

Get your flu immunisation

Free for people 65 years and over who are eligible* for publicly funded health services.

The influenza vaccine does not protect you from the COVID-19.



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Free flu jab – people aged 65 and over can get vaccinated at their local family doctor (GP) or participating community pharmacist.

If you get an invite/ opportunity to receive the COVID-19 vaccination, you should prioritise this first and get the COVID-19 vaccine before you get the influenza vaccine.

Please note that whilst a two-week gap between influenza and COVID vaccines is recommended there are no clinical safety concerns should the gap between vaccines be less than two weeks.



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Feeling unwell – Fevers, chills, muscle aches, a runny nose, coughing and stomach ache? Call Healthline **0800 611 116** or call ahead to talk to your local family doctor (GP). Interpreters are available on request.

*If you are ineligible for publicly funded health care, you can purchase the influenza vaccine through your family doctor (GP) or local pharmacist. For more information, go to www.healthpoint.co.nz

The influenza vaccine is a prescription medicine. Talk to your family doctor (GP), nurse or local pharmacist about the benefits and possible risks or call Healthline 0800 611 116.







