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"I think there are many people who were on the fence who were worried about things moving too rapidly and about possible side effects, but those concerns are being allayed as they see more of their friends and acquaintances celebrating getting vaccinated," said Dr. Schaffner, who was not involved in the monthly survey, the Covid-19 Vaccine Monitor.

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But parents of younger children were notably more guarded, with only about a quarter expressing a willingness to get their children vaccinated as soon as the shots become authorized for them.

The survey also looked at attitudes about vaccination incentives as well as the impact of government messaging about the shots. Financial enticements, such as [Ohio's million-dollar lottery for the](#)

Strikingly, 85 percent of unvaccinated people said that the C.D.C.'s new guidance did not make them more willing to get vaccinated.

But another cohort looked to government approval as a potential starting gun. The survey found that a third of unvaccinated adults, including 44 percent in the “wait-and-see” group, said they would be more likely to get a vaccine once it received full approval from the Food and Drug Administration. The makers of the Moderna and the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccines have recently said that they are making progress toward that goal.