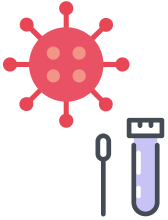# COVID-19 Mythbusters: Back to School

1

Myth

COVID-19 vaccine causes COVID-19 and will make you sick.

Fact

None of the COVID-19 vaccines contain live virus. They cannot make anyone sick with COVID-19.

2

Myth

My child already had COVID-19, so they don't need a vaccine.

Fact

People can get COVID-19 more than once with varying symptoms. Vaccination provides the best protection against serious illness.

3

Myth

Children do not get seriously ill from COVID- 19.

Fact

Even healthy children can get very sick from COVID-19. They can also spread COVID-19 to other family members and friends who may get seriously ill.

Talk with a healthcare provider to decide what is best for you and your family

U.S. CDC recommends staying up to date with COVID-19 vaccines for everyone 6 months and older.

Children who feel sick should stay home. Children with a fever, consistent cough, sore throat, diarrhea, or who have been throwing up in the last 24 hours should stay home.

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/index.html