

WHO CAN GET A COVID-19 BOOSTER DOSE VS. ADDITIONAL DOSE?



BOOSTER DOSE*

For certain **Pfizer or Moderna** vaccine recipients who completed their two-dose primary series **at least six months ago** and who are:

- ☒ Age 65 or older
- ☒ Age 18 or older who live in long-term care settings
- ☒ Age 18 or older who have underlying medical conditions, such as immunocompromised state,** diabetes, obesity, pregnancy, or heart conditions
- ☒ Age 18 or older who work or live in high-risk settings such as healthcare facilities, schools, correctional facilities, or homeless shelters

For **Johnson & Johnson** vaccine recipients who completed their single-dose primary series **at least two months ago** and who are:

- ☒ Age 18 or older

*The booster dose can be mixed and matched, meaning it does not have to match the primary series.

**Immunocompromised individuals age 18 or older who have completed their two-dose primary series and additional dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine are eligible for a booster (fourth dose).

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ADDITIONAL DOSE

For **Pfizer or Moderna** vaccine recipients with moderately to severely compromised immune systems who completed their two-dose primary series **at least 28 days ago** and who have:

- ☒ Been receiving active cancer treatment for tumors or cancers of the blood
- ☒ Received an organ transplant and are taking medicine to suppress the immune system
- ☒ Received a stem cell transplant within the last two years or are taking medicine to suppress the immune system
- ☒ Moderate or severe primary immunodeficiency, such as DiGeorge syndrome, Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome
- ☒ Active treatment with high-dose corticosteroids or other drugs that may suppress immune response
- ☒ Advanced or untreated HIV infection

Johnson & Johnson vaccine recipients with moderately to severely compromised immune systems are recommended by the CDC to follow the booster dose recommendation.

