J&J/Janssen

**General Information**

* 1-dose for initial vaccination
* Viral vector vaccine
* Does NOT Contain: Eggs, preservatives, latex, metals
* Given in the muscle of the upper arm

**Initial vaccination schedule:** 1-dose

**Booster dose:** People ages 18 years and older who received a J&J/Janssen COVID-19 vaccine at least 2 months ago should get a booster dose. A single dose of the J&J/Janssen COVID-19 vaccine has lower vaccine effectiveness compared to two doses. You can get any of the COVID-19 vaccines authorized in the United States for your booster dose.

**What is a booster dose?** A booster dose is recommended when the immune response to the initial 1-dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine has likely decreased over time.

**Who is eligible?** People ages 18 years and older who received a J&J/Janssen COVID-19 vaccine at least 2 months ago should get a booster dose.

*Please check with your healthcare provider regarding timing of the booster dose and whether a booster dose would be beneficial for you.*

**\*Possible Side Effects:**

In the arm where you got the vaccine:

* Pain
* Redness
* Swelling

Throughout the rest of your body:

* Tiredness
* Headache
* Muscle pain
* Chills
* Fever
* Nausea

These side effects are normal signs that your body is building protection and should go away within a few days.

\*These may not be all the possible side effects of the vaccine.

For more information visit: [www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/)