

# Vaccine Coverage Where to go in Maryland, Washington, D.C. and Northern Virginia

With the added risks of COVID-19, it's more important than ever to get your flu shot. To help reduce your risk and protect your loved ones, you can receive the flu vaccine—and other beneficial vaccines—from the following participating pharmacies in Maryland, Washington, D.C. and Northern Virginia.

#### Participating retail pharmacies<sup>1</sup>

- CVS
- Giant Pharmacy
- Rite Aid
- Safeway Pharmacy
- ShopRite Pharmacy
- Walgreens
- Weis Market Pharmacy

## Participating retail clinics<sup>1</sup>

CVS Minute Clinic

## **Non-participating providers**

If your coverage provides for out-of-network benefits, you may also receive a vaccine at a non-participating pharmacy or retail clinic (not listed above). You may be asked to pay the full price of the vaccine at the time of service. To be reimbursed, you will need to submit a medical claim form with an itemized receipt listing the cost of the vaccine and, if applicable, the administration fee. For assistance, please contact member services at the phone number on your member ID card.



Before you get any vaccine, please call ahead to make sure the pharmacy has a supply of the vaccine you need and to check whether a prescription or doctor's order is required.

#### **Vaccine information**

In addition to the flu vaccine, the following vaccines are also covered<sup>2</sup> under your CareFirst benefits. If you have any questions, speak to your doctor before receiving a vaccine, as there may be age and condition restrictions.

- COVID-19—COVID-19 vaccines reduce the risk of severe illness, hospitalization, and death from COVID-19.
- HPV—HPV vaccine protects against cancers caused by human papillomavirus (HPV) infection.
- Meningococcal—Meningococcal vaccines protect against bacteria that can cause meningitis or septicemia.
- MMR—MMR vaccine protects against measles, mumps, and rubella.
- Pneumococcal—Pneumococcal vaccines protect against bacteria that can cause pneumonia.
- RSV—RSV vaccines protect against lower respiratory tract disease cause by respiratory syncytial virus (RSV). While RSV usually causes mild cold-like symptoms in people of all ages, it can be especially serious for infants and older adults leading to hospitalization or death.
- **Shingles**—Shingles vaccine is recommended for adults 50 years and older to prevent shingles and postherpetic neuralgia (PHN).
- **Tdap or DTaP**—These combination vaccines protect against three potentially life-threatening bacterial diseases: tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (whooping cough).

Learn more at carefirst com/vaccines

<sup>1</sup> Participating pharmacies and retail clinics must be located within the CareFirst service area of Maryland, Washington, D.C. or Northern Virginia.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> When you receive the vaccine you will be responsible for any applicable copayments or deductibles in accordance with your benefit plan.