COVID-19 BOOSTERS

Frequently Asked Questions

Why do we need boosters?
COVID-19 vaccines may lose their strength over time. This means less protection against infection, which could lead to severe symptoms and hospitalization. Similar to the seasonal flu vaccine, routine booster shots help keep our immunity strong.

Who is eligible for a COVID-19 booster shot?
All people ages 12+ if it has been at least:
- Pfizer: 5 months since their second dose
- Moderna: 5 months since their second dose
- Johnson & Johnson: 2 months since their first dose

Who would benefit most from boosters?
People age 50+ and
People age 18+ with underlying medical conditions.

Is it ok to mix and match boosters?
Yes. You can choose to receive a different booster vaccine brand than what you originally received.

Where can we find a booster?
Boosters are available at medical providers or clinics, pharmacies, and Marin Public Health Vaccination sites. You do not need to go to the same location where you received your original vaccine series.

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