

# COVID-19 vaccine or infection?

**Congratulations, you received a COVID-19 vaccination!**

You may experience symptoms following vaccination. These symptoms may be from the vaccination OR because of existing (silent) infection. How do you tell the difference?

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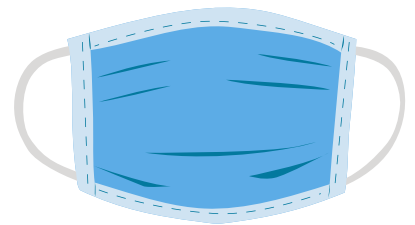
## 1-3 Days After Vaccination

- Fever or Chills
- Headache
- Tiredness
- Muscle or Joint Aches



Vaccine-like  
Symptoms

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- Cough or Runny Nose
  - Sore Throat
  - Loss of Taste or Smell



COVID-like  
Symptoms

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## Work/School Guidelines



**Fever?** Stay home.

**COVID-like symptoms?**

Stay home. Get tested.

**Mild vaccine-like symptoms?**

Attend with precautions.

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## Other Considerations:

Fever is a temperature of 100.4°F or higher.

Re-assess if symptoms last longer than 2 days.

Vaccine-like symptoms are more common after the second dose, and among those under age 65.

