



DOH PROGRAM UPDATES

Office of Immunization & COVID Vaccine Program

National Immunization Awareness Month



2022 Immunize WA Provider Recognition Program Awardees

- Gold, Silver, Bronze levels
- Childhood and Adolescent Vaccination

To see a list of the current and past winners, visit www.immunizewa.org

CVP Training Series: Join Us Thursday!

- August 18, 2022 at 12:00 p.m.
- CVP Training Series: Back to School Planning, Off-Site Vaccination Clinic Guidelines & New Clinic Move Policy
- Intended Audience: Providers and Vaccine Coordinators
 - Join the Training Session
 - Meeting ID: 854 8394 1698
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Childhood Flu Vaccine Available Soon



2022-2023 STATE SUPPLIED CHILDHOOD FLU VACCINES AT-A-GLANCE

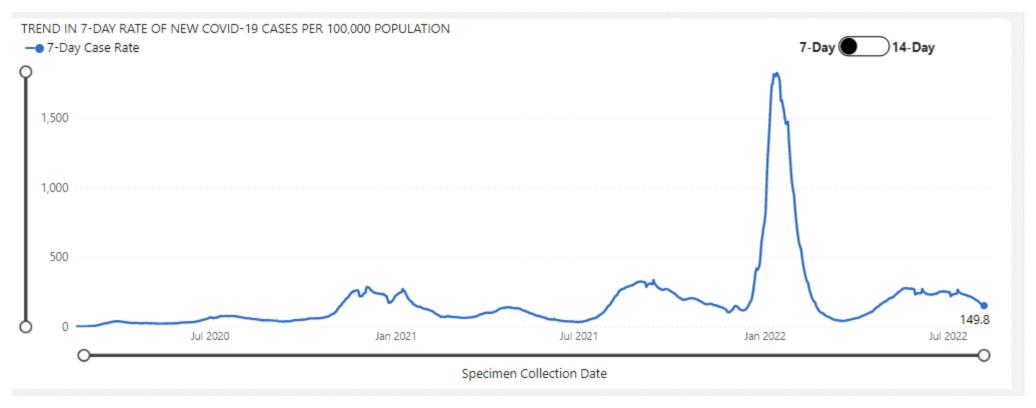
Characteristic	Fluzone Quad, PF	Fluzone Quad	FluLaval Quad, PF	FluMist Quad, PF	Flucelvax Quad, PF
Product Name	Fluzone® 0.5mL single dose (ages 6+ months) '22-23	Fluzone® 5.0mL MDV (ages 3+ years) '22-23	FluLaval® 0.5mL single dose (6+ months) '22-23	FluMist® single dose (ages 2-49 years) '22-23	Flucelvax® 0.5mL single dose (ages 6+ months) '22-23
Vaccine Name	Influenza, injectable, quadrivalent, preservative free	influenza, injectable, quadrivalent	influenza, injectable, quadrivalent, preservative free	influenza, live, intranasal, quadrivalent	Influenza, injectable, MDCK, preservative free, quadrivalent
Formulation	0.5mL single dose, pre-filled syringe, preservative free	5.0mL multi-dose vial, contains preservative	0.5mL single dose, pre-filled syringe, preservative free	0.2ml single dose sprayer, preservative free	0.5mL single dose, pre-filled syringe, preservative free
Manufacturer	Sanofi	Sanofi	GlaxoSmithKline	MedImmune	Seqirus
CPT/CVX Codes	90686/150	90688/158	90686/150	90672/149	90674/171
NDC Number	49281-0422-50	49281-0637-15	19515-0808-52	66019-0309-10	70461-0322-03
Age – Licensure	6+ mos	6+ mos	6+ mos	2-49 years	6+ mos
State Eligibility	6 mos-18 years	3-18 years	6 mos-18 years	2-18 years	6 mos-18 years
Storage	Refrigerated, 36°F - 46°F (2°C - 8°C)	Refrigerated, 36°F - 46°F (2°C - 8°C)	Refrigerated, 36°F - 46°F (2°C - 8°C)	Refrigerated, 36°F - 46°F (2°C - 8°C)	Refrigerated, 36°F - 46°F (2°C - 8°C)

Flu Vaccines at a Glance (wa.gov)

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COVID-19

Washington State Activity: Cases Reported



Washington State data as of 08/14/2022

COVID-19 Data Dashboard | Washington State Department of Health

Vaccines Administered by Age and Series

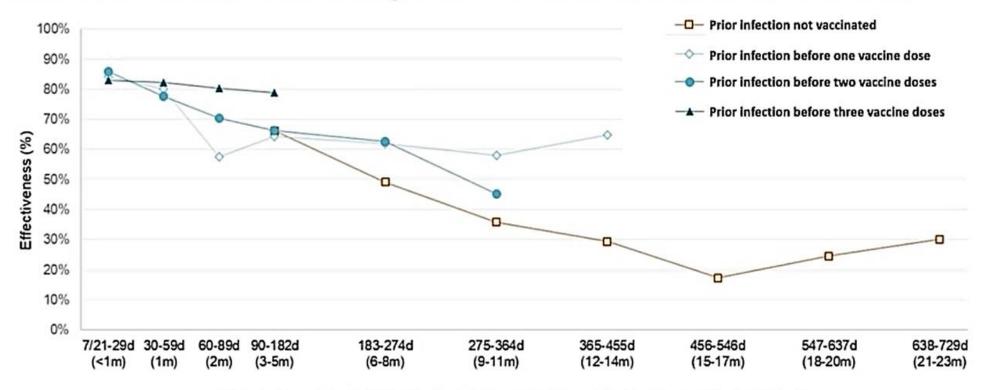


Washington State data as of 08/13/2022

COVID-19 Data Dashboard | Washington State Department of Health

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Reinfection occurs more frequently in those previously infected and not vaccinated compared to infected and vaccinated



Time in days (months) from last vaccination or primary infection if unvaccinated to testing

Carazo S, Skowronski DM, Brisson M, et al. "Protection against Omicron re-infection conferred by prior heterologous SARS-CoV-2 infection, with and without mRNA vaccination" medRxiv, May 2022. Protection against Omicron re-infection conferred by prior heterologous SARS-CoV-2 infection, with and without mRNA vaccination | medRxiv

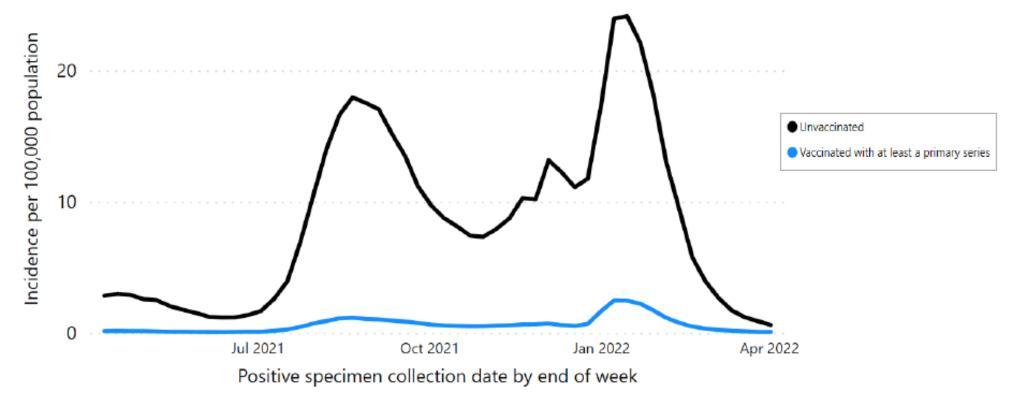
Data on hospitalizations: Plumb ID, Feldstein LR, Barkley E, et al. Effectiveness of COVID-19 mRNA Vaccination in Preventing COVID-19—Associated Hospitalization Among Adults with Previous SARS-CoV-2 Infection — United States, June 2021–February 2022. MMWR Morb Mortal Wkly Rep 2022;71:549-555. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.15585/mmwr.mm7115e2

Improved antibody response after vaccination

- Among children, COVID-19 vaccine induces a broader neutralizing antibody response compared with infection induced immunity:
 - From a U.S. multicenter cohort, antibody profiles of unvaccinated pediatric patients hospitalized for COVID-19 were compared to profiles of vaccinated children.
 - In contrast to those with SARS-CoV-2 infection, children vaccinated with two doses demonstrated higher titers against Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta and Omicron.
 - The findings suggest that antibodies produced by prior SARS-CoV-2 infection (pre-Omicron) may not neutralize the currently circulating Omicron variant.
 - This builds on evidence among adults that previous infection provides poor protection from infection with Omicron.
- Highlights the importance of vaccinating children with prior infection to prevent both severe disease and future infections.

Tang J, Novak T, Hecker J, et al. "Cross-reactive immunity against the SARS-CoV-2 Omicron variant is low in pediatrics patients with prior COVID-19 or MIS-C." Nature Communications. (2022) 13:2979. https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-022-30649-1

Rates of COVID-19 deaths by vaccination status in people ages ≥5 years, United States, April 4, 2021—April 2, 2022



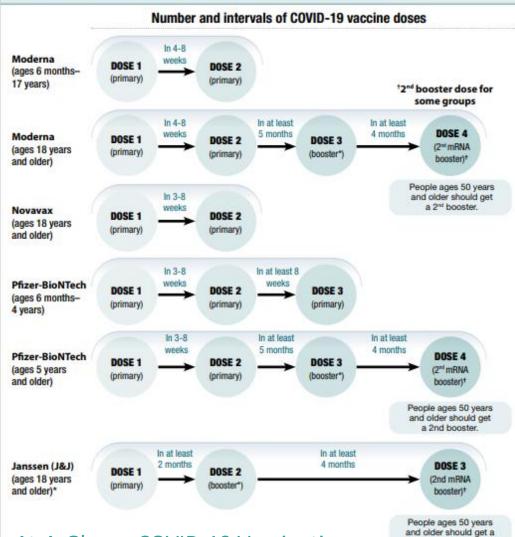
Unvaccinated people ages ≥5 years had **10X** the risk of dying from COVID-19 through March compared to people vaccinated with at least the primary series.

https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#rates-by-vaccine-status. Accessed June 12, 2022.

COVID-19 Vaccination Schedules

Use the schedules below to determine how many total COVID-19 vaccine doses are recommended based on primary series product, age, and immune status. This schedule does not include clinical details necessary for administering COVID-19 vaccines. For clinical details, see the resources at the end of this document.

COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for Most People



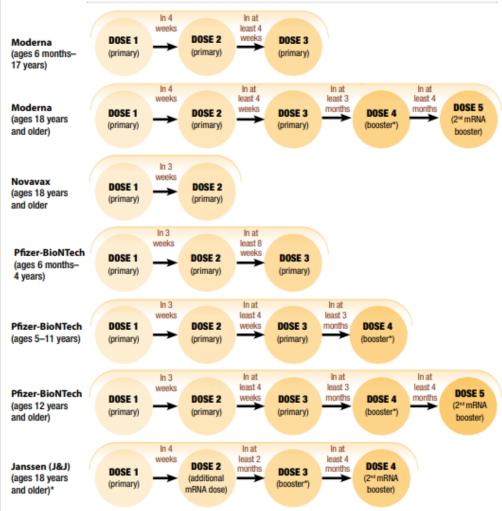
Source: At-A-Glance COVID-19 Vaccination Schedules (cdc.gov); accessed 08/15/2022

2nd booster.

People ages 18 years and older who received 2 Janssen doses may get a 2nd booster.

COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for People Who Are Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised

Number and intervals of COVID-19 vaccine doses



Age-appropriate mRNA (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) and Novavax vaccines are recommended for primary vaccination. For booster vaccination, mRNA vaccines are recommended. Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine should only be used in limited situations for primary or booster vaccination. See:



For more specific clinical guidance, see:

- Interim COVID-19 Immunization Schedule
- . Interim Clinical Considerations for Use of COVID-19 Vaccines Currently Approved or Authorized in the United States

cdc.gov/coronavirus

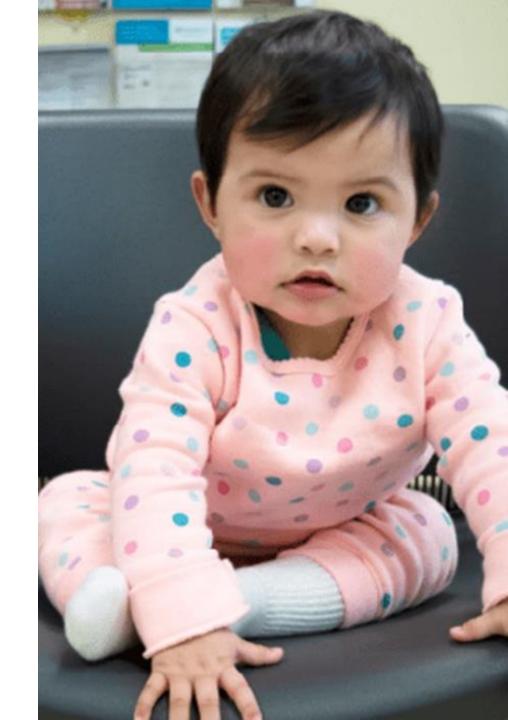
Pediatric Vaccination Schedules

• Pfizer

- 6m-4y: 3 dose primary series
- 5y and older 2 dose primary series for most
- Immunocompromise 3 dose primary series

Moderna

- 6 m and older 2 dose primary series for most
- Immunocompromise 3 dose primary series



New CDC Resources Available: Get Children Vaccinated Against COVID-19



- CDC has developed a new suite of materials to support communication about COVID-19 vaccines as the new school year begins, including:
 - Social media posts for your channels to reach parents, partners, and healthcare professionals
 - Engaging flyer to distribute in schools, by email, or online
 - Customizable template language and imagery for newsletter or website communications
 - Social frames for use on your channels and by your followers
 - Parent-friendly article or blog post highlighting the importance of COVID-19 vaccination for children
- Visit <u>Resources to Promote the COVID-19 Vaccine for Children & Teens</u> to explore new resources available.

COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

- Coming soon! Pregnancy and Reproductive Health Toolkit
- Available in English/Spanish (soon), and includes:
 - Pregnancy and COVID-19 Vaccines
 Discussion Guide
 - Fast Facts: COVID-19 Vaccines and Pregnancy
 - Will be available in 36 additional languages
 - COVID-19 Vaccines and Reproductive Health FAQS
- These resources and more will be in the toolkit and standalone



COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

- Novavax COVID-19 Vaccine: What You Should Know fact sheet is now available in English and <u>36 additional</u> languages
 - Spanish
 - Vietnamese
 - Russian
 - Swahili
 - Japanese
 - Portuguese
 - More...

Novavax COVID-19 Vaccine: What You Should Know



What is the Novavax vaccine?

The newest FDA authorized COVID-19 vaccine, Novavax, is different than the other COVID-19 vaccines currently available in the US. Novavax is a protein subunit vaccine that uses the same, long-used, technology seen in other widely used vaccines such as HPV, hepatitis B, and flu. Novavax is a two-dose series given 21 days apart, available to those aged 18 years and older.

Novavax is a traditional protein subunit vaccine.

While each of the authorized vaccines works to help our body's immune system recognize and attack the COVID-19 virus, Novavax utilizes an older, more familiar vaccine technology.

 Protein subunit COVID-19 vaccines contain pieces (proteins) of the virus that causes COVID-19



- They also contain an additive along with fats and sugars intended to help the immune system respond to the virus and protect you in the future
- They do not contain mRNA

Novavax side effects are proving to be minimal.

Novavax's temporary side effects are not unlike the typical side effects seen with other COVID-19 vaccines. Pain/tenderness, redness and swelling at the injection side, as well as fatigue, muscle pain, headache, joint pain, nausea/vomiting, and fever. Protein subunit COVID-19 vaccines cannot cause COVID-19 or other illnesses.

What does the data show?

Clinical trial studies conducted in the spring of 2021 showed that the Novavax vaccine demonstrated 90% effective against stopping COVID-19 infections and 100% effective in preventing COVID-19 related deaths.

The vaccine is said to have prompted broad immune responses against all COVID-19 variants, including BA.5, according to ongoing trials. Subunit vaccines like Novavax do not use any live virus and cannot change or influence our genes. We have also learned that Novavax:



- Has been used effectively in many other countries, including Canada, since 2021
- Does not contain ingredients used in other vaccines that trigger allergies
- Uses same familiar technology used in popular vaccines such as flu, HPV, hepatitis B, and shingles

Novavax has gone through the FDA Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) process and is a valid option, especially for those seeking an alternative to <u>mRNA vaccines</u>.

Novavax may be an option for a booster dose, or for those under the age of 18 in the near future.

Vaccination is still the best choice.

As COVID-19 persists, more vaccine options have become available. It's important to remember that vaccinated is best. Regardless of vaccine brand, vaccination is your best protection from COVID-19 and its effects. Talk to your provider about which option is best for you.

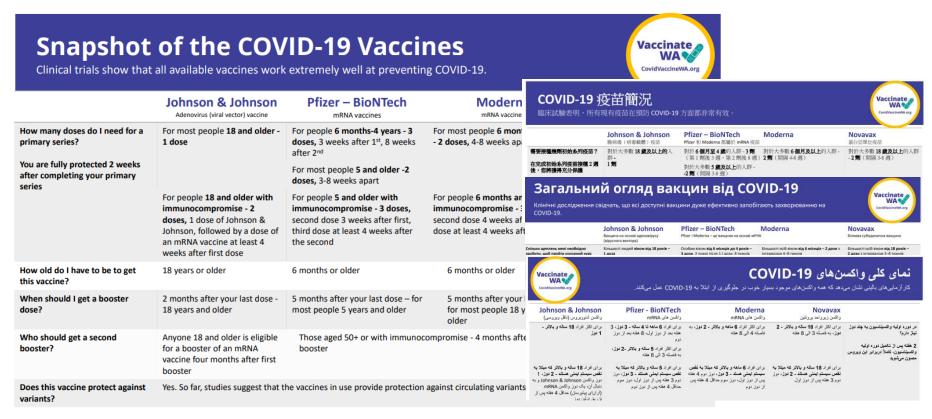


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COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

 The side-by-side snapshot document of COVID-19 vaccines is now available in English and 36 additional languages



New Booster Formulations

- Two new booster formulations will be available to pre-order in the WAIIS soon
- We are awaiting additional details from CDC
- These formulations will have "Bivalent" in the product name
- Only for patients who have completed their primary series
- Pfizer 10 dose vial, same formulation as grey cap but updated to include variants
- Moderna 5 dose vial, same formulation as blue cap but updated to include variants

Vaccine Presentations

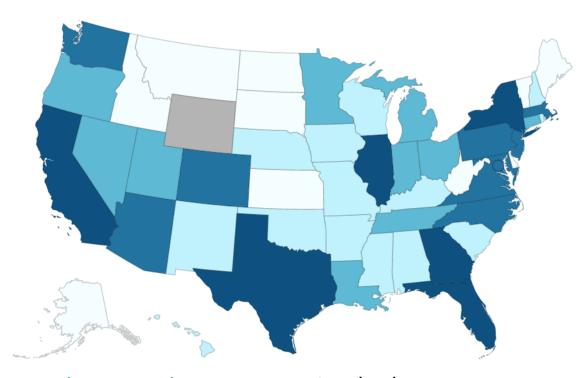
Two new bivalent vaccine boosters are manufactured by Pfizer and Moderna

- Both Pfizer and Moderna will be a single dose booster, regardless of how many primary boosters have been administered.
- Available for those who have already received a primary series of COVID-19 vaccine
- Timing of last dose to new booster administration is yet to be determined
- Ages
 - Pfizer: 12 years and older
 - Moderna: 18 years and older as of now (staggered release for younger age group EUA's)
- National Drug Codes (NDCs), New Labels and Box Borders
 - Both will still have the same cap colors as existing products
 - Pfizer: Grey Cap with new labels and carton Washington State Department of Health | 18
 - Moderna: Blue Cap with new labels and carton

MONKEYPOX (MPV)

Monkeypox Virus (MPV)

- Cases as of 08/16/2022
 - Global cases 37,632 in locations that have not historically reported MPV
 - U.S. cases: 12,689
 - Washington 309



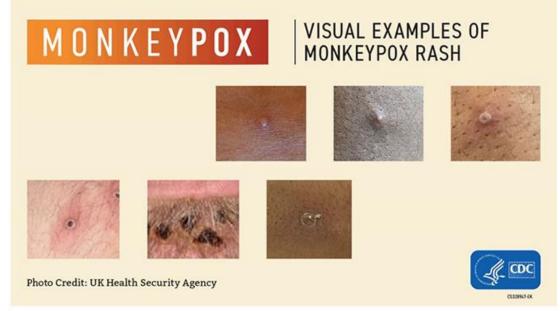
Source: 2022 Monkeypox Outbreak Global Map | Monkeypox | Poxvirus | CDC; accessed 08/15/2022 Washington State Department of Health | 20

Monkeypox (MPV)

- Infection can cause an illness that includes rashes and other symptoms.
- Not common occur in the United States
- How is it spread
 - Anyone can get MPV
 - Can spread person-to-person with any kind of close, skin-to-skin contact, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity, or age, including children
 - MPV can also spread between animals and from animals to people
 - Direct contact with the skin or body fluids of an infected person (including sexual contact)
 - Contact with virus-contaminated objects (such as bedding or clothing)
 - Respiratory droplets during direct and prolonged face-to-face contact

Symptoms

- Initial symptoms can include
 - Fever
 - Headache
 - Swollen lymph nodes
- Rash
 - Some individuals have no symptoms except rash or it can occur first
 - Usually turns into raised bumps that fill with fluid
 - Wounds will scab over
- Contagious until all wounds have completely healed





What to do

- If you have had close contact with a person who has confirmed or probable MPV, getting vaccinated right away may prevent an infection. Close contact can include being together for several hours, hugging, cuddling, kissing, or sharing a bed or clothing.
- If you suspect you have MPV, isolate yourself from others in a single-person room if available
- Immediately contact your health care provider or your <u>local health</u> <u>department</u> for information if you think you've been exposed. If you don't have a provider, <u>find one here</u>.

Treatment and Vaccination

- Most people recover without treatment
- Antiviral medications are available to treat MPV if specific circumstances
- Post-exposure vaccinations can reduce or prevent symptoms if started early after exposure
- Vaccinations are not currently recommended for the general public
- Contact your health provider or local health jurisdiction for more information if you feel you are at risk and should be vaccinated

Information and Help

- Call 1-833-829-HELP for assistance available in 240 languages
- Monkeypox (MPV) | Washington State Department of Health

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