

# COVID-19 Booster Shot Eligibility

Wyandotte County – December 22, 2021

COVID-19 booster shots are now available for eligible individuals age 16 and older. This follows authorization by the FDA, as well as recommendations by the CDC and the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE).

**People age 16 and 17 can only receive Pfizer** (at this time, Pfizer is the only COVID-19 vaccine authorized for this age group).

**People age 18 and older may receive any type of FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccine for their booster.** You are encouraged to get either a Pfizer or Moderna booster. However, Johnson & Johnson (J&J) boosters are still available for individuals who are unable or do not want to receive a Pfizer or Moderna booster.

Find the latest info on COVID-19 boosters at:

[ughealth.info/covidboosters](https://ughealth.info/covidboosters)

<b>If you previously got Pfizer</b> , you are eligible for a booster if:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ You are age <b>16 or older</b>, and</li><li>✓ You received a 2-dose series of Pfizer or Moderna COVID vaccine, and</li><li>✓ You got your second dose at least <b>6 months ago</b></li></ul>
<b>If you previously got Moderna</b> , you are eligible for a booster if:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ You are age <b>18 or older</b>, and</li><li>✓ You received a 2-dose series of Pfizer or Moderna COVID vaccine, and</li><li>✓ You got your second dose at least <b>6 months ago</b></li></ul>
<b>If you previously got Johnson &amp; Johnson (J&amp;J)</b> , you are eligible for a booster if:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ You are age <b>18 or older</b>, and</li><li>✓ You received a single dose of J&amp;J (Janssen/Johnson &amp; Johnson), and</li><li>✓ You got your first dose at least <b>2 months ago</b></li></ul>

**Please bring your vaccination card** to show when you received your previous dose.

**Where to get your initial COVID vaccination or booster in Wyandotte County:**

- Search for a vaccine site by location and vaccine type at [vaccines.gov](https://vaccines.gov)
- Find hours and other info about the UG Public Health Department's vaccination sites at [WycoVaccines.org](https://WycoVaccines.org)



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