

Safety and Effectiveness of COVID-19 Vaccines



Studies show that COVID-19 vaccines are **very effective** at keeping you from getting COVID-19.



The vaccines are safe. The U.S. vaccine safety system makes sure that all vaccines are as safe as possible.



These vaccines cannot give you the virus itself.



You may have some **side effects** like headache, chills, or body aches. These are normal signs that your body is building protection.



Right after receiving all vaccine shots, continue to practice social distancing and wear a mask. It takes two weeks for your body to build full protection to COVID-19.



If you have a developmental disability or other health concerns, talk with your doctor about the safety of COVID-19 vaccines and how well they work.





