

Pregnant people who want to be vaccinated

People who are trying to get pregnant, currently pregnant, and breastfeeding can be vaccinated. Pregnant people, especially who are in their late pregnancy period, are at increased risk of severe COVID-19 related illness. Obstetricians and other health experts recommend them to get vaccinated regardless of their pregnancy status.

Studies also show that antibodies, proteins that help counteract the COVID-19 virus, were also detected in breast milk after vaccination. The child can receive these antibodies via breastfeeding. Spouses or partners can also help protect pregnant people from the virus by getting vaccinated. Please also consult with your doctor to make a fully informed decision.