

COVID-19: Point of Distribution (POD) Fact Sheet



What is a POD?

A POD (Point of Distribution) is a temporary site in the community where vaccines can be quickly administered to people in large numbers. There are several POD sites already established in every county in New Jersey.



Who can come to a POD?

Once a COVID-19 vaccine is approved for use, it will likely be available in limited amounts. Until the vaccine can be produced in large quantities, critical populations will be given priority. See "[COVID-19 Vaccine: Who Will Be Able to Get the Vaccine?](#)" for more information.



What happens in a POD?

The COVID-19 vaccine will require two doses, several weeks apart, to be effective. After receiving your first dose, you will be given instructions on when and where to come back for your second dose.



Where can I find out more?

- Contact your [local health department](#) for more information about POD sites in your community.
- Visit the New Jersey Department of Health [COVID-19 Vaccination](#) page for vaccine information.