COVID-19 VACCINE APPROVED
for Adolescents Ages 12 and Older

Adolescents can get sick from COVID-19 as more contagious strains of the virus spread.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) expanded the emergency use authorization (EUA) for Pfizer’s COVID-19 vaccine to include children and teens ages 12-15.

Pfizer—BioNTech clinical trials involving 12-15 year olds showed 100% efficacy, robust antibody responses, and no serious side effects.

Vaccinating children against COVID-19 helps protect them from getting sick and helps reduce the spread of the COVID-19 virus to others, including parents and grandparents, who are more at risk of severe illness.

Contact your local DOD vaccination site to confirm that they have the Pfizer—BioNTech vaccine available, even if it’s not where you normally get routine care. Visit www.TRICARE.mil/VaccineAppointments to make an appointment today.

You can also get the vaccine in your local community. Visit www.Vaccines.gov to find clinics, pharmacies, and other locations near you that offer the Pfizer—BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.