

# Getting SPIKEVAX™ (elasomeran mRNA vaccine)

## What to Expect During & After Your Injection

SPIKEVAX™ (elasomeran mRNA vaccine) is indicated for active immunization against coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by the severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) virus in individuals 12 years of age and older.

### Before you get the vaccine

Tell your vaccination provider if you:

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- Have any allergies
  - Have had myocarditis (inflammation of the heart muscle) or pericarditis (inflammation of the lining outside the heart)
  - Have a fever, severe infection or serious illness
  - Have a bleeding disorder or take blood thinners
  - Are immunocompromised or are on a medicine that affects your immune system
  - Are pregnant, plan to become pregnant, or breastfeeding
  - Have received another COVID-19 vaccine
  - Have ever fainted in association with an injection

For more information, visit <https://www.modernacovid19global.com/ca/>

### After you get the vaccine

The following are common or very common side effects of SPIKEVAX.  
Most of these side effects are mild and do not last long.

- Pain at the injection site
- Tiredness
- Headache
- Muscle ache and stiffness
- Chills
- Fever
- Swelling or redness at the injection site
- Nausea and/or vomiting
- Enlarged lymph nodes
- Hypoaesthesia (decreased sense of touch or sensation, numbness)
- Dizziness

Talk to your vaccination provider if you have side effects that bother you or do not go away.

**If you think you're having an allergic reaction to the vaccine, call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest hospital.**

Symptoms of an allergic reaction include: Hives (bumps on the skin that are often very itchy); swelling of the face, tongue or throat; difficulty breathing

### A second dose of SPIKEVAX is REQUIRED

Complete vaccination **1 month** after your first dose of SPIKEVAX.  
To help remember that appointment:

Immediately schedule your next appointment **after the first dose of your vaccine**



Ask for a **2nd Dose Reminder Card** to display prominently at home



Set a reminder on your mobile phone or calendar



**For more information, talk to your vaccination provider or call Moderna Customer Care at: 1-866-MODERNA (1-866-663-3762)**

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

SPIKEVAX™ (elasomeran mRNA vaccine) is a vaccine used to prevent the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus. It can be given to individuals aged 12 years and older. As with any vaccine, SPIKEVAX may not fully protect all those who receive it. Even after you have had both doses of the vaccine, continue to follow the recommendations of local public health officials to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Individuals may not be optimally protected until after receiving the second dose of the vaccine.

The most common or very common side effects of SPIKEVAX are pain at the injection site, tiredness, headache, muscle ache and stiffness, chills, fever, swelling or redness at the injection site, nausea and/or vomiting and enlarged lymph nodes. Allergic reactions may also occur.

Vaccination may not be suitable for everyone, so ask your healthcare professional if SPIKEVAX is right for you. Full product information can be found on <https://www.modernacovid19global.com/ca/>. To report an adverse event, please call **1-866-MODERNA (1-866-663-3762)**.

