



Protect yourself and others from COVID-19

GET VACCINATED & BOOSTED.

Getting vaccinated is a very simple, yet effective thing each of us can do to make a difference in the fight against COVID-19. **COVID vaccines are safe, effective and free to all, regardless of insurance or immigration status.**

Vaccination continues to be our best weapon against COVID. COVID vaccines are safe and effective. They cannot give you COVID and will not affect or interact with your DNA. Getting vaccinated will protect you and others from severe symptoms or complications from COVID that could lead to missed work or school, lost income or benefit time, hospitalization or death.

The CDC recommends COVID vaccines for everyone ages 5 years and older. You are considered **fully vaccinated** two weeks after receiving the second dose in a two-shot series, such as the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccines, or two weeks after a single-dose vaccine, such as the J&J/Janssen vaccine.

You are considered **up to date** after receiving all recommended COVID-19 vaccines, including any booster dose(s) when eligible. Everyone ages 12 years and older is eligible to get a COVID-19 booster dose 5 months after being fully vaccinated. Adults ages 50 and older and some immunocompromised individuals are also now eligible to get a second booster dose at least 4 months after their first booster.



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During the recent Omicron surge, **those who were boosted were 21-times less likely to die from COVID-19 compared to those who were unvaccinated, and 7-times less likely to be hospitalized.**

Find a vaccination site near you. Visit myshotcookcounty.com.