



COVID-19

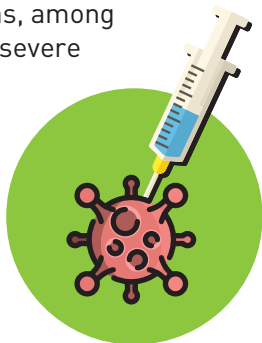
UNDERLYING HEALTH CONDITIONS

Certain underlying health conditions put you at increased risk of severe illness or death from COVID-19 and may move you up in line for COVID-19 vaccination. Nevadans 55+ with an underlying condition are eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccine, and on March 22, all Nevadans with underlying conditions will qualify.

WHAT ARE THE UNDERLYING CONDITIONS THAT QUALIFY FOR PRIORITIZED COVID-19 VACCINATION?

The CDC has identified that people with the following underlying conditions, among others, are at greater risk for severe COVID-19 illness and death:

- Heart disease
- Cancer
- Lung disease
- Kidney disease
- Diabetes
- Liver disease



The complete list of underlying conditions that qualify for prioritization is available at nvcovidfighter.org



HOW CAN I GET A COVID VACCINE IF I HAVE AN UNDERLYING CONDITION?

If you are eligible, you can find a vaccine appointment near you:

- Visit nvcovidfighter.org, or
- Call Nevada's Vaccine Helpline at 1-800-401-0946, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days a week. (Spanish and other language speakers available)
- If you are computer-savvy and know someone who may be challenged by this process, please offer to help them.

WILL I HAVE TO PROVE MY UNDERLYING CONDITION TO GET MY VACCINE?

- Due to HIPAA privacy concerns, vaccine providers will not require proof of medical condition to administer a COVID-19 vaccine.
- Nevadans are asked to schedule their appointments when they are eligible and not "jump the line," which will enable those who are at higher risk of getting severe illness or dying from COVID-19 to get their vaccines first.
- If you have an underlying condition and you have a primary care provider, please work directly with your doctor to schedule your vaccine.
- With accelerated vaccine production and distribution, there will soon be enough vaccine for everyone who wants one.



Find a vaccine location
nvcovidfighter.org | 1.800.401.0946

