

Child & Youth Vaccine Toolkit

Welcome to Public Health Sudbury & District digital child and youth vaccine toolkit! This toolkit is designed to serve as a resource for parents as they navigate COVID-19 vaccination for their child(ren) and youth. In the toolkit you will find videos, posters, fact sheets, and more.

Vaccination campaigns

Public Health Sudbury & Districts has created various vaccination campaigns to encourage vaccination in our communities. In the Great Question! social media series a public health expert answers children's and youths' question about COVID-19 and the vaccine. The motivation for vaccination is a video series where individuals from our communities share their motivation for getting the COVID-19 vaccine. You and your child(ren) are encouraged to submit your motivation for vaccination or any questions your child(ren) may have about the COVID-19 vaccine.

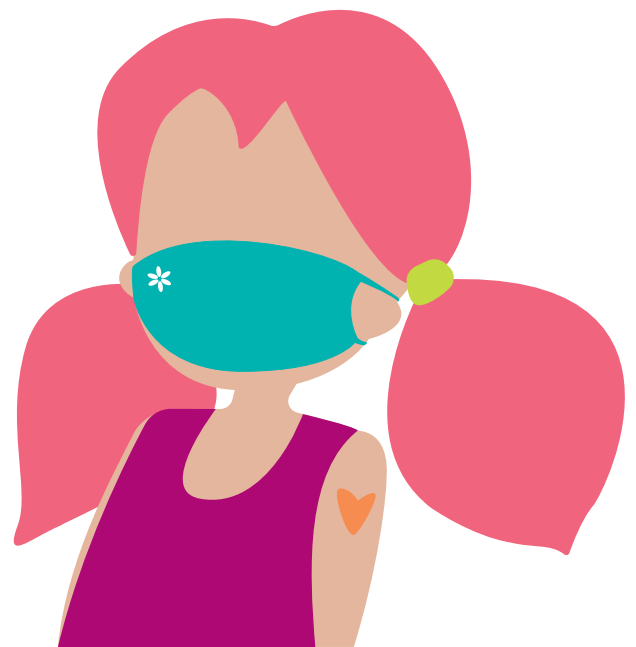
- [Great Question! Answering your questions about the COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- [My Motivation for vaccination](#)

Video resources

- [COVID-19 Vaccine Quick Facts Playlist](#). Public health nurse Natalie discusses topics such as vaccine safety, COVID-19 variants of concern, and vaccine interchangeability.
- [How do vaccines work?](#) This video created by Science North explains how vaccines work and why they are so important.
- [How are vaccines made?](#) This video by Healthy Canadians (Health Canada) explains to adults how the COVID-19 vaccine development process and how it was possible in a shorter period of time.
- [Bing - Kindergarten | Vaccination](#). In this child friendly video produce by TVO kids watch Bing get ready for his vaccination appointment.

Fact sheets and posters

- [Just the Facts Child COVID-19 vaccination](#) (PDF, 191 KB)
- [Facts for parents and youth on the COVID-19 vaccine](#) (PDF)
- [Child and youth COVID-19 vaccine fact sheet](#) (Government of Ontario, PDF)
- [The safety and efficacy of COVID-19 vaccines for youth](#) (Government of Ontario, PDF)
- Kids Health First has created curated a [list of resources](#) about the COVID-19 vaccine for kids.
- [Child and youth COVID-19 vaccine poster](#) (Government of Ontario, PDF)
- [Get the COVID-19 vaccine Teen posters 11 x 17"](#) (PDF, 541 KB)
- [Get the COVID-19 vaccine Child poster 11 x 17"](#) (PDF, 222 KB)



Presentations

[Information session for parents: COVID-19 vaccination 5 to 11 year olds](#) (Science North, YouTube)

Getting ready for your child(ren)'s appointment

Before an individual, including children and youth, can receive the COVID-19 vaccine informed consent must be provided. If an individual is unable to provide informed consent, their parent or guardian must provide it on their behalf.

Parents or substitute decision makers of children aged 5 to 11 will usually have to provide consent on behalf of their child at the time of the appointment or fill out a paper consent form for their child. The [consent form](#) (PDF) must be completed before vaccination can occur.

- [Conversation Guide: Talking to your child\(ren\) about the COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- [Checklist for vaccination appointment](#) (PDF, 139 KB)
- [CARD system](#) (aboutkidshealth.ca). The CARD system helps kids and parents create strategies that can be used to help them before and during their vaccination appointment
- [Vaccination certificate](#) (PDF, 201 KB)

Other online resources

- [COVID-19 Vaccine Consult Service \(sickkids.ca\)](#)
- [Max the Vax – Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies \(oacas.org\)](#)
- [COVID-19 vaccines for children and youth](#) (Government of Ontario)

For more information

Visit our [COVID-19 vaccine FAQ page](#) and our [COVID-19 vaccine resource page](#).



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