

## Anyone aged 60 years or over is now eligible to receive the AstraZeneca vaccine

If you need to find a vaccine provider OR have any questions call the Victorian Coronavirus Hotline on **1800 675 398**.

If you need an interpreter, call **131 450** and ask to be connected to the Victorian Coronavirus Hotline.

## Book your appointment

Anyone who is over 60 can book an appointment to receive a vaccine through the following sites:



*Image: Courtesy of Australian Government Department of Health*

General Practice (GP)	Community Health Centres	Open Vaccination Sites
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Call or book an appointment online</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Call or book an appointment online</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recommended to book your appointment.</li> <li>Some vaccination sites may see you without an appointment (waiting time may vary) <a href="http://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/vaccination-centres">www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/vaccination-centres</a></li> <li>40-59 years old can get Pfizer at Open Vaccination Sites (appointment is necessary)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact GP directly (not all GPs provide vaccination)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact your local community health centre directly</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make an appointment by calling <b>1800 675 398</b></li> <li>If you require an interpreter call <b>131 450</b></li> </ul>

If you are concerned about any pre-existing health conditions or medication you are taking, it is recommended that you consult your GP beforehand. They can print off your medical record for you to bring to your vaccination appointment and talk to you about your health.



## What should I bring to my vaccination appointment?

- Photo ID if you have one
- Medicare card if you have one
- Employee ID if you are getting a COVID-19 vaccine because of your occupation
- Information from your GP about any of your medical conditions and medications you are taking
- Information about any previous COVID-19 vaccine received (vaccine brand and date of vaccination)
- Information about any reactions you have had to any vaccine in the past
- Name of your current GP/s and any specialist doctors you see
- A face mask (if required by your state/territory)
- Make sure your Medicare details are up to date
  - You can do this by:
    - Medicare online account through myGov at [www.my.gov.au](http://www.my.gov.au)
    - The Express Plus Medicare app
    - Calling the Medicare program on 132 011
    - Visit your local Medicare office
  - If you don't have your account set up, you can:
    - Enrol in Medicare, if you're not already enrolled
    - Set up your Medicare online account, if you're enrolled in Medicare but don't have Medicare linked to myGov.

## You can still be vaccinated if you don't have a Medicare card.

If you have had another vaccination recently, including for seasonal influenza, you should wait at least 7 days before having your COVID-19 vaccination.