The best way to protect your children from COVID-19 is to get them vaccinated.

The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine is **90% effective** at preventing COVID-19 in children.

Vaccinating children ages 5 years and older can:

- Protect the entire family including siblings who are too young to be vaccinated and family members who may get very sick if they are infected.
- Safely keep them in school, playdates, and other activities.
- Help slow the spread of COVID-19 in the community.

**What do we know about the children's COVID-19 vaccine?**

- The amount given to children is less than the amount given to adults and teens. The amount given to children is based on the child's age.
- Children will need a second vaccine 3 weeks after their first vaccine.
- A child may have some side effects like a sore arm, headaches, or a low-level fever.
- Ask your child's healthcare provider if you have any questions.