

# COVID-19 vaccines for homebound patients

Massachusetts has developed a statewide program to offer in-home vaccinations for homebound patients who cannot leave their home to get to a vaccination site. Learn more at: [www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-homebound-vaccination-program](http://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-homebound-vaccination-program).



## Who is eligible?

**In-home vaccinations are for homebound individuals who are not able to leave their home to get to a vaccination site, even with assistance. These individuals require:**

1. An ambulance or two-person assistance to leave the home; or
2. Are not able to leave the home for medical appointments under normal circumstances; or
3. Have considerable difficulty and/or require significant support to leave the home for medical appointments.

## How do I register for the program?

### Homebound Vaccination Program Central Intake Line

1-833-983-0485

Monday through Friday

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM



If you call the Homebound Vaccination Central Intake Line, you will be able to speak with a representative who will ask you questions to determine if an in-home vaccination is appropriate.

- If in-home vaccination is appropriate, you will be registered with the State Homebound Vaccine Provider or referred to your local Board of Health.
- If an in-home vaccination is not appropriate, you will be referred to other resources for assistance to schedule an appointment at a vaccination site or find transportation solutions.

## How do I schedule an appointment?

Once you are registered, **you will receive a call from a state vaccinator** to schedule your in-home appointment within three business days of registering. *Please note: State vaccinators are not affiliated with Mass General Brigham.*

- During the scheduling process, the state vaccinator will discuss your unique needs. Vaccinators are trained medical professionals who have undergone background checks, follow all public health best practices, and will have medications to address allergic reactions.
- The state vaccinator will be using the single dose Johnson & Johnson (J&J) vaccine.
- It may take you several weeks to get an in-home vaccination.

*To learn more about the COVID-19 vaccines, visit [massgeneralbrigham.org/vaccine](http://massgeneralbrigham.org/vaccine)*