

If I had COVID-19 Do I need to get vaccinated?

Getting vaccinated adds another layer of protection for you. **Even if you've had a previous infection, the vaccine acts as a booster that strengthens the immune response.**



STRAIGHT TALK ABOUT COVID-19

Protect yourself, your family and your patients

You **still** need a **COVID-19 vaccine** even if you have had a previous infection.

- There have been reports of people **getting infected with COVID-19** a second time, which makes getting vaccinated even more important.
- Protection from the vaccine **is stronger** than protection from the infection. Experts don't know **how long the advantage of protection from infection will last** or if it works against new variants.
- Getting vaccinated **protects you against variants** that are now circulating.

Good to know

- If you were treated with certain medicines for your COVID-19 infection, **you should wait at least 90 days after your last treatment** to get vaccinated. Talk to your healthcare provider for more information.
- You should not get the COVID-19 vaccine if you are currently infected with the virus or experiencing symptoms. Talk to your healthcare provider about when it's safe to be vaccinated.

Get your FREE vaccine!