

# COVID-19 VACCINE FAST FACTS

## for College & University Students



### VACCINATIONS HELP STOP THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

- Vaccines will work with your immune system, so it will be ready to fight the virus if you are exposed.
- Getting vaccinated and following health officials' recommendations to protect yourself and others is our best bet to slow the spread of this virus.

### COVID-19 VACCINES:

- Are safe, effective and free.
- Can prevent you from getting COVID-19 or from becoming seriously ill or dying due to COVID-19.
- Can prevent you from spreading the COVID-19 virus to others.
- May cause some side effects, which are normal and should go away in a few days (i.e. soreness at the injection site, fatigue or fever).
- Typically take two weeks after vaccination to build protection (immunity) against the virus that causes COVID-19. You are considered fully vaccinated two weeks after the second dose of a two-dose vaccine or two weeks after a one-dose vaccine.
- Will help us begin activities that were restricted due to the pandemic.

### LET'S GET VACCINATED TO PROTECT OUR FAMILY AND LOVED ONES.

Millions of people in the U.S. have been vaccinated under the most intense safety monitoring in U.S. history, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. To learn more, visit [www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/safety.html](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/safety.html).



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