# Long COVID: How to Protect Yourself and Your Loved Ones

### What You Need to Know

- Long COVID is a condition that some people get after they catch COVID-19.
  They still feel symptoms of the virus even though they are not sick anymore.
- Long COVID can affect anyone, including children, but vaccines can help protect you and your loved ones.

## **Long COVID symptoms**

The symptoms of long COVID can be different for everyone. Some people feel COVID-19 symptoms like

- Shortness of breath,
- Chest tightness,
- Loss of smell or taste, or
- Fatigue.

#### Others might feel symptoms like

- Difficulty thinking or staying focused ("brain fog"),
- Fast-beating or pounding heart, or
- Mental health affects (like feelings of sadness or anxiety).



# Protect Yourself and Your Loved Ones

COVID-19 vaccines might help prevent long COVID and improve long COVID symptoms. Talk to your healthcare provider to see how the COVID-19 vaccines could help protect you and your family.

**Get your FREE vaccine today!** 

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