

The Basics about COVID-19 vaccines:

- Vaccines are shots that help protect people from getting sick – like a flu shot
- There are new vaccines for COVID-19 – scientists all over the world made them
- The COVID vaccine is free – you do not need insurance to get it
- Most people who get a vaccine are protected from COVID-19
- COVID-19 vaccines are only for people over age 16 years old
- You will be offered a vaccine when it is your turn
- You will go to a clinic to get the vaccine
- COVID vaccines are given as 2 shots in the upper arm
- People who get the vaccine must have both shots a few weeks apart
- BUT vaccines take time to work. Keep wearing a mask, washing your hands, and staying at least 6 feet away from people who do not live with you ***EVEN IF YOU HAVE HAD THE COVID-19 VACCINE!***