* who are at a higher risk of exposure to COVID-19 because of where they live or spend time

For example, if you regularly spend time or live in one of these settings, it is important to consider receiving a booster dose...

Healthcare facilities

**Correctional facilities
and county jails**

**Group homes or
residential treatment facilities**

Schools

Homeless shelters



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Now Available

Booster doses are now available to adults (18+) fully vaccinated with **Moderna or Pfizer* who are at a higher risk of COVID-19 due to underlying health conditions**

Underlying (or existing) health conditions include...

- Cancer
- Chronic (long-lasting) kidney disease (CKD)
- Chronic (long-lasting) lung disease
- Dementia
- Diabetes
- Down syndrome
- Heart conditions
- HIV infection
- Liver disease
- Overweight and obesity
- Pregnancy
- Sickle cell disease or thalassemia (low red blood cell count)
- Smoking (current or former)
- Organ or stem cell transplant
- Stroke or cerebrovascular disease (problems with blood vessels and blood supply to the brain)
- Substance use disorders
- Weakened immune system

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