



GET VACCINATED

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HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

MYTH

Black people were not involved in clinical trials for any of the vaccines.

It's not necessary to get the vaccine since it doesn't keep you from getting COVID-19

More Black people have died from the vaccine than COVID itself.

It is not safe to get a COVID-19 vaccine if I would like to have a baby one day.

The COVID-19 vaccine is not safe for children and teens.

FACT

Black people were involved in vaccine clinical trials for Pfizer and Moderna.

The vaccine doesn't guarantee you won't get COVID-19 but it will minimize the likelihood of you dying from COVID infection.

Death rates among African Americans are high because we are the largest demographic of unvaccinated in California and we have the most ailments that make us more vulnerable to the virus – like hypertension, diabetes, heart conditions and obesity.

COVID-19 vaccine is safe for pregnant people. There is no evidence that female or male fertility problems are a side effect of any vaccine, including COVID-19 vaccines.

CDC recommends everyone 12 years and older get a COVID-19 vaccination to help protect against COVID-19. Children 12 years and older are able to get the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19



BY PROTECTING YOURSELF, YOU ARE PROTECTING YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS & COMMUNITY

1 Keep your surfaces clean

2 Wear your mask

3 Wash your hands

4 Maintain social distancing

5 Home from school? Change your clothes



What is BWOPA Black+Vaxxed?

Black Women Organized For Political Action (BWOPA) has partnered with WeVax+ and the state of California Department of Public Health to launch BLACK+VAXXED – a public awareness campaign designed to give the Black community the facts and insight necessary to make an informed decision about the vaccine. We know our public health has been politicized and that is not right – but we have to move beyond our fears to protect ourselves and those we love.

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