

International Vaccine Series Completion



If you were vaccinated outside the United States, you might need additional vaccinations for optimal protection. Check the recommended steps below:

Received Outside the United States	Recommended Steps to Full Vaccination
One dose of Johnson & Johnson* <i>*The Johnson & Johnson vaccine requires only one dose</i>	Vaccination complete , no further action necessary at this time
One dose of Moderna or Pfizer	Receive the second dose of the same vaccine within the recommended time frame to complete vaccination
One dose of AstraZeneca-Oxford, Sinopharm, Sinovac, or Covishield	Start and complete a vaccine series with an FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccine (Moderna, Pfizer, or Johnson & Johnson)
One or two doses of Sputnik V or CanSinoBIO	This does not qualify as full vaccination in the US. Start and complete a vaccine series with an FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccine (Moderna, Pfizer, or Johnson & Johnson)
Two doses of AstraZeneca-Oxford, Sinopharm, Sinovac, or Covishield	Vaccination complete , no further action necessary at this time

Thanks to a robust response to the COVID-19 pandemic, there are now a number of different vaccines available. The most common vaccines have been authorized for emergency use in the United States by the **FDA**, and/or are listed for emergency use by the **WHO**.

- **FDA (Food and Drug Administration):** a federal agency responsible for ensuring the safety and efficacy of new vaccines, medications, and treatments.
- **WHO (World Health Organization):** an international organization that works to promote and improve health. They are responsible for assessing and approving vaccines for global use through COVAX, a global collaboration to provide equitable access to COVID-19 vaccines and treatments.

Vaccine	Authorized by FDA	Authorized by WHO
Johnson & Johnson	✓	✓
Moderna	✓	✓
Pfizer	✓	✓
AstraZeneca-Oxford	✗	✓
Sinopharm	✗	✓
Sinovac	✗	✓
Covishield	✗	✗
Sputnik V	✗	✗
CanSinoBIO	✗	✗