COVID WEBINAR

Prepare for Winter: Booster Guidance for Nurses

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CDC COVID Vaccine Project Goals



Q: Can I get the vaccine if I don't have insurance?

A: Yes, Covid-19 vaccines are 100% free in the United States.

- Empower nurses with necessary information to engage care teams and communities about COVID-19 vaccines.
- Provide learning opportunities to share up-to-date guidance, support peer engagement among nursing colleagues, and strengthen the nursing role.
- Amplify the nursing voice by featuring nurse champions through our podcast and other media outlets.

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COVID-19 Vaccines: Bivalent Booster Recommendations

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Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices: Origins and Role

- Role: To provide advice and guidance to the CDC Director on most effective means to prevent vaccine-preventable diseases in the U.S. civilian population
 - Advises on population groups and/or circumstances in which a vaccine is recommended
- ACIP deliberations includes consideration of disease epidemiology and burden of disease, vaccine efficacy and effectiveness, vaccine safety, the quality of evidence reviewed, economic analyses and implementation issues
- CDC is the secretariat for ACIP, but ACIP is independent of CDC; Voting ACIP members are not CDC employees

ACIP Voting Members

- 15 voting members
 - Includes 1 consumer representative, and 14 members with expertise in specific disciplines
- 4-year, overlapping terms
- Members screened for conflicts of interest upon appointment, annually through term, and at every ACIP meeting
- Includes expertise in:
 - Medicine (Pediatrics, Internal/Family Medicine, Infectious Diseases, Ob/Gyn, others)
 - State/local health departments
 - Public health, preventive medicine

- Nursing
- Immunology
- Vaccine research and policy
- Economics and cost-effectiveness
- Consumer concerns

ACIP Meetings

Typically, three 2-day meetings annually – February, June, and October

Currently conducting emergency COVID-19 meetings ~monthly

Emergency meetings can and have taken place to develop recommendations when there is public health urgency

ACIP COVID-19 Vaccine Working Group



See ACIP Policies and Procedures guidance for abbreviations





- Work Group conducts indepth review of topics to facilitate informed and efficient decision-making
- Responsible for collection, analysis, and preparation of information for presentation, discussion, deliberation, and vote by ACIP

EtR, GRADE, and Benefit Risk

EtR (Evidence to Recommendations Framework)

- Domains include public health importance, benefits and harms, values of the target population, acceptability to stakeholders, resource use, equity, feasibility
- Helps panels making recommendations move from evidence to decisions
- Conducted for all policy decisions that go before ACIP

EtR, GRADE, and Benefit Risk

GRADE (Grading of Recommendations, Assessments, Development and Evaluation)

- Incorporated into EtR
- Assesses data on benefits and harms, and evidence type indicating the certainty of estimates from the available body of evidence, ranging from type 1 (high certainty) to type 4 (very low certainty)
- Conducted when there is evidence on benefits and harms

EtR, GRADE, and Benefit Risk

Benefit Risk Assessment

- ACIP holds an 'emergency' meeting with public comment session
- Weighs the potential benefits of a vaccine policy (e.g., prevented hospitalizations) against potential harms (e.g., myocarditis)
- Conducted for safety signals, as well as policy decision such as booster doses







Bivalent (updated) mRNA Boosters

- Contain mRNA that encodes for
 - Spike protein from "ancestral" or original SARS-CoV-2
 - Spike protein from Omicron (BA.4/BA.5) SARS-CoV-2







mRNA doses administered

https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/meetings/downloads/slides-2022-09-01/08-COVID-Oliver-508.pdf

Clinical data from >1,700 people

Antibody studies and antigenic cartography





cartography



Booster Recommendations: Bivalent Booster

People ages 5 years and older are recommended to receive 1 bivalent mRNA booster dose after completion of any FDAapproved or FDA-authorized monovalent primary series or previously received monovalent booster dose(s).

Monovalent mRNA vaccines are no longer authorized as booster doses.

Booster Recommendations: Bivalent Booster, Continued

Homologous (the same) and heterologous ("mix and match") boosters are allowed*; no preference



*Only Pfizer-BioNTech bivalent booster is authorized for people age 5 years. Both Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna bivalent boosters are authorized for people ages 6 years and older.

Booster Recommendations:

Monovalent Booster in Limited Situations

- A monovalent Novavax booster dose (instead of a bivalent mRNA booster dose) may be used in limited situations in people ages 18 years and older who completed any FDAapproved or FDA-authorized monovalent primary series, have not received a previous booster dose(s) and are:
 - Unable to receive an mRNA vaccine (i.e., an mRNA is contraindicated or not available)
 - Unwilling to receive an mRNA vaccine and would otherwise remain unvaccinated

Booster Recommendations Summary



An **mRNA bivalent** booster is the **default** recommendation



Novavax monovalent booster is an **acceptable option** when the patient is **unable or unwilling** to receive the default COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for People Who Are <u>NOT</u> Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised



Pediatric Schedule: Ages 6 months–4 Years







Pediatric Schedule: Ages 5–11 Years





Pediatric Schedule: Ages 12-17 Years





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Adult Schedule: Ages 18 Years and Older



Regardless of previous monovalent booster doses given

*3-8 week interval for Novavax and Pfizer-BioNTech; 4-8 week interval for Moderna [†] A monovalent Novavax booster dose (instead of a bivalent mRNA booster dose) may be used in limited situations in people ages 18 years and older who are unable to receive an mRNA vaccine (i.e., contraindicated) or unwilling to receive an mRNA vaccine and would otherwise remain unvaccinated



Adult Schedule: Ages 18 Years and Older



COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for People Who <u>ARE</u> Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised



Pediatric Schedule: Ages 6 months-4 Years (Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised)





Pediatric Schedule: Ages 5–11 Years (Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised)





Pediatric Schedule: Ages 12–17 Years (Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised)





Adult Schedule: Ages 18 years and older (Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised)





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If unable or unwilling to get a bivalent mRNA



COVID-19 Vaccines

Product	Product for ages 6 months–5 years	Product for ages 6–11 years	Product for ages 6 years and older	Product for ages 12 years and older	
Authorized dose type	Primary	Primary	Booster	Primary	
Vial cap/Label border	Dark blue/Magenta	Dark blue/Purple	Dark Blue/Gray	Red/Light blue	
Composition	Monovalent	Monovalent	Bivalent	Monovalent	
Dose/Injection volume	25 mcg/0.25 mL	50 mcg/0.5 mL	6–11 years: 25 mcg/0.25 mL 12 years+: 50 mcg/0.50 mL	100 mcg/0.5 mL	

Product	Product for ages 6 months– 4 years	Product for ages 5–11 years (monovalent)	Product for ages 5–11 years (bivalent)	Product for ages 12 years and older (monovalent)	Product for ages 12 years and older (bivalent)	
Authorized dose type	Primary	Primary	Booster	Primary	Booster	
Vial cap /label border	Maroon	Orange	Orange	Gray	Gray	
Composition	Monovalent	Monovalent	Bivalent	Monovalent	Bivalent	
Dose/Injection volume	3 mcg/0.2 mL	10 mcg/0.2 mL	cg/0.2 mL 10 mcg/0.2 mL 30 mcg/0.3 mL 30 mcg/0.3 mL		30 mcg/0.3 mL	

For more information, contact CDC 1-800-CDC-INFO (232-4636) TTY: 1-888-232-6348 www.cdc.gov

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COVID-19 UPDATES & RESOURCES

National Immunization Survey Adult COVID Module

Data Collection Period: October 9-15, 2022

N = 8,723

Bivalent Booster Status and Intent Among Adults Who Have Completed the COVID-19 Primary Series by Demographics, National Immunization Survey-Adult COVID Module, October 9–15, 2022 (N = 8,723)





by state, the District of Columbia, five local jurisdictions (Bexar County TX, Chicago IL, Houston TX, New York City NY, and Philadelphia County PA), and Guam (April-July 2021 and April-June 2022 only), Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands (April-December 2021 only). Data are weighted to represent the non-institutionalized U.S. population and mitigate possible bias that can result from an incomplete sample frame (exclusion of households with no phone service or only landline telephones) or non-response. Survey weights were also calibrated to state-level vaccine administration data reported to CDC. All responses are self-reported. Estimates of vaccination coverage may differ from vaccine administration data reported at https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-datatracker/#vaccinations. For more information about the survey, see https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/imz-managers/nis/about.html#current-surveys.

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Probably or Definitely Will Not Get Bivalent Booster



National Immunization Survey Adult COVID Module: Data from adults aged ≥18 years are collected by telephone interview using a random-digit-dialed sample of cell telephone numbers stratified by state, the District of Columbia, five local jurisdictions (Bexar County TX, Chicago IL, Houston TX, New York City NY, and Philadelphia County PA), and Guam (April-July 2021 and April-June 2022 only), Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands (April-December 2021 only). Data are weighted to represent the non-institutionalized U.S. population and mitigate possible bias that can result from an incomplete sample frame (exclusion of households with no phone service or only landline telephones) or non-response. Survey weights were also calibrated to state-level vaccine administration data reported to CDC. All responses are self-reported. Estimates of vaccination coverage may differ from vaccine administration data reported at https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#vaccinations. For more information about the survey, see https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/imz-managers/nis/about.html#current-surveys.

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Porter Novelli View 360 Survey

Data Collection Period: September 13-15, 2022

N = 515







37% Of the Sample Are Unsure (14%) or Do Not Plan On Getting (23%) the Annual Flu Vaccine (N=515, 100% of Total)





78%* Reported Being Very Likely or Somewhat Likely to Get the Annual Flu Vaccine and a COVID-19 Booster Dose at the Same Time (N= 190)

45%					33%			15%	7%	
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*Of those who received at least one dose of the COVID-19 primary series and have not received their annual flu vaccine or the Updated Booster, But Are Eligible and Willing



Preliminary, Unpublished result

Top Reasons Given* That Make It More Difficult to Get a Booster at the Same Time as the Annual Flu Vaccine (n=256)



I am concerned about the safety of receiving both at the same time No recommendation from a HCP to get them both at the same time I don't have enough information about getting both vaccines together My HCP recommended not getting them both at the same time I don't think I need a COVID-19 booster I am concerned about the safety of the COVID-19 boosters I am concerned about the safety of the annual flu vaccine I don't think I need an annual flu vaccine None of my friends are getting them together It is difficult for me to get a vaccine I don't know where to go to get them both at the same time I am worried about the costs of getting them both

*Of those who received at least one dose of the COVID-19 primary series and have not received their annual flu vaccine









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