

COVID-19 VACCINE

Latest Updates & Resources



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KIDS 12 AND OLDER WILL SOON BE ELIGIBLE FOR VACCINE

The CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) met Wednesday and is expected to recommend the Pfizer vaccine for anyone age 12 and older. Pfizer applied for Emergency Use Authorization from the U.S. FDA for the 12- to 15-year-old age group after a clinical trial of around 2,000 children showed the vaccine was 100 percent effective. Registration at [OurShot.IN.gov](https://www.ourshot.in.gov) for the newly eligible age group will start at 8 a.m. Thursday morning.



PFIZER AT MOBILE CLINICS, HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

Because Pfizer is the only vaccine approved for kids as young as age 12, the Indiana Department of Health has distributed doses of the vaccine to all local health departments and mobile clinics to make sure it's easily available. You can find mobile and local health department clinic locations at [OurShot.IN.gov](https://www.ourshot.in.gov). All sites are labeled to indicate which vaccine they offer.

For your convenience, walk-up appointments are offered at most vaccination sites, but you can save some time by making an appointment and registering in advance. Mobile sites now open:

Now through May 13

- Community Action of Southern Indiana, Jeffersonville
- Hobart High School, Hobart
- Tipton County Fairgrounds
- McMillen Park, Ft. Wayne

Now through May 15:

- Center Lake Pavilion, Warsaw
- Tolson Center, Elkhart

500 DRIVERS GET VACCINATED

Tony Kanaan and Charlie Kimball are some of the best-known IndyCar drivers. Now, they are sharing with Hoosiers why they got vaccinated. Check out their PSAs below.



EXTRA INCENTIVES

The Indianapolis Motor Speedway will be offering "Got My COVID-19 Shot" shirts themed with the Indy 500 in mind for those who are vaccinated in May. In addition, IMS and former Gary Roosevelt High School will hand out Girl Scout Cookies to newly vaccinated people.



To date, **2,196,206** Hoosiers have been fully vaccinated!

Helpful Resources

- **UPDATED:** What you can do if you are **fully vaccinated**.
- Proof of vaccination is available at **Access Indiana**. Scroll down to the "Indiana Vaccination Portal" tile, create an account, and download a vaccination certificate.
- Register for a vaccination appointment and stay up to date at **OurShot.IN.gov** (*Chrome or Firefox*). Call Indiana 211 or 1-866-211-9966 if you have difficulty registering online.
- **Learn about V-Safe**, the after-vaccination health checker, and the new **V-safe COVID-19 Pregnancy Registry**. V-safe is also available now in **multiple languages**.
- **Indiana Area Agencies on Aging** and AARP offices are assisting seniors making their vaccine appointments.
- Report any adverse effects from any vaccine to the **Vaccine Adverse Effect Reporting System (VAERS)**.