

COVID-19 VACCINE INFORMATION

Cumberland County, NJ

Vaccine safety is the highest priority for public health!

The Food & Drug Administration certifies that a vaccine is safe for use. Although sometimes people can see minor reactions to vaccines (like injection site soreness and slight fever), these reactions are not "adverse reactions" -- and typically resolve in a few days.



New Jersey has started administering COVID-19 vaccinations for Phase 1A. In this Phase 1A, all healthcare workers are able to be vaccinated.

This vaccine is currently for adults 18 and older. Individuals who are pregnant may wish to consult with their physician before receiving the vaccine.

Healthcare workers (paid and unpaid) are the targeted population to be vaccinated during Phase 1A.

Healthcare workers include:

- ✓ LICENSED HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS LIKE DOCTORS, NURSES, PHARMACISTS, AND DENTISTS
- ✓ HEALTHCARE FACILITY STAFF LIKE RECEPTIONISTS, JANITORS, CLERGY, MORTUARY SERVICES, LAB TECHS
- ✓ CONSULTANTS, PER DIEM, AND CONTRACTORS NOT DIRECTLY EMPLOYED BY A HEALTHCARE FACILITY
- ✓ UNPAID WORKERS LIKE HEALTH PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS, TRAINEES, AND ESSENTIAL CAREGIVERS
- ✓ COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS, DOULAS, AND PUBLIC HEALTH PROFESSIONALS, INCLUDING MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS VOLUNTEERS
- ✓ PERSONNEL WITH VARIABLE VENUES LIKE EMS, PARAMEDICS, FUNERAL STAFF, AND AUTOPSY WORKERS
- ✓ OTHER PAID AND UNPAID WORKERS IN HEALTHCARE SETTINGS WITH DIRECT OR INDIRECT CONTACT WITH INFECTIOUS PERSONS THAT CANNOT WORK FROM HOME



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