**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.

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## Guide to Vaccine Eligibility
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All booster doses are interchangeable

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**Sources:** [CDC](https://www.cdc.gov), [FDA](https://www.fda.gov)

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Additional questions? The NJ COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center is available at: [855-568-0545](tel: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.

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

Individuals are eligible for boosters if:

- 65+
- OR 18+

- 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](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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Visit: covid19.nj.gov/vaccine

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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)

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

**Boosters are recommended for ages**

18+

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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, 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-booster.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

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

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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](https://covid19.nj.gov/vaccine) or call 855-568-0545 to find a vaccination site near you.

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- Healthcare facilities
- Correctional facilities and county jails
- Group homes or residential treatment facilities
- Schools
- Homeless shelters

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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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