

Frontline essential workers can now get the COVID-19 vaccine

All frontline essential workers, including Pre-K-12 and child care staff, are now eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine in North Carolina.

To register your interest, visit: chathamcountync.gov/vaccinetoool.

For more information, visit: chathamcountync.gov/coronavirusvaccine



Am I a "frontline essential worker"?

Frontline essential workers are people who work in-person in education, food service, healthcare, manufacturing, community services, and government.

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Why should I get vaccinated?

COVID-19 vaccines **protect you, your family, and community** by preventing you from getting COVID-19.



Is the vaccine safe and effective?

Yes. The COVID-19 vaccines been tested by both the Food and Drug Administration and independent safety experts to make sure they are **safe and prevent people from getting COVID-19**. They offer the same level and quality of protection found in other vaccines, like the flu vaccine.



What are the side effects?

Like other routine vaccines, you may get a sore arm, fever, headaches, or fatigue after getting vaccinated. **These are signs the vaccine is working.** Severe allergic reactions are very rare, and treatable.



Is the vaccine free?

Yes. There is no cost. **They are free to everyone,** even if you don't have health insurance.



What is in the vaccine?

The vaccine contains **instructions that teach your body** how to create antibodies that protect you from COVID-19. The vaccine **does not** contain fetal cells, animal products, or microchips.

