



# Dose of Protection for Pregnant Women

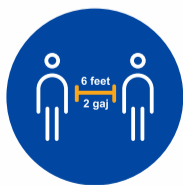


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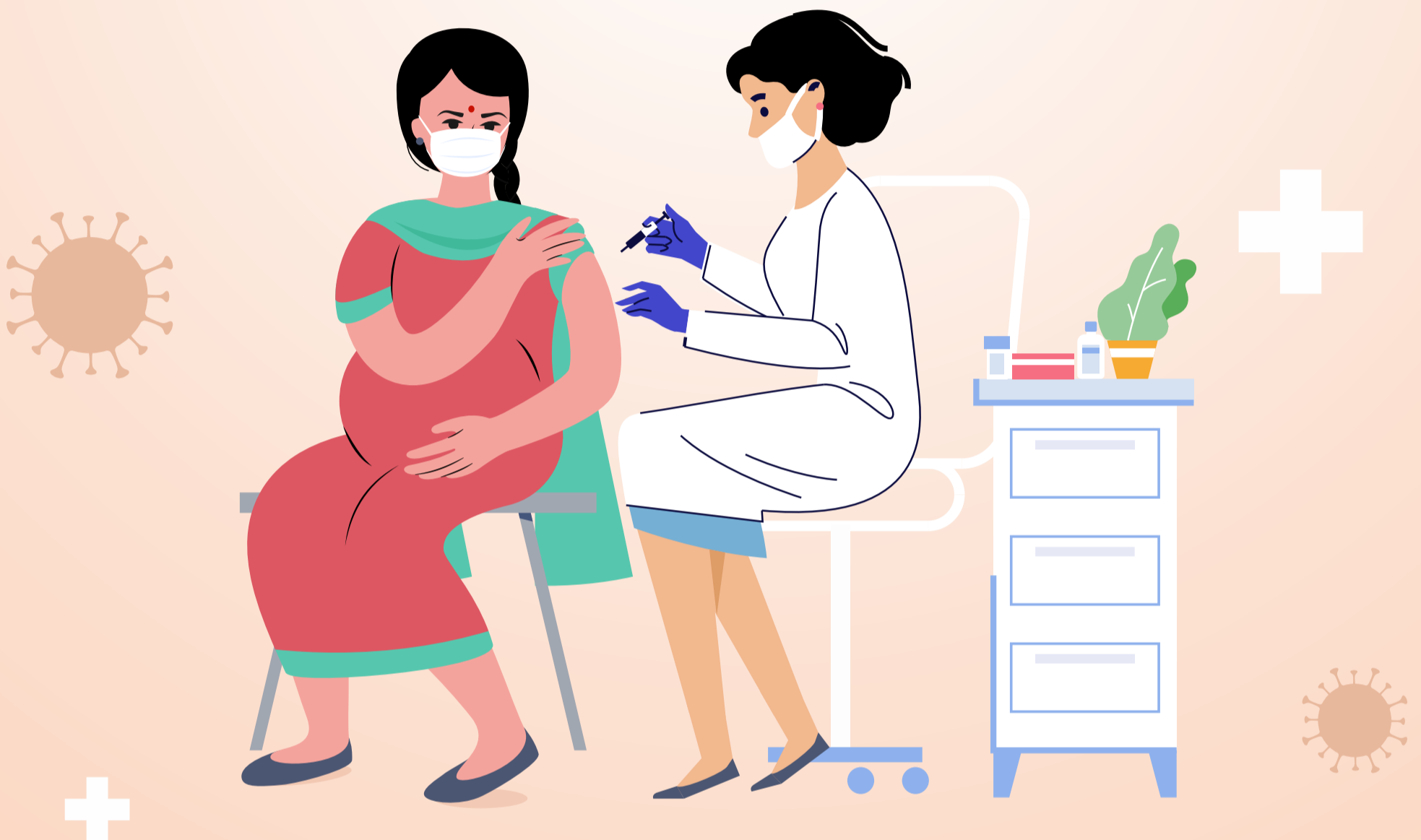
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### **Who are at higher risk of getting infected with COVID-19?**

- Someone who is a Healthcare Worker or a Front-line Worker.
- Community having a high or increasing rate of COVID-19 infections.
  - Frequently exposed to people outside the household.
- Difficulty in complying with social distancing if living in a crowded household.

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# COVID-19 Vaccination During Pregnancy

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All individuals above 18 years of age including pregnant women are now eligible for COVID-19 vaccination.

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**Pregnant women at increased risk of COVID-19 complications include:**

- Older than 35 years of age
- Obese women
- Have an underlying medical condition such as diabetes or high blood pressure
- Have a history of clotting in the limbs

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**COVID-19 increases the risk of:**

- Pre-mature delivery
- Baby's weight might be less than 2.5 KG
- In rare situations, the baby might die before birth

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COVID-19 vaccine can be taken anytime during the pregnancy and it should be taken at the earliest.

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In case a woman has been infected with COVID-19 infection during the current pregnancy, then she should be vaccinated soon after the delivery.

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COVID-19 vaccine is safe in pregnancy. Minor side effects like mild fever, pain at the injection site or feeling unwell for 1-3 days can occur.

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The long-term adverse effects and safety of the vaccine for foetus and child is not established yet.

**If you get any of the following symptoms after COVID-19 vaccination, please refer to a health care facility**

Shortness of breath, chest pain, pinhead size red spots or bruising of skin in an area beyond the injection site, severe or persistent headache, persistent abdominal pain with or without vomiting, or fits, or blurred vision.

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