





You cannot become infected from receiving the COVID-19 vaccine because the vaccine doesn't contain the live virus.



You should get the vaccine even if you've had COVID-19. The length of natural immunity is unknown. People who have already had COVID-19 should take the vaccine to fight reinfection.





8 KEY FACTS

About the COVID-19 Vaccine

Let's set the record straight on some of the myths circulating about COVID-19 vaccines.

To schedule a COVID-19 vaccine,

visit: coronavirus.illinois.gov/s/vaccination-location



The COVID-19 vaccine is safe! It was developed with all the extensive rigor, trials and approvals necessary to create trusted vaccines.







Neither the Pfizer nor Moderna vaccine uses cells from fetal tissue



There is currently **no** evidence that COVID-19 vaccination causes any problems with pregnancy and fertility.



You may experience side effects, which means the vaccine is working. Symptoms should go away in a day or two.



- Centers for Disease Control (CDC)
- Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH)