

## California COVID-19 Vaccination Program Update

Weekly Wrap Up – June 24, 2022

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### COVID-19 Vaccination Schedules

Use the [COVID-19 Vaccination Schedules at a Glance](#) below to determine how many total COVID-19 vaccine doses are recommended based on primary series product, age, and immune status.

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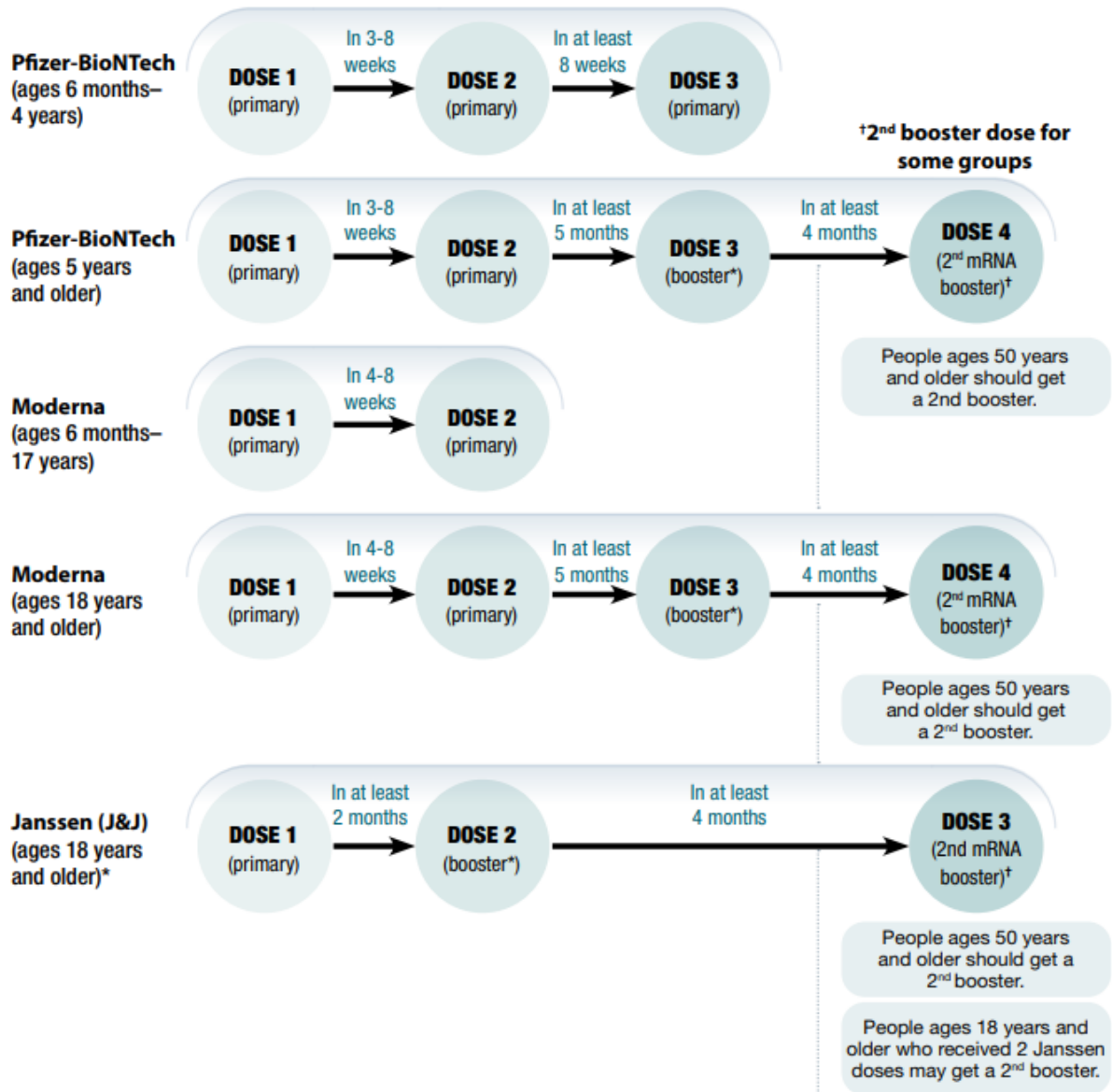
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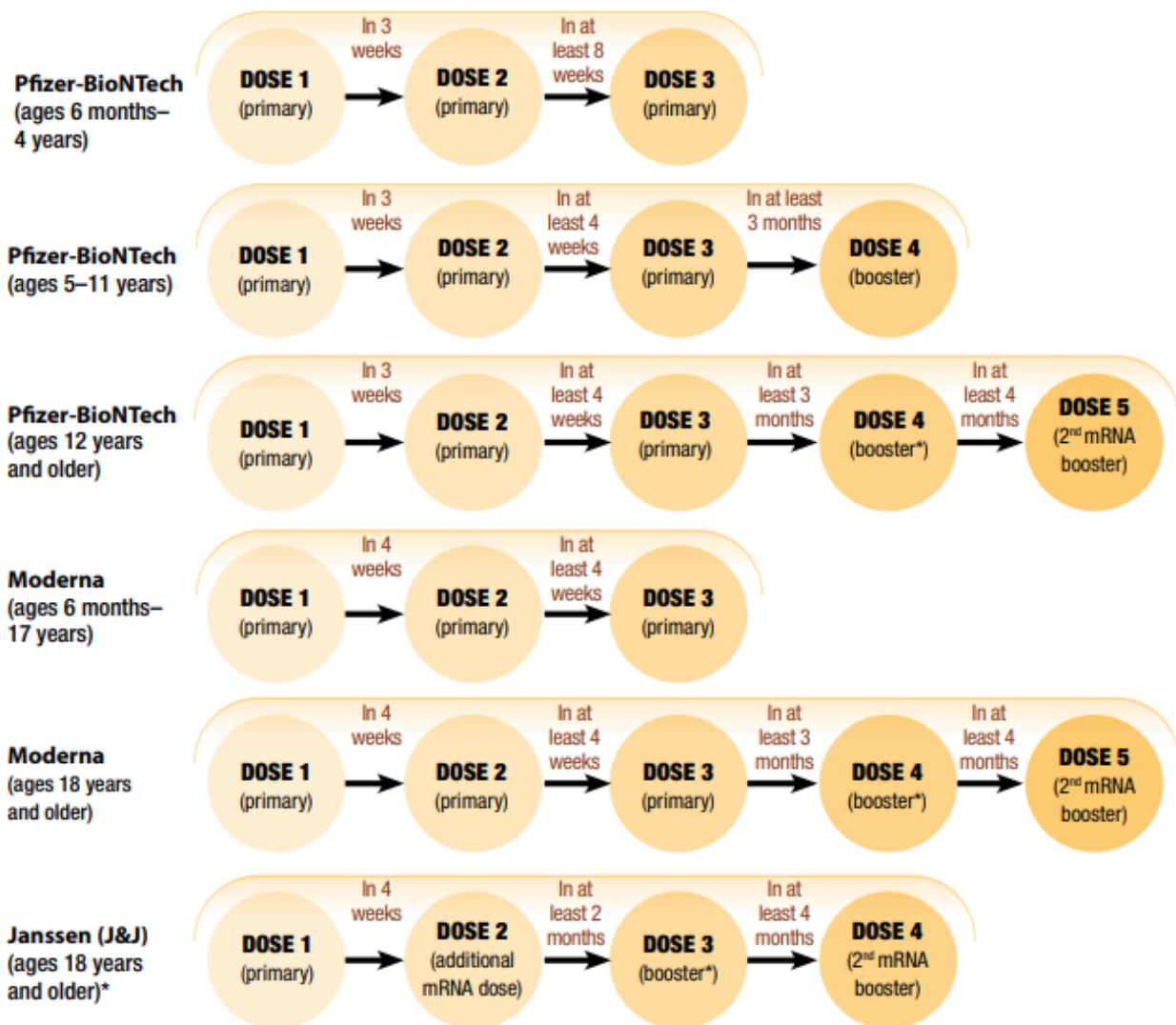
# COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for Most People

## Number and intervals of COVID-19 vaccine doses



## COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for People Who Are Moderately or Severely Immunocompromised

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## Vaccine Dosage and Interchangeability

### Vaccine Dosage

Children should receive the age-appropriate formulation and follow the schedule based on their age on the day of vaccination, regardless of their size or weight.

If a person moves from a younger age group to an older age group during the primary series or between the primary series and receipt of the booster dose(s), they should receive the vaccine dosage for the older age group for all subsequent doses.

### **Interchangeability**

COVID-19 vaccines are not interchangeable. The same mRNA vaccine product should be used for all doses of the primary series. In exceptional situations in which the mRNA vaccine product administered for a previous dose(s) of the primary series cannot be determined or is not available, either age-appropriate available mRNA COVID-19 vaccine product may be administered at a minimum interval of 28 days between doses to complete the mRNA COVID-19 primary vaccination series.

For further information, please visit [CDC Interim Clinical Considerations for Use of COVID-19 Vaccines](#).

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## **Coadministration of COVID-19 Vaccines with Other Vaccines**

COVID-19 vaccines may be co-administered with other vaccines on the same day. Always check if a patient is up-to-date and, if not, offer catch-up vaccines. Integrating COVID-19 vaccination with routine vaccination:

- Follow best practices to avoid administration errors. See the linked resources below.
- Use the 15-minute observation after COVID-19 vaccination (30 minutes, if at a higher risk for anaphylaxis) to encourage families to participate in [V-safe](#), and complete health screening questionnaires and counseling.

Resources:

- [COVID-19 Coadministration with other Vaccines](#)
  - [COVID-19 Vaccine Coadministration Tips](#)
  - [Preventing Administration Errors](#)
  - [COVID-19 Vaccine Product Guide](#)
  - [COVID-19 Vaccine Training](#)
  - [CDC Coadministration Guidance](#)
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## **Updated DHCS COVID-19 Vaccine Reimbursement FAQs**

The Department of Health Care Services published new FAQs regarding COVID-19 vaccine reimbursement through the COVID-19 Uninsured Group. Please access them [here](#).

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## LGBTQ+ Outreach Materials

This week, CDPH VA58 published an [LGBTQ+ Outreach Information Digest](#) and held a [COVID-19 Crucial Conversations webinar](#) on talking with patients in the LGBTQ+ community about COVID-19 vaccines.

LGBTQ+ Outreach Materials:

- [Information Digest](#)
- [Webinar Recording](#)
- [Webinar Slides](#)
- [Pride Graphics in English](#)
- [Pride Graphics in Spanish](#)
- [Equality California Training](#)



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## Archived Infant/Toddler Webinars

CDPH Planning for Infant/Toddler COVID-19 Vaccinations with Dr. Erica Pan, Deputy Director, Center for Infectious Diseases, and CDPH SMEs

- [Archived Slides](#)
- [Archived Recording](#)

California Immunization Coalition (CIC) COVID Conversations #11 featuring Dr. Yvonne A. Maldonado, MD, FAAP, FPIDS, FIDSA, Stanford University School of Medicine, and Dr. Robert Schechter, MD, MSC, Chief Immunization Branch, CDPH.

- [Archived Slides](#)
- [Archived Recording](#)
- [California Immunization Coalition Webpage](#)

CDC/Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity (COCA) Webinar on Recommendations for Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine Primary Series in Children 6 Months through 5 Years Old

- [Archived Slides](#)
- [Archived Recording](#)

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## myCAvax Upcoming Training

Click on the link below to join sessions or access links on [EZIZ.org/COVID/myCAvax](https://EZIZ.org/COVID/myCAvax).

### Vaccine Order Request with Q&A

- Monday, June 27 at 10:00AM – 10:30AM – [Click here to register for this session](#)

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## Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine Medical Updates & Training Sessions

Topics include:

- New vaccine presentation (maroon cap) for individuals 6 months through 4 years of age
- Recent FDA approvals and authorizations
- Use of each vaccine presentation, including storage, handling, preparation, and administration
- Questions and answers

Please attend one of the following training sessions:



- [Monday, June 27 at 12PM](#) | Password: SXpxqFPP265
- [Tuesday, June 28 at 12PM](#) | Password: vXGkbVDv526
- [Wednesday, June 29 at 9AM](#) | Password: 3JKnTe4GDx5
- [Thursday, June 30 at 9AM](#) | Password: MpBZPFCM635
- [Friday, July 1 at 12pm](#) | Password: QMjNKiQX532

To access all sessions, please visit [Pfizer COVID-19 Medical Updates and Training](#).

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## Useful Resources

- [Recommending COVID-19 Vaccination: Clinical Talking Points for Providers of Pediatric Services](#)
  - [Talking with Parents about COVID-19 Vaccines for Children Webinar Recording | Slides](#)
  - [Giving all the Doses 12 Months and Older](#)
  - [How to Hold Your Child During Vaccination](#)
  - [What is Long COVID?](#)
  - [Coadministration of COVID-19 with other Vaccines | Coadministration Tips | Preteens](#)
  - [Tips to Ease Anxiety During Vaccination](#)
  - [COVID-19 Booster Resources](#)
  - [Requesting COVID-19 Vaccination Staff](#)
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## Support Opportunities

### Provider Office Hours

Please attend our weekly webinars to hear updates from the COVID-19 Vaccination Program and have your questions answered.

- [Fridays 9–10 AM](#)
- [Archived Sessions](#) | [Provider FAQs](#)

### **My Turn & myCAvax Office Hours for LHDs and Providers**

- [Every Monday at 12:00 PM](#)

### **COVID Call Center for Providers**

- For Program information: email [covidcallcenter@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:covidcallcenter@cdph.ca.gov) or call (833) 502-1245 (Monday – Friday, 8AM–6PM)

### **myCAvax Help Desk**

- For technical issues (password resets, etc.): email [myCAvax.HD@accenture.com](mailto:myCAvax.HD@accenture.com) or call (833) 502-1245, option 3 (Monday – Friday 8AM – 6PM)
- System related training materials are available via the Knowledge Center in myCAvax and at [EZIZ.org/COVID](https://EZIZ.org/COVID)

### **My Turn Help Desk**

- Onboarding: email [myturnonboarding@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:myturnonboarding@cdph.ca.gov) Technical support for My Turn Clinic: email [MyTurn.Clinic.HD@Accenture.com](mailto:MyTurn.Clinic.HD@Accenture.com) or call (833) 502-1245, option 4 (Monday – Friday 8AM – 6PM).
  - [Job aids, demos and training opportunities](#)
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