

COVID-19 VACCINE



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9 Facts everyone needs to know about the COVID-19 Vaccine.

1

Is the COVID-19 vaccine safe and effective?

Yes. California's top medical experts agree that the Moderna and Pfizer vaccines are safe and effective. In clinical trials, the COVID-19 vaccine has been found to be highly effective in protecting against the COVID-19 virus.

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How can a safe vaccine be made so quickly?

Although vaccine development typically takes many years, scientists had already begun research for coronavirus vaccines during previous outbreaks caused by related coronaviruses such as SARS-CoV(2003)(Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome) COVID-19 is SARS-COV2

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Can I get COVID-19 from the vaccine?

No. It is not possible to get COVID-19 from vaccines. The Pfizer and Moderna vaccines use only a gene from the virus while other vaccines being studied use inactivated virus. None of these can cause COVID-19.

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If I already had COVID-19. Do I need to get vaccinated?

The CDC recommends vaccination for people who have had COVID-19. Because we don't yet know how long people are protected after having the virus, vaccination could be beneficial.

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How much is the vaccine?

COVID-19 vaccines are available at no cost. Vaccine doses are purchased with U.S. taxpayer dollars.

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Why do I need 2 doses of the vaccine?

Both doses of the vaccine are needed to get up to 95% immunity. The 2nd dose of the **Moderna** vaccine must be taking 28 days after receiving the 1st dose. The 2nd dose of the **Pfizer** vaccine must be taking 21 days after receiving the 1st dose.

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If we get the vaccine do we still need to wear a mask?

We will still need to follow prevention measures such as wearing masks, social distancing, washing our hands and avoiding crowds.

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What are the side effects from the vaccine?

The most common side effects are a sore arm, body aches, fever or feeling tired. These side effects can last for a few days.

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How old do I have to be to get the vaccine?

The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine is available to people age 16 and older.
The Moderna COVID-19 vaccine is available to people age 18 and older.

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La Vacuna del COVID19



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9 cosas que todos debemos saber sobre la vacuna de COVID-19

1

La vacuna de COVID19 es segura y efectiva?

Si. Los expertos medicos de California han validado que tanto las vacunas de Moderna y Pfizer son seguras y efectivas. En los ensayos clinicos, la vacuna del COVID-19 comprobo ser altamente efectiva en la proteccion en contra del virus COVID-19.

2

Como se pudo producir una vacuna tan pronto?

Aunque el desarrollo de una vacuna dura muchos anos, scientificos ya habian estudiado el coronavirus por la previa pandemias de SARS-CoV (2003)(Sindrome de Respiracion Severa) el COVID-19 es SARS CoV2

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Puedo infectarme del COVID-19 por ponerme la vacuna?

No. No es posible que la vacuna te cause el COVID-19. La vacuna del Pfizer y Moderna utiliza un gene del virus mientras otras vacunas estudiadas utilizan virus inactivos, estos no causan el virus del COVID-19.

4

Si ya me dio COVID-19, aun necesito vacunarme?

El CDC recomienda que las personas que se contagiaron de COVID19 se pongan la vacuna, ya que no se sabe cuanto tiempo esta protegido por haber contraido el virus.

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Cuanto me va a costar la vacuna?

La vacuna del COVID-19 esta disponible para usted sin costo. La vacuna esta comprada con el dinero de los impuestos de los Estadounidenses.

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Porque necesito dos dosis de la vacuna?

Se necesitan dos dosis de la vacuna se necesitan para lograr hasta un 95% inmunidad. La 2da dosis de **Moderna** tiene que administrarse 28 dias despues de la 1era dosis. La segunda 2da dosis de **Pfizer** debe ser administrada 21 dias despues de la 1era dosis.

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Si me vacuno aun necesito ponerme tapabocas?

Aun vacunados tenemos que ser precavidos como usar un tapabocas, distancimiento social, lavarnos las manos y evitar reuniones.

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Tienen efectos secundarios la vacuna?

La vacuna puede causar dolor en el brazo, dolor muscular, fatiga o fiebre durante unos dias despues de ser aplicada. Por las medidas de seguridad rigurosas que se usaron, las reacciones adversas son raras.

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Que edad tengo que tener para obtener la vacuna?

Pfizer COVID-19 esta disponible para personas de 16 en adelante.
Moderna COVID-19 esta disponible para personas de 18 en adelante.

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