

# Is the Vaccine Effective?

**Yes!** Current COVID-19 vaccines (Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) are extremely effective in preventing symptomatic COVID-19. Research shows the vaccines are highly effective at preventing infection and hospitalization by up to 96%.<sup>1-3</sup>

Research shows that people who are **NOT** fully vaccinated are at...

more than  
**10x**  
greater risk of  
hospitalization

**5x** greater  
risk of infection



and more than  
**10x**  
greater risk of  
death



**The benefits of the vaccine greatly outweigh the risks. Vaccination is the most important layer of protection for yourself and your community.**

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