



The number of vaccine doses you need depends on which vaccine you receive.

Two doses of Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine should be given 3 weeks (21 days) apart.

Two doses of Moderna vaccine should be given 4 weeks (28 days) apart.

Only one dose of Johnson & Johnson's Janssen (J&J/Janssen) vaccine should be given.

If you receive a vaccine that requires two doses, you should get your second shot as close to the recommended interval as possible. You should not get the second dose earlier than the recommended interval.

Booster Shot

CDC recommends that if you received a primary series of an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine (i.e., Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna) and are 65 years and older, 18 years and older and live in a long-term care setting, or are between the ages of 50 and 64 years and have certain underlying medical conditions, you should receive a single COVID-19 vaccine booster shot at least 6 months after you have completed your primary mRNA vaccine series.

CDC recommends everyone 18 years and older who received a J&J/Janssen COVID-19 vaccine primary dose should also receive a single COVID-19 vaccine booster shot at least 2 months after their primary dose.

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