

CURRENT COVID VACCINE GUIDELINES

- PFIZER**
- Ages 5-11 get pediatric dose
 - Ages 12+ get adult dose
 - 2 doses 3 weeks apart for most people
 - 3rd dose at least 28 days later for immunocompromised (self-reported by patient).

For individuals who received a Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine, the following groups are eligible for a booster shot at 6 months or more after their initial series:

- All adults 18+

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- MODERNA**
- Authorized for ages 18+ only
 - 2 doses 4 weeks apart for most people
 - 3rd dose at least 28 days later for immunocompromised (self-reported by patient).
 - Booster is ½ the original dose

For individuals who received a Moderna COVID-19 vaccine, the following groups are eligible for a booster shot at 6 months or more after their initial series:

- All adults 18+

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- J&J**
- OCHS no longer stocks the Johnson and Johnson (J&J) vaccine. Please contact a commercial pharmacy for an Initial Single Dose or for a J&J Booster if you desire this brand. Otherwise, OCHS can offer Pfizer or Moderna booster shots for individuals who originally received an initial one-shot of the J&J vaccine.
 - Initial Single Dose
 - Booster at 2 months for all patients >18 years of age.
 - All 2nd doses to a first J&J dose are given as booster dosages (Pfizer-FULL; Moderna-HALF)

**MIXING
VACCINES**

There are now booster recommendations for all three available COVID-19 vaccines in the United States. Eligible individuals may choose which vaccine they receive as a booster dose. Some people may have a preference for the vaccine type that they originally received and others may prefer to get a different booster. Evidence is not available to guide this decision at this time.
