

Covid-19 Vaccinations

Can We Trust Them?





Disclaimers

- Assumption that we are all comfortable with the general use of vaccines.
- Will not be getting into the deep science of how vaccinations work or why one type is better than another.
- I am not a medical professional

Vaccines were Developed so Quickly, are they Safe ?

1. Research of the previous corona viruses (SARS 2002 & MERS 2012) was already well documented which gave researchers a head start in understanding COVID-19. The first coronaviruses were identified over 50 years ago.
2. mRNA & vector based vaccines were already in development for SARS, MERS & Ebola. With the first products being developed in 1999.
3. Combining of clinical phases (1,2,3) to expedite the process of vaccine approval.
4. Though vaccines were developed in record time governments have used science based methods in approving the vaccines.

MYTHS & MISCONCEPTIONS

ABOUT THE COVID-19 VACCINES



MYTH

IT ISN'T SAFE BECAUSE
IT WAS RUSHED

FACT

NO STEPS WERE SKIPPED
IN TESTING OR
DEVELOPMENT



MYTH

YOU WILL GET COVID-19
FROM THE VACCINE

FACT

NO LIVE SARS-COV-2
VIRUS IN ANY OF THE
VACCINES



MYTH

RNA VACCINES ALTER
YOUR DNA

FACT

mRNA DOESN'T
INTERACT WITH
YOUR DNA



MYTH

MRNA VACCINE
TECHNOLOGY IS NEW

FACT

RNA VACCINES HAVE
BEEN DEVELOPED FOR
OVER THREE DECADES



MYTH

VACCINES AFFECT
FERTILITY & PREGNANCY

FACT

THERE IS NO BIOLOGICAL
PLAUSIBILITY OF AN
EFFECT ON FERTILITY



MYTH

VACCINES CONTAIN
HARMFUL SUBSTANCES

FACT

INGREDIENTS ARE
TESTED FOR SAFETY &
PUBLICLY VISIBLE

MYTH 1 THE VACCINES AREN'T SAFE BECAUSE THEY WERE RUSHED



RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PHASE

DISCOVERY

TRADITIONAL VACCINE

YEARS

ACCELERATED VACCINE

MONTHS

PROCESS DEVELOPMENT & PRECLINICAL EXPERIMENTS

2-4Y

MONTHS

- 1 READILY AVAILABLE FUNDS
- 2 PRE-EXISTING RESEARCH
- 3 WORLDWIDE COLLABORATION

INVESTIGATIONAL NEW DRUG (IND) APPLICATION

CLINICAL TRIALS

5-7Y

MONTHS

- 4 MASSIVE RECRUITMENT OF CLINICAL TRIAL VOLUNTEERS
- 5 OVERLAPPED PHASES

BIOLOGICAL LICENSE APPLICATION (BLA) OR EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION (EUA)

REVIEW BY FDA

1-2Y

1-2M

- 6 RIGOROUS REVIEW PROCESS
- 7 FDA EMERGENCY REVIEW
- 8 PACKAGED BEFORE AUTHORIZATION

LARGE SCALE PRODUCTION

MONTHS

1-2M

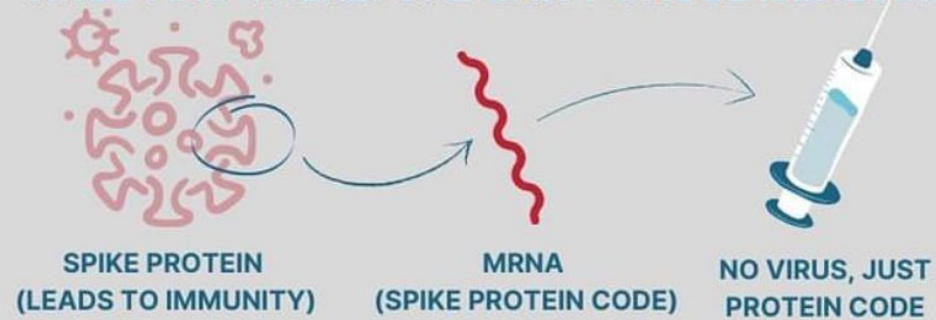
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>15Y

10M-1.5Y

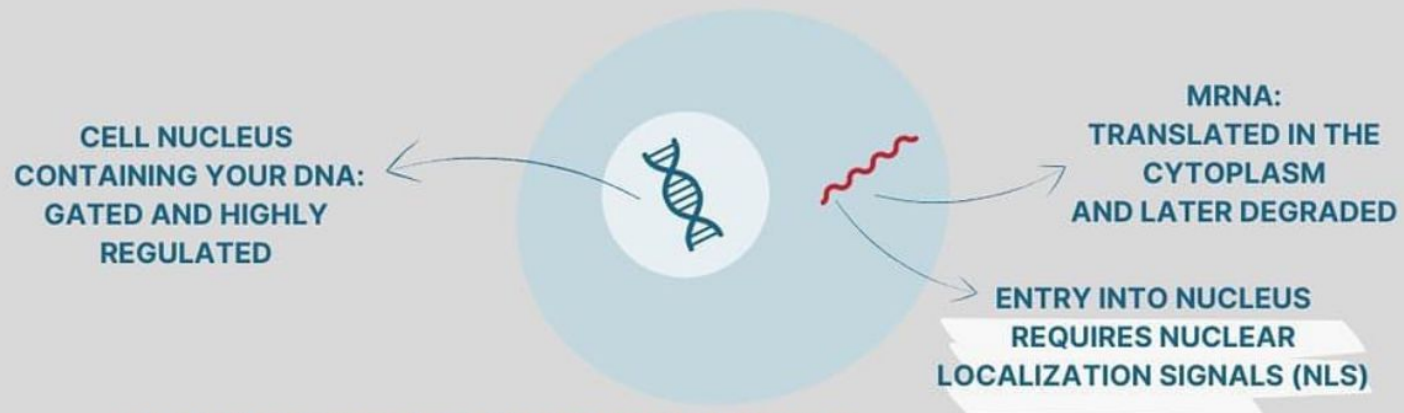
MYTH 2 YOU WILL GET COVID-19 FROM THE VACCINE

NONE OF THE VACCINES CONTAINS ANY LIVE SARS-COV-2 VIRUS AND THEREFORE **CAN'T CAUSE ILLNESS.**



MYTH 3 RNA VACCINES WILL ALTER YOUR DNA

THE
UNBIASED
SCIENCE
PODCAST



ALL VACCINES **LACK NECESSARY NLS** SIGNALS TO ENTER THE NUCLEUS.

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MYTH 4 MRNA VACCINE TECHNOLOGY IS NEW

MRNA VACCINE TECHNOLOGY HAS BEEN IN DEVELOPMENT FOR **DECADES**. MRNA VACCINES HAVE BEEN **PREVIOUSLY TESTED** IN EARLY CLINICAL TRIALS FOR OTHER **DISEASES** AS WELL AS **CANCER TREATMENT**.

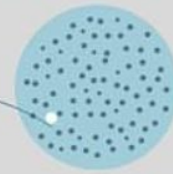
MYTH 5 COVID-19 VACCINES AFFECT FERTILITY AND PREGNANCY



SPIKE PROTEIN
(SARS-COV-2)

< 1% SIMILARITY

CAN'T CONFUSE THE
IMMUNE SYSTEM



SYNCYTIN-1 PROTEIN
(PLACENTAL DEVELOPMENT)

THE
UNBIASED
SCIENCE
PODCAST

TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PREGNANT PEOPLE AND THOSE TRYING TO CONCEIVE HAVE BEEN VACCINATED. VACCINATIONS HAVE BEEN DEEMED **SAFE AND EFFECTIVE AT PROTECTING PREGNANT PEOPLE**.

MYTH 6 VACCINES CONTAIN HARMFUL SUBSTANCES

NO **MICROCHIPS**, **FETAL TISSUE**, OR "**TOXINS**" ARE IN THE VACCINES. ALL INGREDIENTS HAVE BEEN TESTED FOR SAFETY. **ALL INGREDIENTS ARE DETAILED** ON THE MANUFACTURERS' WEBSITES AND AT THE FDA AND CDC.



Vaccines – Weighing the Risk

What you need to know up to and including April 9, 2021

No safety signals

(potential safety issues) have been identified in Canada

7,569,321

Total doses administered

3,444

Total adverse event following immunization reports
(0.045% of all doses administered)

2,980

Total adverse event following immunization reports that were non-serious
(0.039% of all doses administered)






464

Total adverse event following immunization reports that were serious
(0.006% of all doses administered)

138

New adverse event following immunization reports since last update
(99 new non-serious and 39 new serious)

Vaccines – Weighing the Risk

Chance in a million of...	25-year-old	55-year-old
serious harm due to vaccine side-effects 	11 in a million	4 in a million
dying with coronavirus 	23 in a million	800 in a million
dying due to an accident or injury 	110 in a million	180 in a million
dying in a road accident 	38 in a million	23 in a million
being hit by lightning this year 	1 in a million	1 in a million

Figures show the chance of dying with coronavirus since the start of the pandemic. Figures for accidents and car crash fatalities are for 2018

<https://www.bbc.com/news/explainers-56665396>

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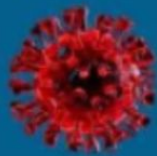
J&J COVID-19 VACCINE RISK COMPARISON: BLOOD CLOTS

JOHNSON & JOHNSON
COVID-19 VACCINE

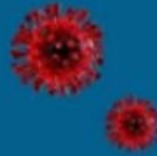


0.000088%

(6 reports of 6,800,000 doses administered)



COVID-19
ILLNESS



20 - 30%

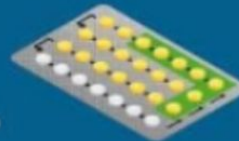
(31-33% in ICU patients, 5-8% among non-ICU patients)

GENERAL POPULATION
INCIDENCE OF CLOTS

0.1%

(300,000 - 500,000 cases per year of 351 million people)

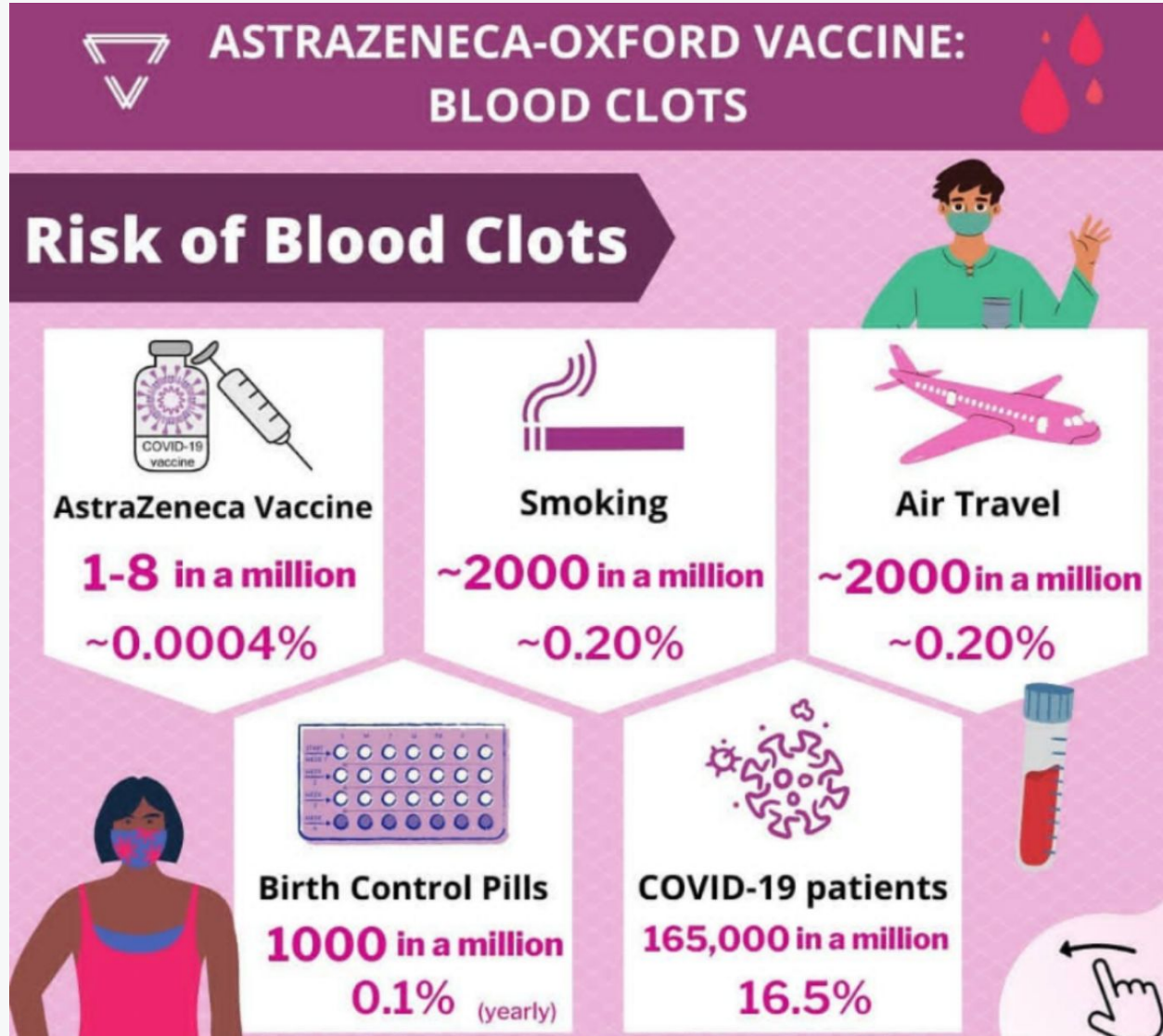
HORMONAL
BIRTH CONTROL



0.3 - 1%

Incidence rates vary based on formulation

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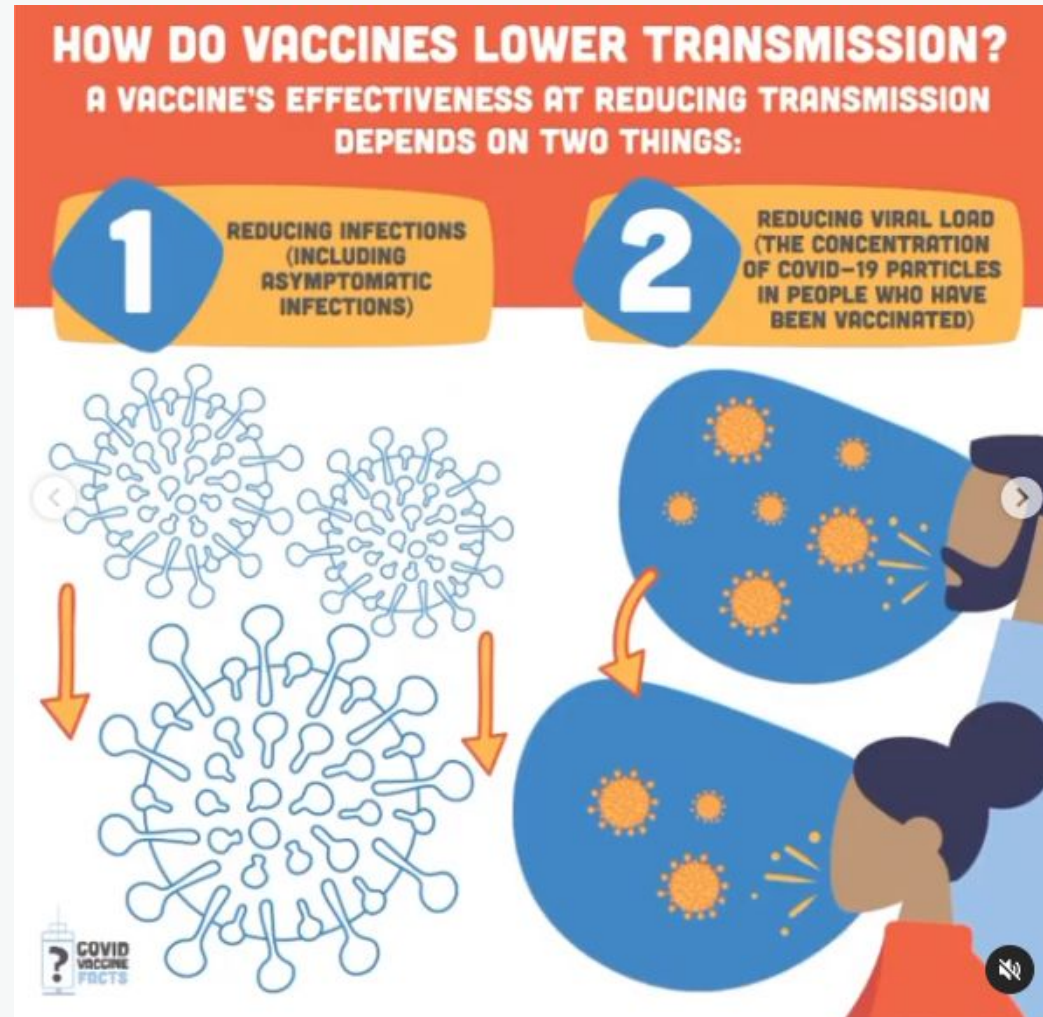


Why Should we get Vaccinated?

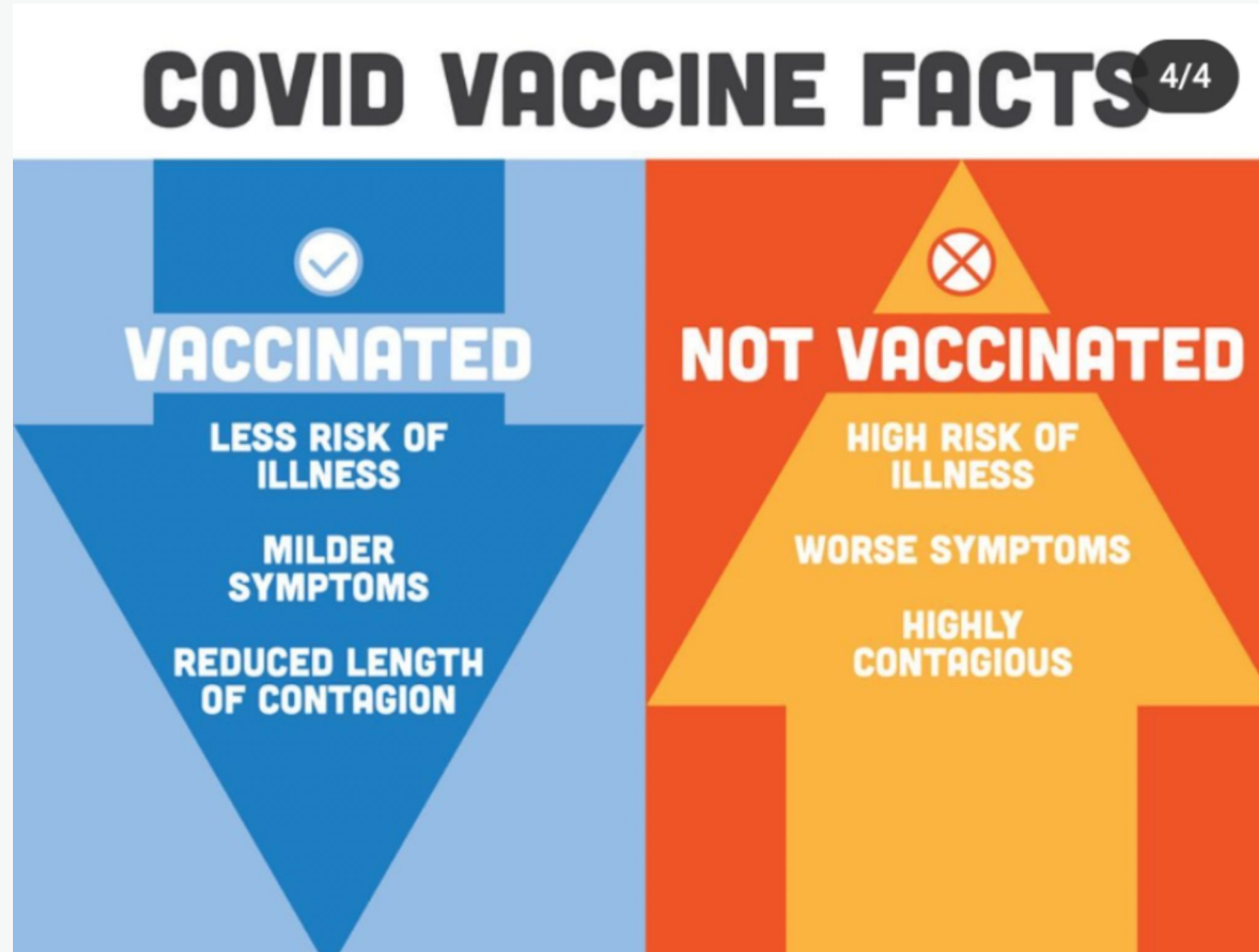
Practical Perspective

“The important point to understand is all the vaccines prevent death and hospitalization”

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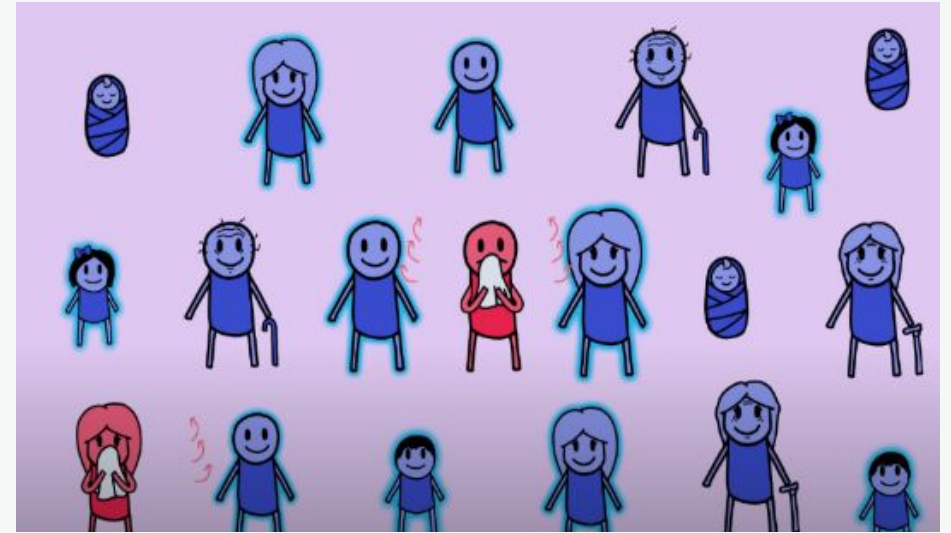
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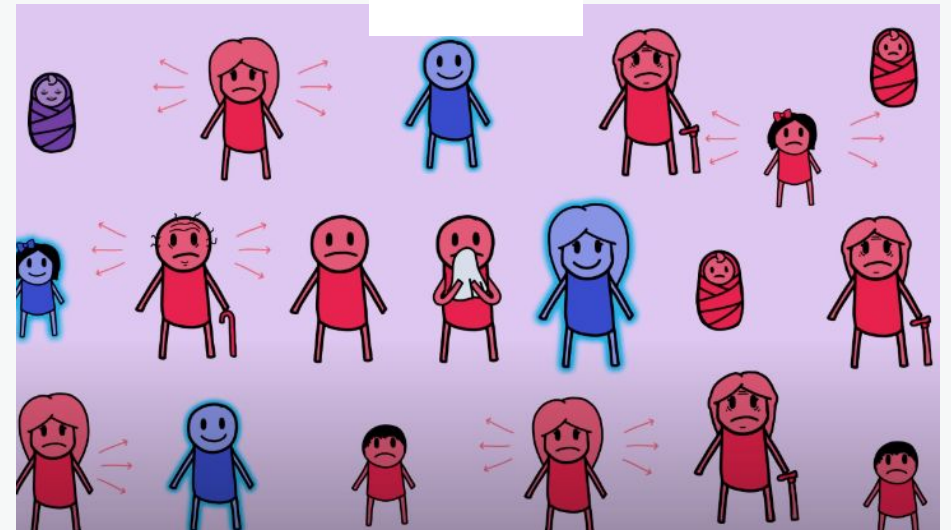
Herd Immunity

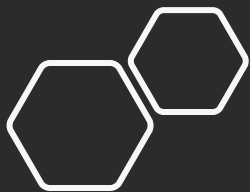
- What is it?
- Is achieved when a large % of the population is immune to a disease
- Works by disrupting the chain of infection for those who cannot be vaccinated
- If herd immunity is upheld for long enough, diseases can be eradicated e.g small pox

Getting vaccinated is not about the individual receiving the vaccine, its about protecting those most at risk!



VS





The best vaccine is
the one you can get!

Efficacy rates against **death and hospitalization**



What Vaccines are Available in Canada?

- [Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- [Moderna COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- [AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- [Janssen COVID-19 vaccine](#)

WORRIED ABOUT LONG-TERM COVID-19 VACCINE EFFECTS? READ THIS.

Most vaccine **side effects occur within the first 2 days** and are minor, expected, and indicate a mounting immune response. Decades of evidence from many other vaccines tell us that **any delayed effects following vaccination are rare and typically occur within 2 months** if they occur at all.

Oral Polio Vaccine (OPV, live attenuated virus):

1 in 2.4 million recipients (0.00004%) developed cases of paralysis due to the weakened virus in the vaccine reverting to "wild" virus, **1-4 weeks after vaccination.**

OPV NO LONGER
ADMINISTERED IN
THE US



VACCINE
GIVEN WHERE
YELLOW
FEVER RISK IS
HIGH

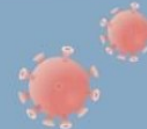


Yellow Fever Vaccine (live attenuated virus):

Extremely rare side effects (neurological symptoms and viscerotropic disease) have occurred **1-2 weeks after vaccination.**

Pandemic Swine Flu Vaccine, 1976:

Slightly increased risk of Guillain-Barré syndrome. Symptoms appeared **within 8 weeks of vaccination.**



SEASONAL FLU SHOTS
ARE ROUTINELY
MONITORED FOR
SAFETY



Measles-Mumps-Rubella Vaccine (MMR, live attenuated virus):

Approximately 1 in 40,000 recipients (0.0025%) develop thrombocytopenia (low platelets), which is treatable. This typically occurs **within 1-3 weeks of vaccination.**



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Spiritual Perspective

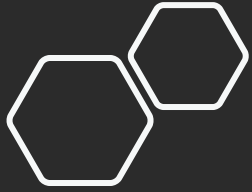
“Confirms/shows our
response to the MC
Message”

Midnight Cry

VACCINATION

How have we been vaccinated by the MC Message?

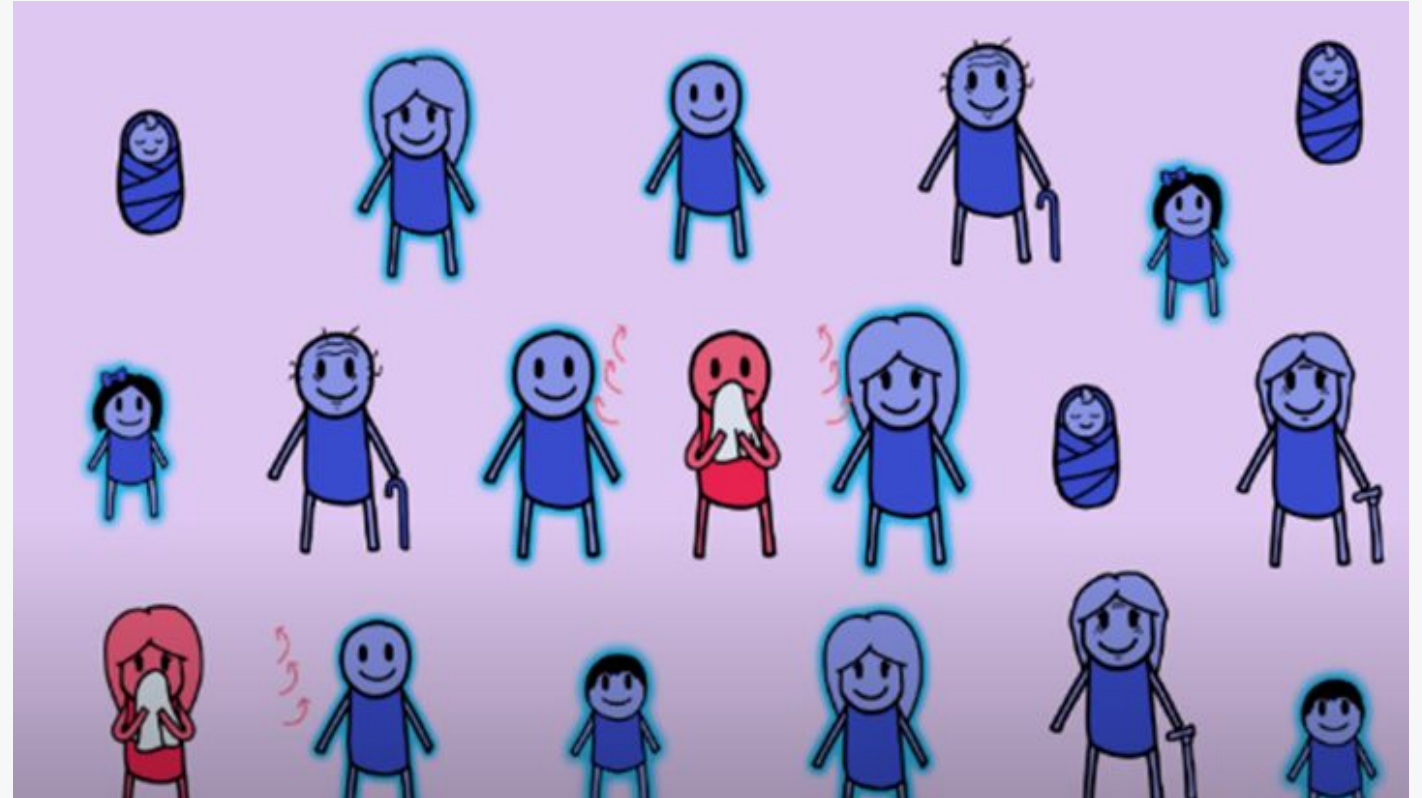




Herd Immunity in the Midnight Cry

How are we seeing the principle of herd immunity due to the MC?

- How is it protecting us?
- How is/has it changed our lives?



Side Effects of the MC Vaccination

Identifying some of the side effects that have caused some chaffing.

GET VACCINATED



1. <https://news.uchicago.edu/story/how-were-researchers-able-develop-covid-19-vaccines-so-quickly>
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