



Vaccines

Why are vaccines important?¹

- Vaccines help your body create antibodies to fight off infections.
- Vaccines reduce the risk of disease and the complications that the infection can bring.
- Check with your provider to see if the vaccines below are right for you.



Common vaccines covered under Medicare Part B

- Influenza (flu)
- Pneumococcal
- Hepatitis B for individuals at medium or high risk for hepatitis
- COVID-19
- Tetanus for injury or exposure**

Part B vaccinations can be administered in your provider's office or pharmacy.

The IYC Medicare Advantage and Medicare Plus plans cover 100% of the cost of Part B vaccines when you present your UnitedHealthcare member ID card at the pharmacy or physician's office.[^]



Common vaccines covered under Medicare Part D*

- Shingles
- Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)
- Tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis (Tdap)
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B for individuals at low risk for hepatitis

Part D vaccinations are typically administered at a participating pharmacy.

Show your Navitus Health Solutions (Navitus) member ID card at the pharmacy when you receive these vaccines.

If you receive Part D vaccines in the physician's office, you must submit a reimbursement form to Navitus for repayment of the vaccine. You will have a copay and may have other costs according to Navitus' reimbursement rate.

Did you know?



Flu vaccines can reduce the risk of getting sick with the flu by 40% to 60%²



Shingrix® vaccine is over 90% effective at preventing shingles in healthy adults over 50 and lowers the risk of long-term nerve pain³

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7 a.m.–6 p.m. CT, Monday–Friday

*\$0 cost share applies to covered adult Part D vaccines recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP).

**Your IYC Medicare Advantage or Medicare Plus plan has enhanced coverage for the Tetanus vaccine when used preventively and administered in the physician's office.

^An office visit cost-share may apply if other services are provided.

¹5 Reasons It Is Important for Adults to Get Vaccinated. (September 22, 2022). Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/adults/reasons-to-vaccinate.html>

²Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, March 2024.

³Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, May 2023.

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