

TAKE A SHOT AT COVID TOOLKIT

Safety

Vaccinating children and teens against COVID is important — and it is SAFE

Parents should consider:



We (your healthcare providers) **recommend** that your child get vaccinated



The vaccine
is **SAFE**



Millions of children have been safely vaccinated.

- Vaccine **safety trials included 30,000+ people**, more than most trials.
- mRNA vaccine technology has been **safely used for 20 years**.
- Most common side effects are **soreness at the site of vaccination, headaches** and **fatigue**.
- Some people have had body aches and rarely people have had chills and/or a fever (less than 10%). If people are going to have side effects, they typically start one to two days after vaccination and last for one to two days.
- Some people have had more side effects with the second dose of vaccine — but, again, the side effects are short lasting.
 - One could think of the symptoms described above as a good thing because it is a sign that the vaccine is working.



While we would prefer that no one who received the vaccine had any side effects, we think the **benefit of protection against a potentially lethal virus FAR outweighs the possible side effects of the vaccine.**



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