



## COVID-19 vaccine: new eligibility & scheduling information

At Northwell, efforts are well underway to administer the COVID-19 vaccine to members of our communities. The New York State Department of Health, based on need and risk, has created priority groups to receive the vaccine.

**The eligibility criteria as defined by New York State is very specific. Please check [here](#) to make sure you fall within the eligible criteria before making your appointment.** In addition to healthcare workers who have already been invited to receive their vaccine, we are now accepting appointments for the newly eligible 1B groups including:

- Teachers and education workers
- First responders (police, corrections, fire)
- Public transit workers
- Public safety workers
- People age 65 or older
- Immuno-compromised

If you fall into one of the above categories and would like to receive the vaccine, you can make an appointment below.

Rest assured, Northwell is working around the clock to ensure all eligible and interested New Yorkers will receive their vaccine. As distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine expands, we will continuously be adding available appointment times, so please check our site regularly for new openings.

[Make an appointment](#)

Please note that proof of eligibility is required.

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If you are not yet eligible, please know that access will continue to extend to additional groups as directed by the New York State Department of Health, and we will reach out to provide eligibility updates. To find out when you will become eligible or sign up for eligibility alerts, check [here](#) or text "MYTURN" to 77570.

As we battle through this final phase of the pandemic together, it's more important than ever to stay informed. Visit our [vaccine digital hub](#) to stay up-to-date with everything you need to know, including how getting vaccinated can help protect you and your loved ones.

Together, we can beat COVID-19 and look forward to brighter days ahead.