

## COVID-19 Vaccine Course

### Complete

People who have documentary evidence of a complete COVID-19 vaccination course with a COVID-19 vaccine authorised by the

- EMA
- FDA
- MHRA or
- recommended by WHO

Should be considered fully vaccinated if they are resident in Ireland.

### Primary Course for Adults

Adults who have documented evidence of the required doses of one of the below authorised vaccines should be considered to have completed their primary course or booster COVID-19 vaccination if they are resident in Ireland.

COVID-19 Vaccines	Doses required
Comirnaty® Original (Pfizer BioNTech) COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	2
Comirnaty® BA.4-5 (Pfizer BioNTech) COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	2
SpikeVax® (COVID-19 Vaccine Moderna)	2
Vaxzevria® Vaccine (AstraZeneca)	2
COVISHIELD (interchangeable with Vaxzevria® Vaccine (AstraZeneca)	2
Jcovden® (COVID-19 Vaccine Janssen)	1
Sinovac-CoronaVac COVID-19 vaccine	2
Sinopharm (Beijing): BIBP-CorV (Vero Cells)	2
Bharat Biotech: Covaxin®	2
Nuvaxovid® COVID-19 vaccine	2
Covovax® vaccine NVX-CoV2373 (Novavax formulation)	2
COVID-19 Vaccine Valneva	2
CanSino: Convidecia®	2
SKYCovione™	2

### Booster Dose for Adults

COVID-19 Vaccines	Doses required
Comirnaty® Original (Pfizer BioNTech) COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	1
Comirnaty® BA.1 (Pfizer BioNTech) COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	1
Comirnaty® BA.4-5 (Pfizer BioNTech) COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	1
SpikeVax® (COVID-19 Vaccine Moderna)	1
SpikeVax® BA.1 (COVID-19 Vaccine Moderna)	1
SpikeVax® BA.4-5 (COVID-19 Vaccine Moderna)	1
VidPrevtyn Beta	1
Bimervax (HIPRA Human Health S.L.U)	1
Comirnaty® Omicron XBB.1.5 COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine	1

## Primary Course for Children

Children who have documented evidence of the required doses of one of the below authorised vaccines should be considered to have completed their primary course COVID-19 vaccination if they are resident in Ireland.

COVID-19 Vaccines	Doses required
Comirnaty® 3mcg Children aged 6 months to 4 years	3
Comirnaty® 10mcg Original Children aged 5 years to 11 years	2
Comirnaty® 10mcg BA4-5 Children aged 5 years to 11 years	2
SpikeVax® 50mcg Children aged 6 years to 11 years	2
Comirnaty® 25mcg Children aged 6 months to 5 years	2

## Booster Dose for Children

COVID-19 Vaccines	Doses required
Comirnaty® 10mcg Original Children aged 5 years to 11 years	1
Comirnaty® 10mcg BA.4-5 Children aged 5 years to 11 years	1
SpikeVax® 25mcg Children aged 6 years to 11 years	1
SpikeVax® 50mcg Children aged 6 years to 11 years	1
Comirnaty® Omicron XBB.1.5 10mcg Children aged 5 years to 11 years	1

## Partially complete

Offer 1 EMA authorised COVID-19 vaccine to complete the vaccine course.

The minimum interval between the last vaccine dose and an EMA authorised COVID-19 vaccine is **28 days**.

## Vaccines not authorised

The Sinopharm/WIPB COVID-19 vaccine, Sputnik V (Gamaleya), EpiVacCorona, Sputnik light, COVIVAC, Covifenz, MVC-cov1901(Medigen), Abdala, CorbeVax, ZifiVax, COVIran Barekat, QAZCOVID-IN, KConVac, Minihai, SCB2019 and Soberana02, Soberance plus, Noora, CoVLP, Sinopharm CNBG, FAKHRAVAC, Turkovac(RAZI Cov Pars), Zydus Cadila(ZyCoV-D), COVAX-19(Cinagen), WalVax, Incovacc, GEMOCOVAC, V-01, IndoVac COVID-19 are **not** currently WHO approved.

If you have a query in relation to a vaccine not listed here please email [immunisation@hse.ie](mailto:immunisation@hse.ie)

Anyone who has received these vaccines should be offered a complete course of and EMA approved vaccine.

Advice has been provided by the RCPI National Immunisation Advisory Committee. Read their COVID-19 Chapter from the Immunisation Guidelines for Ireland from <https://www.rcpi.ie/healthcare-leadership/niac/immunisation-guidelines-for-ireland>

Visit the WHO website for information about approved COVID-19 vaccines  
<https://extranet.who.int/pqweb/vaccines/vaccinescovid-19-vaccine-eul-issued>