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Health Care Providers and Pharmacies Can Now Pre-Order COVID-19 Vaccine Supply in Preparation for Fall

Updated, monovalent COVID-19 vaccines are available for pre-order by health care providers and pharmacies through vaccine manufacturers and distributors. Officials expect vaccine recommendations from CDC for fall 2023 to be released in early September and expect updated COVID-19 vaccines to become available from manufacturers in mid-to-late September. These vaccines are the first COVID-19 vaccines to be available directly from the manufacturers as part of the commercial market, rather than through the federal government. Once the new vaccines become available, it is expected that the authorization of the current bivalent vaccines will expire.

How to **pre-order** the upcoming monovalent COVID-19 vaccines:

- To pre-order Pfizer vaccines, visit <https://primevaccines.pfizer.com/vaccine/en/USD/login>
- To pre-order Moderna vaccines, visit <https://modernadirect.com>
- Pre-order of Novavax vaccines is expected to be available through Cardinal Health, Henry Schein, McKesson, and Amerisource Bergen. For more information about Novavax preordering, email Novavax CA Regional Business Director Nidal Naser at nnaser@novavax.com.

Programs will be available to cover the cost of vaccines for patients who need financial assistance:

- *Bridge Access Program* COVID-19 vaccines will be available at a later date through <https://mycavax.cdph.ca.gov/>
- *Vaccines For Children* COVID-19 vaccines will be available at a later date through <https://eziz.org/myvfcvaccines/>

To learn more about the commercialization of COVID-19 vaccines, please see the following resources:

- Commercialization at a Glance: <https://eziz.org/assets/docs/COVID19/IMM-1467.pdf>
- COVID-19 Vaccine Commercialization FAQs: <https://eziz.org/covid/commercialization-faqs/>
- HHS Commercialization Transition Guide: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/downloads/HHS-Commercialization-Transition-Guide-508.pdf>

Stay tuned for more COVID-19 updates on our website: <https://slopublichealth.org/providers>.

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