

## Booster shots recommended for people with compromised immune systems

People with moderately to severely compromised immune systems are advised to get an additional dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, as per recommendations made by the Center of Disease Control (CDC).

As of mid-September, a third dose is recommended at least 28 days after a second dose of either the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines only. More guidance will be coming regarding the need for booster

shots for other populations, and for all the vaccines, as scientists continue to analyze data.

All three vaccines (Pfizer, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson) are proving to be very effective at preventing infection, and at preventing hospitalization and death in breakthrough cases.

However, studies are showing some immunocompromised people don't always build up the same level of immunity after vaccination the way non-immunocompromised people do.

Moderately to severely immunocompromised people includes those who have:

- Been receiving active cancer treatment for tumors or cancers of the blood
- Received an organ transplant and are taking medicine to suppress the immune system
- Received a stem cell transplant within the last two years or are taking medicine to suppress the immune system
- Moderate or severe primary immunodeficiency (such as DiGeorge syndrome, Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome)
- Advanced or untreated HIV infection
- Active treatment with high-dose corticosteroids

### Door County

#### Door County Public Health

421 Nebraska St,  
Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235  
920-746-7180

<https://www.co.door.wi.gov/909/Situation-Up-date-May-12-2021>

**The following transportation services are providing NO-COST rides for vaccination appointments:**

**Door County Connect**  
(920) 746-6948  
<https://www.co.door.wi.gov/170/Door-County-Connect>

**Door-Tran**  
(920) 743-9999  
<https://door-tran.org/>

### Combined drive-thru vaccination clinics

Watch the Door County Public Health website, [www.co.door.wi.gov](http://www.co.door.wi.gov), for details about combined seasonal influenza and COVID vaccine drive-thru clinics.



or other drugs that may suppress your immune response

Consult with your health-care provider to see if an additional vaccination dose is appropriate for you.

### Vaccination Locations

COVID vaccines are available through Door County Public Health at the following locations:

- **Door County Public Health Office**, 421 Nebraska Street, Sturgeon Bay  
Every Wednesday from 2–4:30 p.m.
- **Sister Bay Fire Station**, 2258 Mill Road, Sister Bay  
Thursdays every three weeks, 3–5 p.m.

To schedule an appointment at either Door County Public Health clinic, visit [bookdph.timetap.com](http://bookdph.timetap.com) or call 920-746-7180. Walk-ins are also welcome.

COVID vaccines are also available in Door County at the following locations:

#### Bellin Health

311N 3rd Ave., Sturgeon Bay  
To schedule: Call 920-445-7313

*Vaccines are available by appointment or walk-in.*

#### Door County Medical Center

323 S. 18th Ave.,  
Sturgeon Bay  
Schedule online at [dcmedical.org](http://dcmedical.org)

#### Walgreens Pharmacy

808 S. 18th Ave.,  
Sturgeon Bay  
Schedule online at [walgreens.com](http://walgreens.com)

#### CVS Pharmacy

1407 Egg Harbor Rd.  
Schedule online at [cvs.com](http://cvs.com)  
*Walk-ins welcome during pharmacy hours.*

#### Walmart Pharmacy

1536 Egg Harbor Rd.,  
Sturgeon Bay  
Schedule online at [Walmart.com](http://Walmart.com)  
*Walk-ins welcome during pharmacy hours.*