Next Steps:

After you receive a COVID-19 vaccine





Plan to get your next dose and stay up to date with your COVID-19 vaccines.

- Ask your vaccine provider when you should get your next dose of COVID-19 vaccine.
- Pfizer, Moderna, and Novavax COVID-19 vaccines require two or three doses for the primary series depending on your age.
- People who are moderately to severely immunocompromised may need additional doses to build protection. Learn more at www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/vaccine-immuno.htm
- You are **up to date** with your COVID-19 vaccines when you have completed a primary series and received the most recent booster dose recommended for you.
- Recommendations will be different depending on which vaccine you received, your age, and your health status. Learn more about staying up to date by visiting www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/vaccine-booster.htm



Know the common side effects.

Side effects are common, temporary, and can be a sign that the vaccine is starting to work.

- Pain or swelling on your arm where you got the vaccine
- Fever
- Tiredness
- Chills
- Headache



Know when to call a doctor.

Discomfort from fever or pain is normal, but contact a doctor if:

- Redness or tenderness increases after 24 hours.
- Your side effects worry you or if they last longer than a few days.

If you are having a medical emergency, dial 911.



Sign up for v-safeSM.

Get the smartphone-based tool for personalized health check-ins, easy reporting of side effects, and reminders to get your next dose. Go to vsafe.cdc.gov to sign up.



Continue to protect yourself and others



Stay home when you are sick.



Get tested if you have symptoms of COVID-19 or if you've been exposed to someone with COVID-19.



Wear a mask if you were exposed or diagnosed with COVID-19 or are in a county with a high COVID-19 Community Level. https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/data.htm#map



