Kids 12 and older, it’s your shot!
The CDC’s Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) met Wednesday and recommended the use of the Pfizer vaccine for anyone age 12 and older. Pfizer applied for Emergency Use Authorization from the U.S. FDA for the 12- to 15-year-old age group after a clinical trial of around 2,000 children showed the vaccine was 100 percent effective. Parents can get their kids registered at OurShot.IN.gov.

Learn more about how vaccines are keeping Hoosiers safe here.

Wondering why kids should get vaccinated? Check out this fact sheet.

500 DRIVERS GET VACCINATED
Tony Kanaan and Charlie Kimball are some of the best-known IndyCar drivers. Now, they are sharing with Hoosiers why they got vaccinated. Check out their PSAs below.

PFIZER AT MOBILE CLINICS, HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
Because Pfizer is the only vaccine approved for kids as young as age 12, the Indiana Department of Health has distributed doses of the vaccine to all local health departments and mobile clinics to make sure it’s easily available. You can find mobile and local health department clinic locations at OurShot.IN.gov. All sites are labeled to indicate which vaccine they offer.

For your convenience, walk-up appointments are offered at most vaccination sites, but you can save some time by making an appointment and registering in advance. Mobile sites now open:

Now through May 15:
• Center Lake Pavilion, Warsaw
• Tolson Center, Elkhart

EXTRA INCENTIVES
The Indianapolis Motor Speedway will be offering “Got My COVID-19 Shot” shirts themed with the Indy 500 in mind for those who are vaccinated in May. In addition, IMS and former Gary Roosevelt High School will hand out Girl Scout Cookies to newly vaccinated people.

Helpful Resources
• UPDATED: What you can do if you are fully vaccinated.
• Proof of vaccination is available at Access Indiana. Scroll down to the “Indiana Vaccination Portal” tile, create an account, and download a vaccination certificate.
• Register for a vaccination appointment and stay up to date at OurShot.IN.gov (Chrome or Firefox). Call Indiana 211 or 1-866-211-9966 if you have difficulty registering online.
• Learn about V-Safe, the after-vaccination health checker, and the new V-safe COVID-19 Pregnancy Registry. V-safe is also available now in multiple languages.
• Indiana Area Agencies on Aging and AARP offices are assisting seniors making their vaccine appointments.
• Report any adverse effects from any vaccine to the Vaccine Adverse Effect Reporting System (VAERS).

To date, 2,226,615 Hoosiers have been fully vaccinated!
COVID-19 VACCINE
Snapshot

Total Individuals Fully Vaccinated*
2,226,615

Here are the latest percentages of people who received a vaccine by age group. These percentages include residents and staff in long-term care facilities.

- **74.6% of 80+**
- **76.5% of 75 - 79**
- **79.5% of 70 - 74**
- **72.5% of 65 - 69**
- **62.4% of 60 - 64**
- **49.4% of 55 - 59**
- **45% of 50 - 54**
- **39.3% of 45 - 49**
- **38.1% of 40 - 44**
- **33.3% of 35 - 39**
- **30.5% of 30 - 34**
- **24.9% of 25 - 29**
- **27.7% of 20 - 24**
- **23.7% of 16 - 19**

Expanding vaccinations to kids 12 and older is the next step in ending the pandemic

“I am excited for this next step both as a physician and as a parent. As a doctor, I know that the more people we protect from COVID, the fewer cases we will see, and our hospitalizations and deaths will decline. As a parent, I want my oldest daughter who has been so worried for this past year to finally have peace of mind.” - Dr. Lindsay Weaver, chief medical officer, Indiana Department of Health.

Upcoming mobile vaccination sites around the state
Register at OurShot.IN.gov and enter the mobile site’s ZIP code*

- **Ivy Tech Marion**
  261 S. Commerce Drive, Marion, 46953
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 18-19

- **The Center of La Crosse**
  100 S. Washington St., La Crosse, 46348
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 18-19

- **Goshen High School**
  401 Lincolnway East, Goshen 46526
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 20-22

- **Second Missionary Baptist Church**
  819 N. Apperson Way, Kokomo 46901
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 20-22

- **Bedford First Assembly of God**
  2601 27th Street, Bedford 47421
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 18-20

- **First Church of God**
  1200 Depoy Drive, Columbia City 46725
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 18-20

- **Logansport Welcome Center**
  418 4th Street, Logansport 46947
  9 a.m. – 6 p.m., May 18-20

*Individuals are fully vaccinated after their 2nd dose of Pfizer or Moderna vaccine, OR after a single dose of Johnson & Johnson vaccine.