Who is Eligible

COVID-19 vaccine is now available to **ALL NYC Health + Hospitals employees who work in person** in a hospital, Gotham Health center, NYC Test & Trace Corps testing site, hotel, those who do community outreach and home visits to patients, and health system Central Office staff. This includes vendors and other service providers who have a relationship with our facilities and provide service to patients inside our patient care sites.

All NYC Health + Hospitals Post-Acute Care staff and NYC Health + Hospitals/Correctional Health Services staff also have access to vaccines at their facilities and workplaces.

Who is Not Yet Eligible

Employees who have been telecommuting full-time and intend to continue full-time telecommuting are **not eligible at this time**. We hope to offer vaccine to that group of employees soon.

Vaccine Safety

The COVID-19 vaccines were developed and approved under strict controls and guidelines, and have been found to provide about 95% protection against the virus. Vaccines provide protection from infection and are our most important strategy for stopping this pandemic along with masks, social distancing, and hand hygiene.

More than 14,000 Vax Champs!

More than 14,000 of our health system colleagues already received the first dose. Thousands more will get their first dose over the next few weeks.

Watch this video of Ambulatory Care Chief Medical Officer Dr. Andrew Wallach on why eligible staff should get the COVID-19 Vaccine.

Make Your Appointment Today!

As an employee of our public health care system, you have the opportunity to receive a vaccine that millions across the country want – and you can have, right now. As the State expands eligibility to others, it may take longer to access the vaccine later. Appointment slots will be filling up, so make an appointment today. It only takes a few minutes to make an appointment and you have the option to get vaccinated at your NYC Health + Hospitals workplace or at the NYC Health + Hospitals facility near your home. You will have to receive your second dose at the same location.

Visit the COVID-19 Vaccination Scheduler to select the day and time of your appointment.

- From inside the NYC Health + Hospitals network: https://covid19vaccinationscheduler.nychhc.org/
- From outside the NYC Health + Hospitals network: https://covid19.nychealthandhospitals.org/covid19vaccinationscheduler/

Resources

- Self-scheduling tip sheet
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Information for Providers
- Citywide Vaccine Tracker