

COVID-19 VACCINE CLINICS & VACCINE INFORMATION

As of July 14, 2022

<https://www.pcchd.org/306/COVID-19-Vaccine-Clinics-Information>

Peoria City/County Health Department Clinic

2116 N. Sheridan Rd, Peoria, IL 61604

NOTE: All COVID-19 vaccine clinics at Peoria City/County Health Department are appointment-based for Monday-Friday. Call now 309-679-6655 to make an appointment.

Authorized vaccines for age 6mo - 5 yr.

- 6-30-22 COVID 19 Vaccines for age 6 mo - 5 yr have now been authorized and recommended by the FDA and CDC. Vaccines are now becoming available in our communities. Check with your pediatrician for appointments. The Health Dept is also providing vaccination appointments at 309-679-6655.

Appointment only COVID-19 vaccine clinics:

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. and

- All three vaccines are available for adults - Pfizer, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson
- Ages 6 months through adults (According to vaccine brands)

All COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics include:

- Pediatric ages 6 mo-5 yr and age 5-11 . Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- 1st and 2nd dose age 5+, including adults.
- Boosters available for age 5+ and other 3rd dose vaccines.
- 2nd boosters available for immunocompromised or over age 50.
- Appropriate timeframes and vaccines apply for doses and boosters.

Additional Community Clinics:

Open for the first dose, additional dose for adults, and boosters for adults.

Tazewell County Health Department

- <https://www.tazewellhealth.org/399/COVID-19-VACCINES>
- [Tazewell COVID Vaccine Clinic](#)
[21306 IL Rt 9](#)
[Tremont, IL 61568](#)

Woodford County Health Department

- <http://www.woodfordhealth.org/604/COVID-Vaccine-Information>.
- [Woodford County Health Department](#)
[1831 S Main St](#)
[Eureka, IL 61530](#)

OSF HealthCare

Vaccine website: <https://www.osfhealthcare.org/covid19/vaccine/>

UnityPoint Health

Vaccine website: <https://www.unitypoint.org/peoria/covid-19-vaccine.aspx>

Heartland Health Services

Call for an appointment: (309) 680-7600

Pharmacies

Locate a pharmacy offering COVID-19 vaccinations near you using the State of Illinois vaccine finder website: <https://coronavirus.illinois.gov/s/>

National Provider Database

Find a vaccine provider from the CDC's national COVID-19 vaccine provider database: <https://www.vaccines.gov/>

The State of Illinois closed the COVID-19 vaccine and testing site at Peoria Civic Center March 31, 2022.

Available COVID-19 Vaccines:

- Pfizer (Comirnaty): approved for ages 5+ and requires two initial doses, given 21 days apart.
- Moderna: approved for ages 18+ and requires two initial doses, given 28 days apart.
- Johnson & Johnson (J&J/Janssen): approved for ages 18+ and requires one dose.
- No proof of insurance is required. Vaccines are free.

Additional Dose

Individuals with moderately to severely compromised immune systems are recommended for an additional dose of COVID-19 vaccine at least 28 days after they received a two-dose primary series of either the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines. [CDC Guidance on Additional Doses](#)

CDC recommends that moderately or severely immunocompromised 5-11-year-olds receive an additional dose of vaccine 28 days after their second shot of Pfizer.

Boosters

COVID-19 1st booster shots are recommended for all individuals who received Pfizer at least 5 months ago or Moderna at least 6 months ago, and all individuals who received Johnson & Johnson at least 2 months ago.

Booster shots are available for ages 5+ through adults.

COVID-19 2nd booster shots are recommended for individuals who are immunocompromised or over age 50. Second boosters should be with an mRNA vaccine of Pfizer or Moderna and at least 4 months after the 1st booster of Pfizer, Moderna, or Johnson & Johnson.

The CDC recommends the same product that was used for the primary vaccination should be used for the 1st booster, although boosting with a single dose of any authorized COVID-19 vaccine booster is acceptable (called "mix and match").

[CDC recommendations for boosters](#)

Replacement Vaccination Cards

Do you need to replace your COVID-19 vaccination card? Use the IDPH website <http://www.dph.illinois.gov/vaxverify> to view and print your COVID-19 vaccination record. You can also find the date(s) you were vaccinated, which COVID-19 vaccine you received, as well as other recent vaccinations you have received (such as a flu shot).

Information for Vaccine Recipients

- COVID-19 Comirnaty (Pfizer BioNTech) Fact Sheet for Recipients (updated 11/19/21)
- English: <https://www.fda.gov/media/144414/download>
- Spanish: <https://www.fda.gov/media/144625/download>
- COVID-19 Moderna Vaccine EUA Fact Sheet for Recipients (updated 11/19/21)
- English: <https://www.fda.gov/media/144638/download>
- Spanish: <https://www.fda.gov/media/144712/download>
- COVID-19 Janssen (Johnson & Johnson) EUA Fact Sheet for Recipients (updated 10/20/21)
- English: <https://www.fda.gov/media/146305/download>
- Spanish: <https://www.fda.gov/media/146762/download>

COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

- State of Illinois COVID-19 Website - coronavirus.illinois.gov. The portal lists Vaccination Locations, Vaccination Appointment Information, FAQs, and Updates on the Illinois Vaccination Plan.
- [Illinois Department of Public Health \(IDPH\) COVID-19 Information](#) - IDPH has the State of Illinois vaccination plan on this page, as well as an extensive Q&A section.
- [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\) COVID-19 Vaccine Information](#)
- [US Food & Drug Administration \(FDA\) COVID-19 Vaccine Information](#)
- [The Conversation Between Us, About US](#) is a campaign from Greater Than COVID and the Black Coalition Against COVID where black doctors, nurses, and researchers dispel misinformation and provide facts about COVID-19 vaccines.

Frequently Asked Questions

COVID-19 Vaccination for Young People

[IDPH FAQ sheet with information for young people.](#)

Who is eligible? Eligibility is open to everyone age 5+

Pfizer has FDA approval for ages 16+, as well as emergency approval for ages 5 -15. Moderna and Johnson & Johnson have emergency approval for ages 18+. Please check with your scheduling site to ensure it has the appropriate vaccine. [IDPH FAQ sheet with information for young people.](#)

What is an Emergency Use Authorization? How is safety taken into account?

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is responsible for authorizing a vaccine for emergency use. Learn how they do this at <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/vaccines/emergency-use-authorization-vaccines-explained>.

How do vaccines work in our bodies? Are there different types?

Vaccines work by triggering an immune response from our body. Different types of vaccines can produce this response. Learn the details of how our bodies do this and the different vaccine types from the Center for Disease Control's website at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/how-they-work.html>.

What is an mRNA vaccine? How is it different from past vaccines we have had in the U.S.?

The current COVID-19 vaccine candidates that are authorized for emergency use in the United States were developed using mRNA technology, which is different from vaccines the U.S. has previously used. The Center for Disease Control's website explains more about what these are and how they work: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/mrna.html?fbclid=IwAR0iMyaBDSeoXHRK4hgZvJkGpx-j-FsX8a5Fid2zJbA6D6tQ7TmXxd7ZnpI>

If I already had COVID-19, should I get vaccinated?

Health officials recommend getting vaccinated even if you already had COVID-19. Studies have shown that vaccination provides a strong boost in protection in people who have recovered from COVID-19. Learn more on the benefits of being vaccinated: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/vaccine-benefits.html>

How is a vaccine developed in the U.S.? What kind of regulatory process is there to determine if it is safe and effective?

The FDA regulates vaccine development and approval in the U.S. through a strict process. Read more on the steps between research and development to approval at <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/development-approval-process-cber/vaccine-development-101>.