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COVID-19

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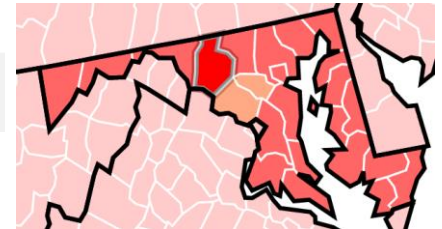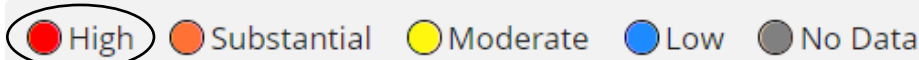Frederick County Health Department

News Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Frederick County Agency Updates for October 7, 2021

Frederick, MD

Level of Community Transmission in Frederick County, MD: HIGH

🔴 High 🟠 Substantial 🟡 Moderate 🔵 Low ⚫ No Data

According to CDC, masks are recommended for everyone (including fully vaccinated people) in areas of substantial or high community transmission.

Frederick County Fully Vaccinated

	# Vaccinated	% of County Population
Fully Vaccinated	164,133	63.2%
1st Doses Given	157,308	60.6%
2nd Doses Given	147,113	56.7%
Single Doses Given	17,020	6.6%

Confirmed Cases:
23,349 (+61 in last 24 hrs)

Confirmed Deaths:
357 (+0 in last 24 hrs)

7-Day Positivity Rate:
4.28%

Frederick County residents fully vaccinated by age group:

% of Population 12-17 Years of Age	% of Population 12+ Years of Age	% of Population 18+ Years of Age	% of Population 65+ Years of Age
65.7%	77.8%	79.1%	92.1%

Please check our dashboard for statistics: http://FrederickCountyMD.gov/COVIDstats.

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COVID Testing Update

If you have an issue with your test results such as the name is incorrect, you need a paper copy of results, or you have a question about the result, please contact the site where you were tested for help.

Did you know that you can find the nearest testing location to you by going to Covidtest.Maryland.gov? Pharmacies, urgent cares, and health department clinics are all listed there.

Find a Testing Site Near You
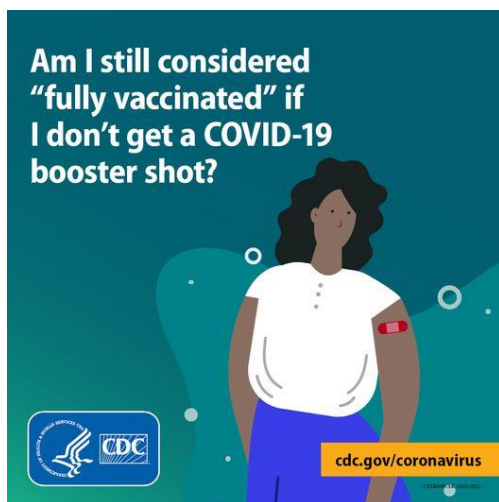
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◉ Search All Sites

◯ Search Mobile Testing Sites Only

◯ Search Rapid Testing Sites Only

Find a Testing Site

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Can I get my flu shot and covid shot at the same time?

A: Yes. The influenza and COVID-19 vaccines can be given at the same time. If you got one first, you do not need to wait to get the other. The CDC recommends an annual flu vaccine for everyone 6 months and older, and says ideally everyone should be vaccinated by the end of October. Check with your healthcare provider or a local pharmacy to get a flu shot.

Q: Am I still considered "fully vaccinated" if I don't get a COVID-19 booster?

A: Yes. Everyone is considered fully vaccinated against COVID-19 two weeks after their second dose in a 2-shot series, such as the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccines, or two weeks after a single-dose J&J/Janssen vaccine.

Learn more: https://bit.ly/booster-vax.

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Frederick County Joint Information Center COVID-19
www.frederickcountymd.gov/JIC

Trending Questions from Maryland Department of Health

When will children 5-11 years old be able to get a COVID-19 vaccine?

Pfizer submitted data to the FDA showing that its vaccine is safe and effective for children ages 5-11. Maryland is urging the federal government to expedite emergency use authorization once submitted for review for this population.

What is Maryland doing to prepare to vaccinate children 5-11 years old?

Governor Hogan has repeatedly asked President Biden and the federal government to expedite emergency use authorization for life-saving COVID-19 vaccines for 5-11-year-olds.

While waiting for emergency use authorization from the federal government, Maryland Department of Health (MDH) is working with local health departments and school systems to make sure they are prepared. We also continue to monitor the CDC and FDA for additional guidance on administering COVID-19 vaccines for this and all groups.

Where will kids age 5-11 be able to get a COVID-19 vaccine once it receives emergency use authorization?

The State is working with all COVID-19 vaccine providers, including pediatricians, local health departments and school systems to make sure they are prepared when kids 5-11 years old become eligible. The Maryland Department of Health continues to monitor the CDC and FDA for additional guidance on administering COVID-19 vaccines.

Am I eligible for a booster shot if I had the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine?

Yes. If you are immunocompromised, you are eligible for an additional dose of Moderna at least four weeks after completion of the primary two-dose series.

Did you miss last week's questions?

You can find out the answer to other trending COVID-19 vaccination questions at covidLink Trending Questions and Answers. Be sure to check out covidLINK for even more information on the COVID-19 vaccine, testing, and contact tracing.

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Frederick Vaccination Update

All Marylanders 12 and older are eligible to get a COVID-19 vaccination. **Please note that only Pfizer is authorized for people 12-17 years old. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.**

Frederick County Health Department has clinics in a variety of locations throughout the county. This list can be found at http://frederickcountymd.gov/covidvaccine. New links are added on Mondays.

Date	Time	Location
Thursday, Oct. 7	1:30-2:30pm	Rescue Mission 419 W. South St. Frederick, MD21701
Thursday, Oct. 7	4-7pm	800 Oak Street, Frederick, MD 21703 (entrance off Himes Ave. directions).
Thursday, Oct. 7	5-7pm	Brunswick, Railroad Square, Brunswick, MD 21716
Friday, Oct. 8	10am-1pm	800 Oak Street, Frederick, MD 21703 (entrance off Himes Ave. directions).
Saturday, Oct. 9	10am-1pm	800 Oak Street, Frederick, MD 21703 (entrance off Himes Ave. directions).
Saturday, Oct. 9	10am-1pm	Linganore Winery Reggae Festival 13601 Glissans Mill Rd. Mount Airy, MD 21771 (event ticket required)
Saturday, Oct. 9	12-2pm	Discovery Community Center 8740 Stauffer Rd. Walkersville, MD 21793
Saturday, Oct. 10	10am-1pm	Linganore Winery Reggae Festival 13601 Glissans Mill Rd. Mount Airy, MD 21771 (event ticket required)
Monday, Oct. 11	1-4pm	Fredericktowne Mall 1317 W. Patrick St. Frederick, MD 21702
Wednesday, Oct. 13	4-6pm	Carver Apartments Community Center 207 Lee Alley. Frederick, MD 21701
Wednesday, Oct. 13	4-7pm	800 Oak Street, Frederick, MD 21703 (entrance off Himes Ave. directions).
Thursday, Oct. 14	1:30-2:30pm	Rescue Mission 419 W. South St. Frederick, MD21701

- Schedule an appointment by going to http://frederickcountymd.gov/covidvaccine or call 301-600-7900 Monday – Friday, 8am-5pm, or call 301-600-7905 for Spanish.

- For other dates/times, check out Frederick Health Hospital and other locations.

- If you need an in-home vaccination, please call 301-600-7900 to schedule.

LYFT Ride Option: Those who need a ride to get vaccinated can visit www.uwfrederick.org/rideunited for more information or can call 301-600-7900 for English or 301-600-7905 for Spanish. The first $25 of each one-way ride is completely free to the rider.

Childcare option: KinderCare, Learning Care Group, and YMCA are all offering free child care to help parents and caregivers get vaccinated. For more information, visit the provider's website.

For More Information:

Frederick County residents can call 866-411-6803 to reach our local 211 center with general questions about coronavirus or COVID19. Accurate COVID-19 information is critical to the community. For the most current and accurate information about this situation, please refer to the following:
- For testing: https://covidtest.maryland.gov/
- For vaccination: https://www.vaccines.gov/ or http://frederickcountymd.gov/covidvaccine
- Frederick County Health Department: health.frederickcountymd.gov/coronavirus
- Maryland Department of Health (MDH): coronavirus.maryland.gov
- Centers for Disease Control (CDC): coronavirus.gov

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