There are two approved vaccines, made by Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech.
Both the Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech vaccines use mRNA and do not contain the virus.
There is no risk of getting COVID-19 from the vaccine.
The vaccine is given by a shot in the upper arm.
After the first shot, you will need to get a second shot 3 to 4 weeks later and it must be the same type of vaccine.
  ● If you receive the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine you will need to return in 3 weeks (21 days) to get your second shot of Pfizer-BioNTech.
  ● If you receive the Moderna vaccine you will need to return 4 weeks (28 days) to get your second shot of Moderna.
After getting the vaccine for COVID-19 there are some common side effects, after a few days you should feel back to normal.
  ● If you do not feel better within a few days or if the side effects seem to get worse, you should call your doctor. If you show signs of an allergic reaction such as difficulty breathing and a fast heartbeat you should seek medical attention immediately. Severe allergic reactions are rare.

Pain and/or swelling in the area where the shot was given, headache, fever, nausea, chills, joint pain, muscle aches, and feeling tired.

After getting both doses of the vaccine, it will be about 1 to 2 weeks after the second shot for you to have protection from COVID-19. After getting both shots you will still need to social distance and use masks.

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