

Get the facts, get the shot

Aetna Better Health® of
New Jersey can help your child
get vaccinated for COVID-19



What to know about the COVID-19 vaccine

- **Parents of children ages 6 months to 17 years should discuss the benefits of vaccination with a healthcare provider.** Children 6 months and older can receive the Moderna COVID-19 or Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.
- **The vaccine is authorized for use by the FDA.** The most important takeaway is that any authorized vaccine is very safe. As the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has reported, “vaccines are one of the most effective tools to protect your health and prevent disease.”
- **The vaccine is provided at no cost to Aetna® members.** We believe in the health and safety of all our members, which is why you will not be charged for the vaccine or its administration. The vaccine may be covered either under your pharmacy benefit, your medical benefit, or both. It depends on where you get the vaccine. Remember to bring your insurance card wherever you get vaccinated.
- **It's important to continue to stay safe.** It's critical to practice safe habits to continue to ensure the safety of everyone. You can help protect yourself and others from COVID-19 by:
 - Avoiding crowds and poorly ventilated spaces
 - Washing your hands often

Where to get the shot

- Ask your child's primary care provider (PCP)
- If you need help finding a provider, call Aetna Better Health of New Jersey Member Services at **1-855-232-3596** (**TTY: 711**)

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COVID-19 vaccine frequently asked questions

Are the COVID-19 vaccines safe?

Yes. They are safe and protect you and the people you care about.

Is there a cost for the vaccine?

No, there is no cost to you.

Are there side effects?

Some people may have side effects, such as a sore arm, feeling tired, or fever.

Can getting a COVID-19 vaccine make me magnetic?

No. It will not make your body or shot site magnetic.

Do the vaccines have microchips inside of them?

No. The vaccines do not have microchips inside of them.

Can the COVID-19 vaccine make me sick with coronavirus?

No. The vaccine does not use a live virus so you can't get coronavirus from the vaccine.

Can kids get the COVID-19 vaccines?

Yes. Children 6 months and older can receive the Moderna COVID-19 or Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.

If I want to have children someday, is the vaccine safe?

There is no evidence that the COVID-19 vaccine effects the ability to have children.



**Learn
more about
vaccines**

Scan the QR code with your smartphone or visit [cdc.gov/vaccines](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines) to learn more about the COVID-19 vaccine and other immunizations.

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