

Getting the COVID-19 Vaccine

Why should I get the COVID-19 vaccine?

-  Keep you and your family safe.
-  Prevent more illness and death.
-  Help get Texas back to normal.

Requires Two Doses:



Requires One Dose:



You are considered fully vaccinated 2 weeks after your second dose. Please try to get both doses from the same vaccine provider.

How can I sign up for the vaccine?

Go to dshs.texas.gov/covidvaccine to find a provider. Dial (833) 832-7067 if you don't have internet.

Remember:

Vaccine supply is limited. Providers may not always have vaccine available and there may be long waiting lists.

Do not show up at a provider looking for a vaccine.

Instead, check the provider's website - call only if the website doesn't answer your questions.

Who can get the vaccine now?



All people, 16 and older, can get a COVID-19 vaccine in Texas.

*Only the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine is authorized for people 16 or 17 years old.

What else should I know?

- COVID-19 vaccines are proven to protect against hospitalization and death.
- Vaccines were tested in clinical trials with tens of thousands of volunteers representing different races, ethnicities, ages, and pre-existing conditions.
- Vaccinated or not, when in public continue to wear a mask, stay 6 feet apart, and wash hands often.
- Mild side effects are normal signs your body is building protection, and usually go away after a few days.
- Severe reactions from the vaccine are rare. There's no evidence that the vaccines cause long-term health problems.

The vaccine is very safe and can save your life!