

WHAT TO KNOW ABOUT

COVID-19 Vaccine Boosters for People Who Work in High-Risk Settings

COVID-19 vaccines continue to be highly effective at preventing severe illness, hospitalization, and death due to COVID-19, including from the Delta variant. But protection appears to decrease over time, and some people are at increased risk of getting and spreading COVID-19 because of where they work. As a result, some people are now eligible for a booster shot.

Who Is Eligible for a Booster

You are eligible to get a booster shot if it's been at least 6 months since you got the second dose of a **Pfizer-BioNTech** or **Moderna** vaccine, are at least 18 years old, and work in certain high-risk settings. Examples include:

- First responder (such as firefighter or police officer)
- Health care worker
- Education staff (such as teacher, support staff, or daycare worker)
- Food and agriculture worker
- Factory worker
- Corrections worker
- U.S. Postal Service worker
- Public transportation worker
- Grocery store worker

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If your workplace is not listed above, your health care provider can help you decide if a booster is right for you.

If you received Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine **and are 18+**, you are eligible for a booster **two months after your first dose**. You do not need to have one of these professions to be eligible.

Mixing and matching vaccine brands may not be available at Austin Public Health Clinics. For more information about boosters, talk to a health care provider.



How to Find Vaccines

You have many ways to find vaccines near you:

 Go to [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov)

 Text your ZIP code to 438829

 Call 512-974-2000

