

COVID-19 Vaccines for Children and Teens

November 2, 2021, Update

On November 2, 2021, following the Food and Drug Administration's (FDA) recommendation, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) approved the use of a COVID-19 vaccine for children 5 to 11 years old. Now, everyone ages 5 and older can receive the COVID-19 vaccine.

1. What COVID-19 vaccines are authorized for use with children and adults?

As of November 2, 2021:

Age Groups	Pfizer-BioNTech	Moderna	Johnson & Johnson/Janssen
4 years and under	<i>Not yet</i>	<i>Not yet</i>	<i>Not yet</i>
5-11 years old	Yes	<i>Not yet</i>	<i>Not yet</i>
12-17 years old	Yes	<i>Not yet</i>	<i>Not yet</i>
18 years and older	Yes	Yes	Yes

2. How many doses do children need?

Children need two doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine.

3. Where can children be vaccinated?

Check with your healthcare provider, your child's school, or the closest drug store.

4. How much does the vaccine cost?

The vaccine is free, regardless of health insurance or immigration status.

5. Do you have questions? For any new information, please check with:

- Your healthcare provider.
- The CDC website.



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