



## COVID-19 VACCINE INFORMATION

### Who can get the vaccine?

Q & A

All people in Manitoba **aged 6 months and older** are eligible for COVID-19 vaccination.

### Is the vaccine safe?



The COVID-19 vaccines **authorized by Health Canada** and recommended by the **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**, are proven to be safe and very good at preventing serious or fatal cases of COVID-19.

### Is my child eligible for a booster?



Manitoba Health is advising that all children **aged five to 11** can now receive a booster dose of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine. A booster dose is particularly important for children with an underlying medical condition that places them at high risk of severe illness due to COVID-19.

### Where can I get the vaccine?



Many **pharmacies and medical clinics** are now offering the COVID-19 vaccine.

For a complete list of locations visit <https://manitoba.ca/covid19/vaccine/finder.html>

All COVID-19 vaccines currently available were developed to be effective against the original strain of the virus. A new vaccine currently under review by Health Canada, called a bivalent vaccine, has been developed to provide protection against the original strain as well as an Omicron variant.

### Additional Resources

- COVID-19 in Manitoba: [www.manitoba.ca/COVID19](http://www.manitoba.ca/COVID19)
- Vaccine campaign: [www.manitoba.ca/vaccine](http://www.manitoba.ca/vaccine)
- Testing information: [www.manitoba.ca/covid19/testing/index.html](http://www.manitoba.ca/covid19/testing/index.html)