

CDC Expands Eligibility for COVID-19 Booster Shots

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For individuals who received a **Pfizer-BioNTech** or **Moderna** COVID-19 vaccine, the following groups are eligible for a booster shot **at 6 months or more** after their initial series:

- 65 years and older
- Age 18+ who live in long-term care settings
- Age 18+ who have underlying medical conditions
- Age 18+ who work or live in high-risk settings

People who got the **Johnson & Johnson** COVID-19 vaccine, booster shots are also recommended for those **who are 18 and older** and who were vaccinated **two or more months** ago.

Some people may choose the vaccine type that they **originally** received or **different** vaccine as a booster. CDC's recommendations now **allow** for this type of **mix and match** dosing for booster shots.



For more information, please visit:

<https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/p1021-covid-booster.html>

