

COVID-19

(coronavirus disease 2019)

Community Update

December 22, 2021



Imperial County COVID-19 Update

- 33,986 positive cases, 792 deaths
- 34.4 case rate per 100K population
- 15.4% testing positivity
- 7-day cumulative positive COVID-19 case totals

11/17/21- 11/23/21

0-4 years:	16 (3.8%)
5-17 years:	69 (16.6%)
18+ years:	<u>331 (79.6%)</u>
Total cases:	416

11/24/21- 11/30/21

0-4 years:	15 (3.9%)
5-17 years:	64 (16.8%)
18+ years:	<u>303 (79.3%)</u>
Total cases:	382

12/1/21- 12/7/21

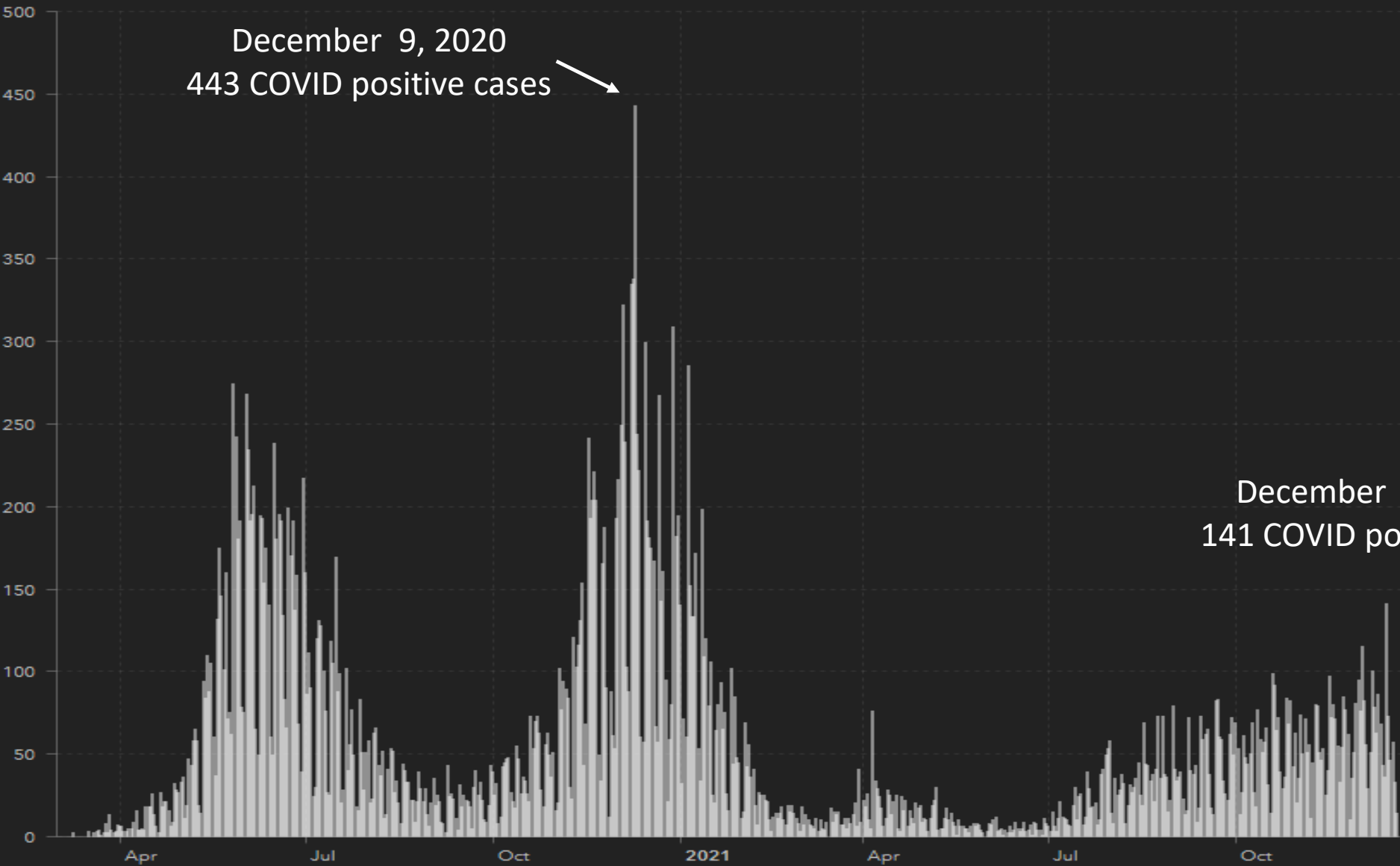
0-4 years:	15 (3.5%)
5-17 years:	44 (10.1%)
18+ years:	<u>375 (88.4%)</u>
Total cases:	434

12/8/21- 12/14/21

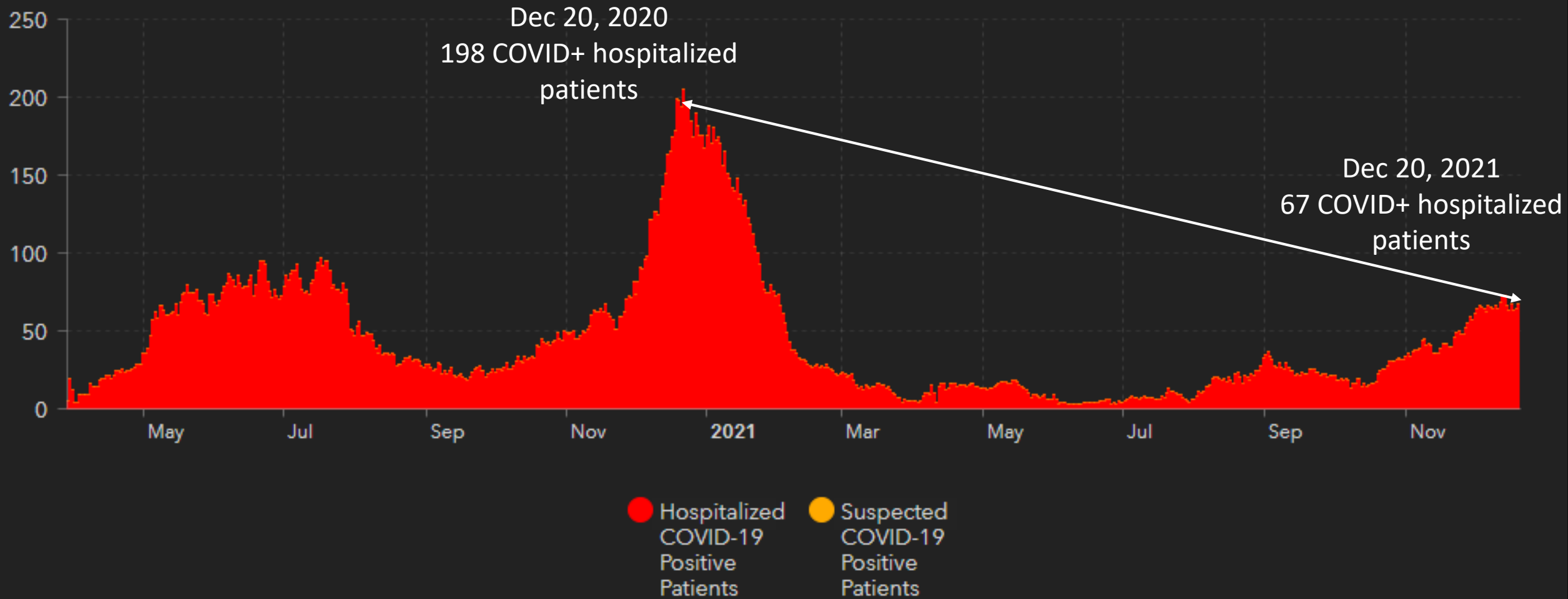
0-4 years:	14 (2.8%)
5-17 years:	125 (24.5%)
18+ years:	<u>371 (72.7%)</u>
Total cases:	510

- 13 active outbreaks
- Variants of concern: 922 cases of the Delta, 0 (zero) of Omicron

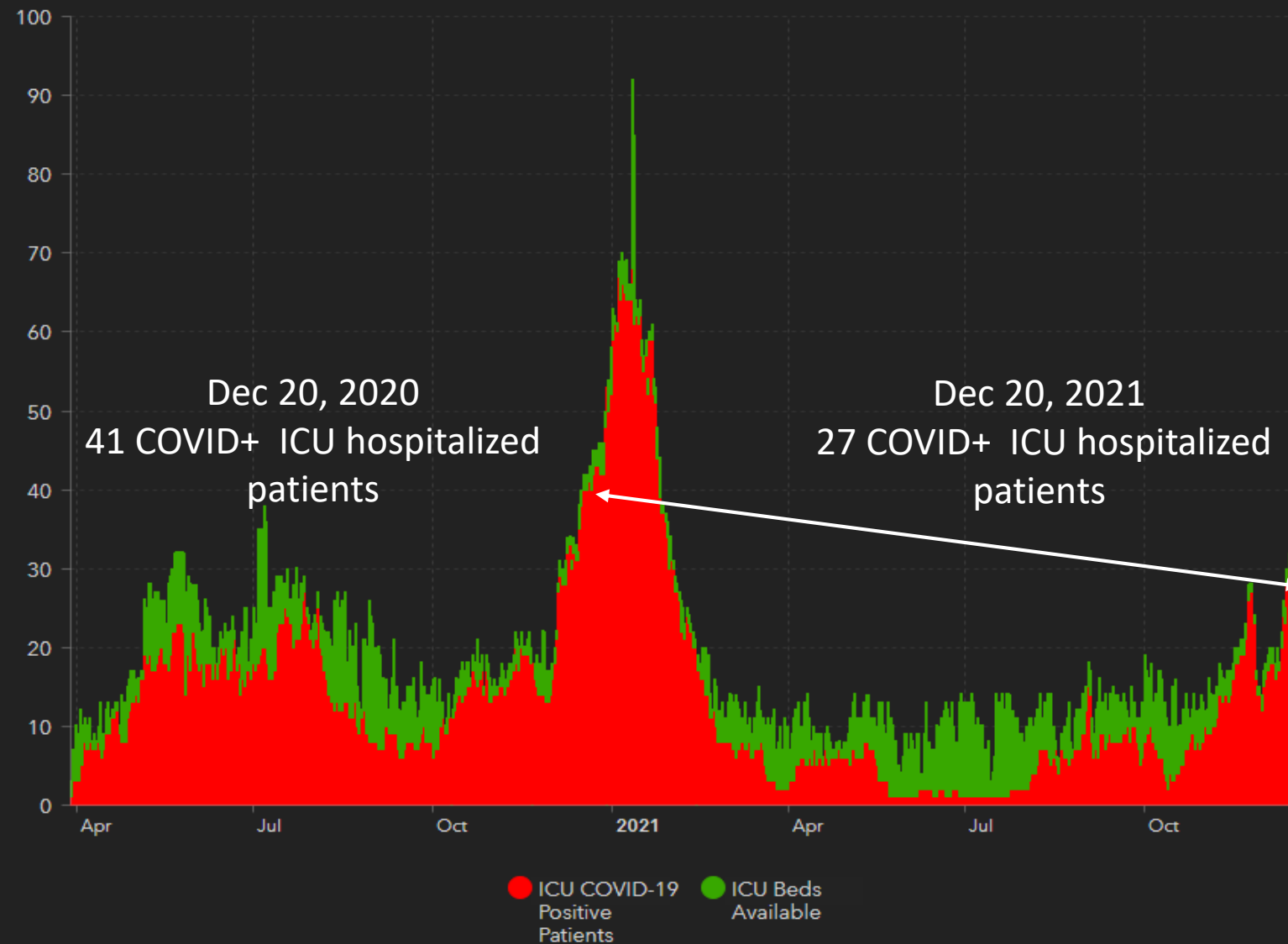
Positive Cases by Collection Date



Hospitals Census | *Censo Hospitalario*



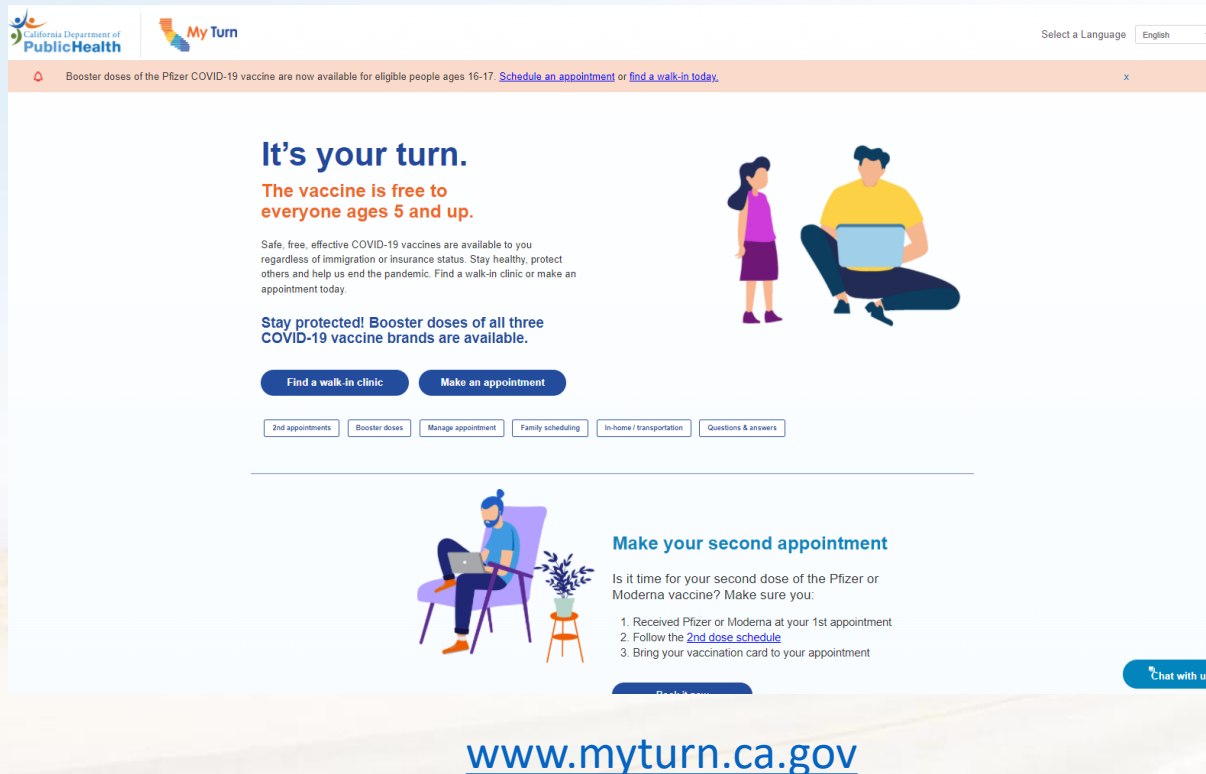
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Imperial County COVID-19 Update

<https://covid19.ca.gov/vaccination-progress-data/>

- 78.5% fully vaccinated (141,783 individuals, ages 5+)
- 29,591 booster/additional doses administered



The screenshot shows the 'My Turn' website from the California Department of Public Health. At the top, there are logos for the department and 'My Turn', along with a language selector set to 'English'. A banner at the top states: 'Booster doses of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine are now available for eligible people ages 16-17. [Schedule an appointment](#) or [find a walk-in today](#).' The main heading is 'It's your turn.' followed by 'The vaccine is free to everyone ages 5 and up.' Below this, a paragraph states: 'Safe, free, effective COVID-19 vaccines are available to you regardless of immigration or insurance status. Stay healthy, protect others and help us end the pandemic. Find a walk-in clinic or make an appointment today.' Another section says 'Stay protected! Booster doses of all three COVID-19 vaccine brands are available.' There are two buttons: 'Find a walk-in clinic' and 'Make an appointment'. Below these are several smaller buttons: '2nd appointments', 'Booster doses', 'Manage appointment', 'Family scheduling', 'In-home / transportation', and 'Questions & answers'. An illustration of a family is shown. At the bottom, there is a section titled 'Make your second appointment' with a list of steps: 1. Received Pfizer or Moderna at your 1st appointment, 2. Follow the [2nd dose schedule](#), 3. Bring your vaccination card to your appointment. A 'Chat with us' button is in the bottom right corner. The URL www.myturn.ca.gov is at the bottom.

www.myturn.ca.gov



The screenshot shows the 'Vaccines.gov' website. At the top, there is a 'WE CAN DO THIS' logo, the 'Vaccines.gov' name, and navigation links for 'Home', 'Find COVID-19 Vaccines', and 'Find Flu Vaccines'. There is also a 'Español' link and the CDC logo. A banner at the top says: 'Need help finding a COVID-19 vaccine in the U.S.? Call 1-800-232-0233 (TTY 1-888-720-7489)'. The main heading is 'Find a COVID-19 vaccine near you'. Below this, it says: 'Use Vaccines.gov to find a location near you, then call or visit their website to make an appointment.' There is a large blue button that says 'Find COVID-19 Vaccines & Boosters'. Below that is a link: 'I'm looking for flu vaccines →'. On the right, there is a photo of a woman smiling and holding a young girl. At the bottom, there is a section titled 'Key Details about Vaccines and Boosters' with a bullet point: 'If unvaccinated, [Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna \(mRNA\)](#)'. To the right of this is a section titled 'Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Now Available for Children Ages 5-11 Years'. The URL www.vaccines.gov is at the bottom.

www.vaccines.gov

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COMMUNITY VACCINE CLINICS SCHEDULE



2895 S. 4TH STREET. EL CENTRO

DECEMBER

TUESDAYS

PFIZER CLINICS

5 years of age and older
8:30 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

WEDNESDAYS

J&J AND MODERNA

18 years of age and older
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

THURSDAYS

PFIZER CLINICS

5 years of age and older
8:30 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

CLOSED THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23 & 30



To register for an appointment, visit www.myturn.ca.gov or call 1-833-422-4255

HORARIO DE CLÍNICAS DE VACUNAS COMUNITARIAS

COVID-19



2895 S. 4TH STREET. EL CENTRO

DICIEMBRE

MARTES

CLINICAS PFIZER

5 años en adelante
8:30 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

MIERCOLES

J&J Y MODERNA

18 años en adelante
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

JUEVES

CLINICAS PFIZER

5 años en adelante
8:30 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

CERRADO EL JUEVES 23 Y 30 DE DICIEMBRE



Para registrarse para una cita, visite www.myturn.ca.gov o llame al 1-833-422-4255

Vaccines

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Get vaccinated – it's safe, effective, and free. Vaccination can help end the COVID-19 pandemic.

On this page:

- [How to get vaccinated](#)
- [Who can get vaccinated](#)
- [How COVID-19 vaccines work](#)
- [Variants](#)
- [Booster shots and additional doses](#)
- [Digital vaccine record](#)
- [Side effects](#)
- [Questions and answers](#)

Side effects

After COVID-19 vaccination, you may have some mild side effects. These are normal signs that your body is building immunity. More serious side effects rarely happen.

Mild side effects

Common mild side effects include:

- Soreness, redness, or swelling where you got the shot
- Feeling tired, headache, muscle pain, chills, fever, or nausea

Side effects may affect your ability to do daily activities, but should go away in a few days. Some people have no side effects.

Rare but serious side effects

Blood clots

Rarely, women under 50 who get the Johnson & Johnson vaccine have a risk of blood clots with low platelets. This risk is not seen in other COVID-19 vaccines. Read CDPH's [Fact Sheet: Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 Vaccine Benefits and Risks](#)^{PDF}

Myocarditis and pericarditis

Some young people have developed inflammation of heart muscle or membrane after getting a Pfizer or Moderna vaccine. Despite this, the CDC believes that the benefits of COVID-19 vaccination outweigh the risks. Read more in these CDPH fact sheets:

- [Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine Benefits and Risks](#)^{PDF}
- [Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine Benefits and Risks](#)^{PDF}

Reporting side effects of vaccines

If you have experienced a side effect after COVID-19 vaccination, you can report it to:

- [VAERS](#)[↗] (Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System)
- [V-safe](#)[↗] (After Vaccination Health Checker)

When to call the doctor

In most cases, discomfort from pain or fever is a normal sign that your body is building protection. Contact your doctor or healthcare provider if:



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<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/expect/after.html>

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Possible Side Effects After Getting a COVID-19 Vaccine

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CDC has updated its recommendations for COVID-19 vaccines with a preference for people to receive an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna). Read [CDC's media statement](#).

COVID-19 vaccination will help protect people from getting COVID-19. Adults and children may have some side effects from the vaccine, which are normal signs that their body is building protection. These side effects may affect their ability to do daily activities, but they should go away in a few days. Some people have no side effects, and allergic reactions are rare.

Serious side effects that could cause a long-term health problem are extremely unlikely following any vaccination, including COVID-19 vaccination. Vaccine monitoring has historically shown that side effects generally happen within six weeks of receiving a vaccine dose. For this reason, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) collected data on each of the authorized COVID-19 vaccines for a minimum of two months (eight weeks) after the final dose. CDC is continuing to monitor the safety of COVID-19 vaccines even now that the vaccines are in use.

The benefits of COVID-19 vaccination outweigh the known and potential risks. Rare cases of [myocarditis](#) (inflammation of the heart muscle) and [pericarditis](#) (inflammation of the outer lining of the heart) in adolescents and young adults have been reported more often after getting the second dose than after the first dose of either the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna COVID-19 vaccines.

Get a COVID-19 vaccine for children ages 5 years and older as soon as you can.



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COVID-19 Testing

 Select language: [English](#)

 Click on the following link to schedule an appointment: <https://lhi.care/covidtesting>

 Hours of Operation for **Brawley Public Library Del Rio Branch and Community Center**: **7:00 am - 3:00 pm**

 Hours of Operation for **Mobile Testing Unit**: **7:00 am - 7:00 pm**


DECEMBER 2021						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

[Brawley Public Library Del Rio Branch and Community Center](#)

Monday, December 6th, 2021 – Monday, December 6th, 2021

[1501 I Street, Brawley CA, 92227](#)

Category: COVID-19 Testing

 Additional testing sites continue to be available in Imperial County at a number of private healthcare providers and pharmacies. For a list of additional test sites, please click below. [Find a testing location...](#) [Read More](#)

Testing

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Free, confidential COVID-19 testing is available to every Californian. [Get vaccinated](#) to reduce the need for testing.

On this page:

- [How to get tested](#)
- [When to get tested](#)
- [Cost for testing](#)
- [Testing at work](#)
- [Questions and answers](#)

How to get tested

Find testing near you

See a map of testing sites near you:

[Find a testing location](#)

More testing sites may be available at [your area's COVID-19 website](#).

<https://covid19.ca.gov/get-tested/>

Common Question

How does COVID-19 spread?

COVID-19 spreads when an infected person breathes out droplets and very small particles that contain the virus. These droplets and particles can be breathed in by other people or land on their eyes, noses, or mouth. In some circumstances, they may contaminate surfaces they touch. People who are closer than 6 feet from the infected person are most likely to get infected.

COVID-19 is spread in three main ways:

- Breathing in air when close to an infected person who is exhaling small droplets and particles that contain the virus.
 - Having these small droplets and particles that contain virus land on the eyes, nose, or mouth, especially through splashes and sprays like a cough or sneeze.
 - Touching eyes, nose, or mouth with hands that have the virus on them.
- People with AND without symptoms may spread the virus**

For more information about how COVID-19 spreads, visit the [How COVID-19 Spreads](#) page to learn how COVID-19 spreads and how to protect yourself.

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Therapeutics

- Monoclonal antibodies
- Antiviral

The screenshot shows the IDSA (Infectious Diseases Society of America) website. The header includes navigation links like Membership, MyIDSA, Journals, News, Science Speaks, Multimedia, Events, HIVMA, IDSA Foundation, Join IDSA, and Login. Below the header, there's a section for 'IDSA Guidelines on the Treatment and Management of Patients with COVID-19'. It features a sidebar with an 'Update History' section listing various guideline updates. The main content area displays the title 'IDSA Guidelines on the Treatment and Management of Patients with COVID-19', the publication date 'Published by IDSA on 4/11/2020. Last updated, 11/18/2021', and links to different parts of the guideline (Infection Prevention, Molecular Testing, Serologic Testing, Antigen Testing). A list of authors is provided, along with their roles (*Corresponding Author, **Methodologist). The date 'November 18, 2021' is also visible. On the right side, there are buttons for 'Download' and 'Cite', and a vertical banner for 'COVID-19 Real-Time Learning Network' with a 'TAKE OUR' button.

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- Executive Summary and Background
- Methods and Search Results
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- Recommendation 3: Hydroxychloroquine as post-exposure prophylaxis

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<https://www.idsociety.org/practice-guideline/covid-19-guideline-treatment-and-management/>



Gathering Safely

As you gather with friends and family, keep COVID-19 in mind. Take steps to prevent its spread.

- Remember [vaccines are available](#) for ages 5+ and are a good way to protect yourself and your loved ones.
- Keep gatherings small
- Outdoor gatherings are safer than indoor gatherings.
- If your guests are unvaccinated or you don't know their status, consider gatherings that are small, short, and outdoors.
- Wearing a mask over your nose and mouth is recommended:
 - When social distancing is not possible
 - When you might be around unvaccinated people, especially indoors
 - When around older individuals or people with medical conditions
- When gathering inside, ventilate well. Open doors and windows, run HVAC systems, and install high-quality air filters.
- [Check local conditions](#). Your county or your destination may have stricter guidance than the state. Take extra precautions when local levels of virus transmission are high.
- CA Notify anonymously notifies individuals of a possible exposure. For more information, check out [Activate CA Notify](#) and share with your friends.
- [Get tested](#) if you have COVID-19 symptoms
- Stay home if you are sick



Important Ways to Slow the Spread of COVID-19

- Get a **COVID-19 vaccine** as soon as you can.
- Wear a mask when indoors
- Avoid crowded & poorly ventilated spaces
- Test to prevent spread to others
- Wash your hands often with soap & water
- Use hand sanitizer when soap & water are not available

Happy Holidays!

Thank you



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