

# AusVaxSafety's ACTIVE follow-up after your COVID-19 vaccination



## What is AusVaxSafety?

AusVaxSafety is a national system for monitoring vaccine safety in Australia. The system is led by the National Centre for Immunisation Research and Surveillance (NCIRS). It is funded by the Australian Government Department of Health.



## AusVaxSafety monitoring vaccine safety of COVID-19 vaccines

In partnership with the Australian state and territory health departments, AusVaxSafety is following up people who receive a COVID-19 vaccine by sending them an SMS or email with a short survey that asks if they experienced any adverse event following vaccination.



## How does it work?



### Day 0

You receive a COVID-19 vaccine at a participating immunisation clinic



### Day 3

You will get the 1st survey from your state/territory health department or your immunisation provider



### Day 8

You will get the 2nd survey from your state/territory health department or your immunisation provider



### 6 weeks

after your COVID-19 vaccine you will get the final survey\*

\*If your vaccine doses are less than 6 weeks apart, you'll only get one final survey after your second vaccine dose.

These surveys give you the opportunity to report any adverse events you have after receiving the COVID-19 vaccine. Depending on your survey responses, your state/territory health department or immunisation provider may call you to collect more details.



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## What happens to the information you provide?

Survey responses will contribute to the national COVID-19 vaccine safety surveillance that AusVaxSafety is conducting.



## What about your personal data?

AusVaxSafety only receives responses that are 'de-identified' to protect your privacy. This means any information that could identify you or your child will be removed.

*Thank You!*

Thank you for your contribution to the ongoing monitoring of COVID-19 vaccine safety in Australia.

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