

WEARING A MASK AFTER A VACCINE

QUESTION

Do I need to wear a mask and avoid close contact with others if I have gotten the vaccine (full doses)?

ANSWER

YES!

It's important for everyone to continue using all the tools available to help stop this pandemic as we learn more about how COVID-19 vaccines work in real-world conditions. Experts are also looking at how many people get vaccinated and how the virus is spreading in communities. We also don't yet know whether getting a COVID-19 vaccine will prevent you from spreading the virus that causes COVID-19 to other people, even if you don't get sick yourself. CDC will continue to provide updates as they learn more.

To protect yourself and others, follow these recommendations:

Wear a mask over your nose & mouth.

Stay at least 6 feet away from others.

Avoid crowds.

Avoid poorly ventilated spaces.

Wash your hands often.

Source: CDC | <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/faq.html>

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